

The Descendants of William Robblee and Keturah Baker of Lanesborough, MA

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William Robblee and his wife Keturah Baker apparently started their married life in Dutchess Co., NY. William bought land in Lanesborough, MA in 1768. Presumably, the couple moved there – across the line from New York to Massachusetts – about that time. Their younger children were born there.

William died at age 60, when several of his children were still minors. Keturah stayed in Lanesborough for some time. However, the majority of her living children joined the northward migration of Lanesborough families to New Haven, VT by the 1790s. Later, she would join them, and marry the Quaker Stephen Haight. Some of Keturah's family of origin were also Quaker; perhaps she practiced this religion as well.

One of her sons, William (although he may have lived briefly in New Haven) stayed in Lanesborough. He used the spelling Rubblee for his surname. However, those in Vermont adopted the spelling Rublee. Her daughters remained in New Haven. However, her sons soon continued their move northward, settling in Berkshire, VT. Some stayed there; others moved to Quebec, New York, Wisconsin and beyond. William Rubblee's descendants removed to Ellington, NY where many have remained to this day. They also used the spelling Rublee.

Most individuals with the surname Rublee belong to this family. But there is an exception. There is a Rublee family on Wisconsin that is descended from Even Knudson Ruble and his wife Birgit Olsdatter Onsgard, both born in Norway. Even was the son of Khud Evensen Hoyme and Seborg Haagensdatter. He took the name Raabolle from a farm he operated before coming to the United States in 1848 with his sister Marit. His future wife, Birgit Olsdatter Onsgard was also on the boat, with her parents Ole Olsen and Barbra Onsfard, and her five siblings. An immigration clerk heard the name as Ruble, and he used that name in this country. Two of their sons decided to use the spelling Rublee.

My own Rublee research began in my 20s. It was jumpstarted by the work of Rhoda (Hope) Berger (1923-2012). Her mother was a Rublee. Rhoda informally published a Rublee genealogy. She was very generous in sharing her source material with me. My mother and my aunt, both Rublees, cheered me on as I gathered more information over the years. Tracing this family, as they wandered, has been very rewarding to me over the years.

I would ask that anyone using this report not turn "speculation" into "fact" when using the data for his or her own purposes. I welcome any questions, criticisms, confirmations, rebuttals, etc. My interest is in placing all of the individuals in their own families, locations and historical context. This 2021 update has focused on adding narrative information from historical newspaper, whenever possible.

Conventions used:

- A date with "est" in front of it is, in fact, an estimate.
- A date with abt in front of it is more likely to be more accurate than an estimated date, as it are based on what is known about the individual or family.
- A date of birth followed by (cal) is calculated from date and age of death.
- A location with a question mark after it – a guess based on where people were last known to be living.
- A location with (prob) after it – a stronger supposition than above.
- A location with (res) after it – usually the place where the last Social Security benefit was sent.

I welcome documentation that would help me to turn that into fact, or establish that my guesses or estimates were wrong! All of my sources are included in the endnotes and in the narrative. There is an index as well. I try for primary sources where they are available. I have eliminated identifying information on individuals who are less than 100 years old who do not have death dates.

In 2018, a Roblee YDNA study was initiated by Linda McGinnis. The project, called Roblee DNA Project, is housed at FTDNA. It is open to all family members. The more people who participate, the better. We hope that this project will help us to settle some longstanding questions about our family's origins.

Generation One

1. **William¹ Robblee**, b. bef 21 Jan 1732/33 in Huntington, Suffolk Co., NY (prob),¹ (son of **William Rublier** [1706 - 1770] and **Abigail Brush** [1708 -]), d. 26 Mar 1792 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,² buried in Center Cem., Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA. William Robblee is the progenitor of the Vermont Rublee family. He was probably the son of William Rublier, and born in Huntington, Long Island. A William Rublier was baptized there on 21 Jan 1732/3 (Scudder, 1899, page 29). William was probably in the southern precinct of Dutchess County by 1753, in the section now part of Putnam County.

William Rappelyea and Reuben Rappelyea owned Lot #6 of the Phillipse Patent in 1754, and Lot # 6 in 1762. Also there were Bethuel Baker and other Bakers, but not Francis. By 1768, William is not listed in the survey. A William Rapalyea (or Rapeleje) Jr., paid taxes in the southern precinct from February 1758 through 1767 (Buck, 1990, page 276). An Andrew Rapalyea paid taxes in the same precinct around the same time.

Two interesting documents are contained in the Ancient Documents of Dutchess County, New York. The first is dated 24 Jun 1765. It concerns Catherine Rubeley, spinster and Rubin Rubeley, farmer, both of South "Presink". The two came before a justice of the peace and acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the King, Catherine in the amount of forty pounds and Ruben in the sum of twenty-four pounds. The debt seems to have arisen from a complaint by Simeon Bundy that Catherine had disturbed the peace. In a second document, dated 4 Jul 1765, William Rubeley and Eleasor Baker of South Presink are found to be in debt to the King. The complaint, also by Simeon Bundy, was of breaking of the peace. In both cases, the defendants were ordered to appear at the next general session of the court, to be held in Poughkeepsie. Tentatively, the defendants are William Robblee, his brother Reuben, his wife Katurah (also known as Catherine) and Keturah's brother Eleasor Baker.

When William Robblee bought land in Lanesborough, MA on 6 July 1768, he is described as "of Philips Patent in Dutchess County, New York". By 15 October of the same year, when he bought a second parcel of land, he was "of Lanesborough".

Dates of birth for William and Keturah Robblee's eight older children are recorded on page 60 of the Lanesborough town records. However, presumably at least six of his children were born before the Robblees located in Lanesborough.

William Robblee was a soldier in the Revolution, serving six days in Captain David Wheeler's company. They marched from Lanesborough to Mellomsacutak on alarm on 14 Aug 1777.

William Robblee was admitted to the Congregational Church in Lanesborough on 18 July 1779. His nine oldest children were baptized there on 6 Aug 1779 (Lanesborough Congregational Church Records, Cooke Collection, Volume 19, Berkshire Athenaeum).

William was counted in the 1790 census in Lanesborough, MA. In the family were 2 males 16 and over; 3 males under 16 and 3 females. Presumably, this was William Sr. and Andrew (18); Francis (est 16); Erastus (est 12) and John B. (10); Keturah, Mary (20) and Sarah (13). After William's death in 1792, several of his children were still minors. He left a will recorded at the Berkshire County, Massachusetts Probate Court. He left one-third of his estate to his wife Katura. His sons William, Hiram, Andrew, Francis, John Brush and Erastus are mentioned, as well as daughters Lucy, Katura, Rebekah, Susannah, Mary and Sarah. Mary and Lucy are referred to as unmarried. Katura, along with his "brothers-in-law" Bethuel and Francis Baker, are named executors. William Robblee's signature appears on the instrument. His estate included 75 acres with buildings. The text follows:

"In the name of God, Amen. I William Robblee of Lanesborough, in the County of Berkshire and Common-wealth of Massachusetts, being of sound mind and memory, believing in the immortality of the soul and the mortality of the body, do now in the most solemn manner, desire to give up my soul to God who gave it and my body to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my executors hereafter named--

It is my also my will and pleasure that the worldly goods which a kind providence hath bestowed upon me, be disposed of in the following manner, agreeable to those presents, which I do now make, and constitute my last will and Testament: - that is to say, I give to my wife Ketura the use of one third part of all my real estate, except the farm in the west part of Lanesborough, known by the name of the Lamkin farm, during her natural life and after my just debts are paid, one third of my stock and cattle, and household furniture, to be disposed of at her pleasure. Also the use of my Bay mare, over and above one third part of my Stock of Cattle, as aforesaid, and if said mare has any increase, that my sons, Andrew, Francis, John Brush and Erastus shall equally share in the profits of the same.

To my sons William and Hiram, and to my Daughters Lucy, Ketura, Rebecca and Susannah, I give twenty acres of Land in the west part of Lanesborough, to be Divided Equally Between them, said twenty acres is known by the name of the Lamkin farm.

To my sons Andrew, Francis, John Bush, & Erastus, I give the whole of my real Estate, Except what is Disposed of as above -- and also all my farming tools, two thirds parts of my Household furniture, and two thirds of my stock of cattle, Except the Bay mare above mentioned.

To my Daughter Mary, I give free Liberty to Dwell in my house with my family so long as she remains a single woman, also twenty shillings to be paid by my wife within one year from the date of these presents.

To my Daughter Sarah, I give twenty pounds Lawful money, to be paid her, in such things as she may want, when She arrives at the age of Eighteen years or at the time of her marriage, said Twenty Pounds to be paid by my wife Katura, & my sons Francis, John Brush, and Erastus in Equal Proportion. And I do hereby Constitute and appoint my wife Ketura, Executrix, and my Brothers in Law, Bethuel Baker & Francis Baker, Executors, of this my last will and Testament.

In Testimony and in Confirmation of all of which, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this sixteenth Day of March, in the year of our Lord Christ, 1792

William Robblee (signature)

Signed, sealed, Pronounced and Declared by the
said William Robblee to be his last will and
Testament, in the presence of us;

Nemeniah Bull

Obed Edson Junor

Hiram Torrey

Sworn by all the witnesses

March 19, 1792.

(Filed in the Berkshire County Probate Court 19 Apr 1792)

On 30 Dec 1792, Andrew, Francis and Sarah Robblee, all minors over the age of fourteen, chose James Rockwell, yeoman of Lanesborough, as their guardian. On 10 Jan 1793, Katura Robblee was nominated guardian of John Brush Robblee and Erastus Robblee, both minors under the age of fourteen.

He married **Keturah (Catharine) Baker**, est 1755 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob), b. abt 1738 in ME? (daughter of **Francis Baker** [- 1765] and **Susannah Baker** [1711 - 1765]), d. 5 Dec 1835 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),² buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Catherine Haight's gravestone in New Haven tells us that she was the widow of Stephen Haight and the former wife of William Rublee (note spelling) of Lanesborough, MA, with whom she had twelve children. It states that she lived to see the fifth generation had more than 300 descendants (Evergreen Cemetery, New Haven, VT). She married Stephen Haight, and was presumably living in New Haven by 1806, when she joined the Congregational Church as Mrs. Katherine Hait (Records of New Haven Congregational Church).

The following is carved upon her gravestone: "The deceased was formerly married to William Rublee of Lanesborough, Mass, by whom she had 12 children. She lived to see the fifth generation and left at her death more than 300 descendants".

Children:

- + 2 i. Lucy² Rublee b. 21 Nov 1756.
- + 3 ii. Keturah (Catharine) Robblee b. 16 Mar 1759.
- + 4 iii. Rebecca Rublee b. 5 Aug 1761.
- + 5 iv. Susannah Rublee b. 11 May 1763.
- + 6 v. William Rubblee b. 24 Sep 1765.
- + 7 vi. Hiram A. Rublee b. 14 Dec 1767.
- + 8 vii. Mary "Polly" Rublee b. 20 Jul 1770.
- + 9 viii. Andrew Rublee, Capt. b. 5 Jul 1772.
- + 10 ix. Francis Rublee b. est 1773.
- + 11 x. Sarah Rublee b. 12 Nov 1777.
- + 12 xi. John Brush Rublee b. abt 1780.

- 13 xii. Erastus Rublee, b. bet 1778-1782 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁴ d. bef 10 Dec 1820? . Erastus Rublee was living in Lanesborough, MA in 1803 when he signed a quitclaim there, giving his brother William right to property.

On 18 Apr 1808, "Arastus" Rublee "now of Berkshire" bought one-quarter acre of land in Berkshire, VT from Nathan C. Johnson.

An Erastus Rublee lived in 1810 in Monkton, VT, as a single male between the age of 26 and 45. He does not appear in later census records in VT. He is listed in the general deed index for New Haven (Vol. 5, p. 220 and Vol. 6, p. 143) as Erastus Rubblee, but I could not find the actual deeds.

On 10 Dec 1820, Andrew, Francis, Hiram and John B. Rublee jointly executed a quitclaim to same land mentioned above to DeLafayette, William Harrison Nutting, Clementine Bolingbrook, and Grant Jackson Nutting of Berkshire. The record states that it was the same land that Erastus Rublee had purchased of Nathaniel Johnson. Had Erastus died by then? Or moved?

In 1820, there is an Erastus Rupell or Rubell living in Harrison, Cortland, NY. The oldest male is 18-25, so this does not appear to be this Erastus. I looked at the index for ALL of the men with the given name Erastus in the 1820 census, and did not find a likely Erastus. Nor can I find him in the 1850 census.

Generation Two

2. **Lucy² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 21 Nov 1756 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob),⁵ d. 13 May 1832 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT. Lucy (Robblee) Sprague joined the consolidated Congregational Church in New Haven, VT on 24 Oct 1801.

She married **Eseck Sprague**, est 1778 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob), b. 26 May 1756 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁷ (son of **Anthony Sprague** [1723 - 1772] and **Mercy** _____ [____ - 1774]), d. 4 Sep 1824 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT. In 1775, Eseck Sprague served as private on the Lexington Alarm and with the eight-month siege of Boston. In May and June of that year, he was a private in Capt. James Noble's Co. for about six weeks. In 1777, he was sergeant in the companies marching on alarms from Lanesborough, MA. In 1781, he was still in the service. Later, in 1788, he settled in New Haven, VT. His wife made the journey the following spring on horseback. She carried her six-week-old daughter, Lucy. According to an affidavit provided by son Calvin in support of his aunt Susannah Rublee Seymour's pension application, this journey occurred in March 1788.

Eseck was a farmer. He was a member of the Congregational Church in New Haven. The record of his will was destroyed in a fire at the Addison Co., VT probate court (Sprague, 1913, p. 213-4). However, notice of its filing was published in the 14 Sep 1824 edition of the Vermont Mirror (Vermont Genealogy, 1/2000, p. 39). Mr. Sprague died of cancer (Smith, H. P.)

Eseck first appears in the New Haven town records on 9 Mar 1789 when he was chosen as a surveyor of highways.

In 1800, the Spragues lived in New Haven. The household composition was 2 males 0-9; 3 males 16-25; 1 male 26-44; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 26-44. On this basis, I have added one more son to the family.

In 1913, the house Eseck built was still standing.

Children:

- 14 i. Anthony³ Sprague b. 9 Oct 1780 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁸ d. 14 Sep 1865 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.⁶ In May 1848, Anthony Sprague, aged 67, provided an affidavit in support of his aunt Susannah Rublee Seymour's pension application. He stated that he was born in Pittsfield, Berkshire Co., MA.

He married Rhoda Frisbee, est 1805, b. 1780 in Westport, Essex Co., NY?,⁹ d. 24 Mar 1850 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT. Rhoda (Frisbee) Sprague was from Westport, NY (Sprague, 1913, p. 301). Was she the daughter of Simeon Frisbee, who lived in Essex Co., NY in 1800? Or, was she the daughter of Jabez and Jerusha (_____) Frisbee? They had a daughter Rhoda, born about the right time. The Frisbees lived in Harwinton, CT. Their son Benjamin, b. 1795 Harwinton, CT, settled in Westport, NY. Rhoda's birth is not recorded Harwinton town records.

- 15 ii. Eseck Sprague, Col. b. 23 Jun 1782 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁸ d. 29 Jan 1863 in Constable, Franklin Co., NY.¹⁰ Eseck Sprague was a colonel during the War of 1812. He was well known in Vermont and northern New York (Sprague, 1913, p. 300).

Mrs. Laura H. Sprague was dismissed by letter to Burlington [VT] from the Congregational Church in New Haven, VT on 5 Jul 1846 and then to Stockholm, NY on 31 Oct 1851.

He married (1) Sophronia Huntington, 25 Dec 1808 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,^{9,11} b. 24 Mar 1788 in Mansfield, Windham Co., CT,¹¹ (daughter of Whitman Huntington and Susan Clark), d. 23 Jul 1811 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.

He married (2) Laura Hoyt, 11 Jan 1814 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁰ b. 1 Mar 1791 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹² (daughter of Ezra Hoyt [1770 - 1831] and Sarah Smith [1772 - 1798]), d. 16 Jan 1870 in Constable, Franklin Co., NY.^{9,13}

- 16 iii. Calvin Sprague b. 31 May 1784 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁸ d. 26 Jun 1861 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT. Rutland Weekly Herald--Sat. 21 Mar. 1807: "Married New Haven, Calvin Sprague, Miss Sophia Huntington, dau. of Abner, Esq., all of that place."

He married Sophia Huntington, Mar 1807 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁴ b. 17 Aug 1785 in Mansfield, Tolland Co., CT,¹⁵ (daughter of Abner Huntington and Abigail Leavens), d. 13

Dec 1857 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.

- 17 iv. Lucy Sprague b. 2 Mar 1788 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,¹⁶ d. 28 Jul 1865 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³

She married Adin Hall, M.D., 1811 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),¹⁶ b. 25 Sep 1786 in Middlebury, Addison Co., VT,¹⁶ (son of Richard Hall [1762 - 1843] and Alice Arnold [1762 - 1839]), d. 26 May 1850 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob), buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ The Sprague Genealogy indicates that the Halls removed to Franklin Co., NY (Sprague, 1913, p. 301). However, they were still living in Addison Co., VT in 1840. In 1850, Lucy was living in New Haven with her daughters Sophia and Julia. She was 62; Sophia was 28 and Julia was 22. Lucy continued to live in New Haven in 1860 as head of her own household. Sophia and Julia lived with her. There is a death record for Lucy in New Haven.

Lucy's oldest son Edward did remove to Burke, Franklin, NY; he was living there in 1860.

The following data is extracted from Sketches of Addison County, Vermont:

Hall, Erasmus D., New Haven, was born in the town of New Haven, Addison county, Vt., on October 18, 1817; is a physician studied medicine at the Castleton Medical College, and began practice at St. Albans in 1844. He settled in New Haven, Vt., in 1850, where he has been in active practice ever since. He was twice married. His first wife was Eveline Sprague, to whom he was married in 1845. They had three children born to them -- Francis, Genevieve, and Mary A. Eveline was a daughter of Anthony and Rhoda (Frisbie) Sprague. He was married the second time in 1866 to Marianne Landon, a daughter of Elisha H. and Charlotte (Hoyt) Landon. Mr. Hall was a son of Adin and Lucy (Sprague) Hall. His paternal grandfather, Richard Hall, was a native of Mansfield, Conn., who settled in New Haven Vt., in 1799. Adin Hall was born on September 25, 1786, and died on May 26, 1850. He studied medicine with Dr. Bass, of Middlebury, Vt., and practiced medicine in New Haven, Vt., for thirty-four years. He was a prominent physician of his day, and represented his town in the Legislature for three terms. His children were Edward (deceased), E. Darwin, Sophia, Julia.

- 18 v. Horace Sprague b. 29 Oct 1793 in Mansfield, Tolland Co., CT, d. 30 Dec 1871 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Horace Sprague occupied the family farm in New Haven (Smith, H. P., 1886, page 530).

Note that Zurviah's birth is recorded in the New Haven town records, but she was apparently not born there (see obituary below).

"MRS. Z. E. SPRAGUE. Zurviah Eldredge Sprague died at her old home in New Haven, Wednesday evening, the 25th ult. at the advanced age of nearly 92 years. Born in Mansfield, Conn., June 13, 1793, she came to New Haven with her parents when four years old. At that time the greater portion of the town was a wilderness and she lived to see it grow to be thriving village, and to mark the introduction of the railroad and the telegraph. September

26, 1816, she was married to Horace Sprague and moved to the old homestead, where she saw three generations succeed her. Of a large family, she alone survived. The friends and companions of her early youth and maidenhood had nearly all preceded her to the farther shore of the river she has at last unhesitatingly crossed herself. Her husband died in 1871 and of the nine children she bore him, two, an infant son and the late Walter Sprague of Vergennes had already gone before. Of the remaining seven, four are at present residing in the West and the other three Mrs. A. A. Farnsworth, Mrs. G. D. Hinman and Eseck Sprague are living in New Haven. She had been an earnest Christian and a member of the Congregational church in New Haven for forty-nine years. Although feeble in body, she retained her faculties in an unusual degree and her memory of events as far back as when she first came to New Haven was remarkably clear. She had set her house in order and in a beautiful old age, ministered to with tenderest solicitude by her children, was anxiously awaiting the coming of the messenger which should bear the spirit from the frail and worn tenement to the mansions prepared by the Saviour she had loved so long. Truly, it may be said of her that she was a "mother in Israel" and "her children rise up and call her blessed." (Middlebury Register (Middlebury, Vermont), 6 Mar 1885, Fri, page 5).

He married Zurviah Eldredge, est 1815, b. 14 Jun 1793 in Mansfield, Tolland Co., CT,^{16,15} (daughter of Lemuel Eldredge and Hannah Woodworth), d. 25 Feb 1885 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³

19 vi. Son Sprague b. est 1795.

+ 20 vii. Alvah Sprague, M. D. b. 3 Oct 1802.

3. **Keturah (Catharine)² Robblee** (William¹), b. 16 Mar 1759 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob),⁵ d. 6 Feb 1839 in Huston, Clearfield Co., PA,⁶ buried in Centre Church Cem., Lawrence, Clearfield, PA.

She married **Seth Hoyt**, 9 Feb 1779 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,¹⁷ b. abt 1759 in Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT,¹⁸ (son of **Ezra Hoyt** [- 1801] and **Sarah Seymour** [1740 - 1826]), d. 6 Jan 1831 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁷ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Seth Hoyt was one of the earliest settlers of New Haven, VT in 1787. (Child's Gazetteer, Addison Co.) Seth Hoyt was a soldier in the Revolution. He applied for a pension on August 21, 1819, from New Haven. His widow, Catherine, applied on February 6, 1839. She was then living with her son Gould Hoyt, in Clearfield County, PA, having moved there from New Haven in 1833. At that point, all of her children except Seth were living in Clearfield Co. (Genealogical Abstracts of Revolutionary War Pension Files). Notice of the filing of his will was published in the 24 Aug 1831 edition of the Vermont Mirror. His widow Katherine was mentioned as well (Vermont Genealogy, January 2000, p. 43).

Keturah Hoyt was among the members of the Congregational Church in New Haven, VT when it was formed from two separate Congregational Churches in 1800. Later in her life, she seems to have adopted the spelling "Catherine" for her given name. Catherine Hoyt was living in Ruston, Clearfield County, PA in 1833 (Fisher and Fisher, 1992, p. 276).

Raftsmen Journal Oct 20, 1845 "DIED - In Huston township, on the 2nd day of October, Catharine Hoyt, age 87 years. She was the widow of S. (Seth) M. Hoyt, dec'd, late of New Haven, Vt., a revolutionary soldier. She was a mother of the Revolution. She spread the cloth before the chieftains and champions of our

country's rights and liberty--and day after day, and week after week prepared the table for the soldiers of our republic while recruiting under Col. Barns, of Lanesborough, Mass., for the purpose of watching the motions and arresting the progress of Gen. Burgoyne, who was advancing from the north with an army which darkened the air, and spread terror and consternation thro the country. Her compensation, she informed me, for six weeks service, brought her just one paper of pins. She heard the roar of the cannon on the plains of Bennington, and watched, with eager eve, the approaching messenger flying from the battleground; and listened, with an anxious ear, to the tidings he bore from the field of danger. She saw the prisoners after the battle as they were marched through the country refreshed by the hospitality of 'Lanesborough folks,' and heard them exclaim 'Cot pless Gen. Washington and his people for their kindness to poor Hessians.' She married soon after the close of the war, and some years after moved to the State of Vermont, where she lived in the town of New Haven, till about ten years since, for the sake of her children, she came to live and die in this county. I might here commence a eulogy on her moral, religious, social and domestic virtues, but my readers would be likely to discover in it more of pride than gratitude--more of weakness than wisdom; let it suffice to say, that in all these relations, she has "acted well her part." She was long a member of the Presbyterian church in New Haven, but at last she renounced the dogmas of John Calvin and put her foot upon that mountain of error and superstition which has for ages cast a shadow over the Christian world more gloomy than Atheistic darkness. From above its murky atmosphere she discovered the utmost limits of Satan's kingdom, and aided by the clear light of Heaven, she saw and proclaimed a world's salvation. She died as she had lived for many years, a firm believer in the doctrine of "the final restitution of all things which has been spoken of by all the holy prophets since the world began."

She's gone! Weep not for her, if any Heaven there be, She must be there, and happier far than we-- Her fix'd abode, and our eternal home-- I see her now--she smiles and bids us come. Did all her goodness move the eternal mind-- Did all her love a Saviour's bosom warm! That if profane--we heed not what we say-- Compare a mountain to a grain of sand. Old neptune's waters to a drop of rain-- Then snatch old Satan from the Almighty's hand-- Proclaim his power--and fix his dread domain. G. R. Hoyt Oct. 20, 1845"

Additional Comments: Seth Hoyt Sr., 1753 or 1759 to 6 June 1831 buried in Vermont and Catharine Ruble Hoyt about 1760 to 2 Oct 1845 buried in Centre Church Cemetery, Lawrence Twp. Clearfield County, PA. They were the parents of nine known children; Sarah Betsy, Patty, Seth Jr, Gould R., William H. (a doctor), Aurelia, Orris, Sophia, Patty (the 2nd). In those days if a child died the name was sometimes used again for a later child, hence the two Patty names. The son Gould wrote the obituary. (This file has been created by a form at <http://www.genrecords.org/pafiles/>).

Children:

- 21 i. Sarah "Sally" Betsy³ Hoyt b. 24 Sep 1780 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,¹⁹ d. 29 Dec 1866 in Penfield, Clearfield Co., PA.²⁰ Sarah Hoyt did not marry (Hoyt, 1984, p. 511). In 1850 and 1860, Sally B. Hoyt lived with her sister Patty and Patty's husband Erasmus D. Patterson in Huston, PA.
- 22 ii. Patty Hoyt b. 13 Jul 1782 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,¹⁹ d. abt 1794 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA.²⁰
- + 23 iii. Seth Hoyt b. 4 Jul 1784.
- 24 iv. Gould R. Hoyt b. 6 Jan 1787 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,¹⁹ d. 30 Apr 1866 in Lake City, Wabash Co., MN,²⁰ buried in Gillford Cem., Oak Center, Wabash Co., MN.²¹ Gould Hoyt removed from New Haven, VT to Clearfield County, PA and from there to Minnesota. In

1865, he had nineteen grandchildren. He wrote parodies and poems that appeared in local newspapers (Hoyt, 1871, p. 511).

In 1830, Gould R. Hoyt lived in Fox, Clearfield Co., Pennsylvania. In 1850, Gould R. (age 63, b. VT) and Abigail A. (age 56, b. CT) Hoyt lived in Huston, Clearfield, PA with their children Minervy, Ezra and Henry.

In 1860, Gould R. (age 73, born in VT) and Abigail (age 69, born in CT) Hoyt lived in Newark, Rock Co., WI with son Otto W. Hoyt and family. Otto was 42, born in New York.

Gould and Abigail had the following children: Otto Gould Hoyt, born abt 1818 NY; Wilson Hoyt; Albert Jesse Hoyt; Sara Aurelia Hoyt; Patty Minerva Hoyt; Ezra Jennings Hoyt; Henry Seymour Hoyt and Catharine Amanda Hoyt.

In 1810, there were 3 Wilson heads of household in New Haven: James, John, and William.

"Penfield [PA] owes its name to Gould Hoyt, a settler in the area with good penmanship. When the area applied for a post office prior to 1854, he wrote several letters, several of which were in a poetical measure. The postal department approved the request and named the post office, Penfield, in honor of Hoyt's writing skills.

The Hoyt family dates back to the Revolutionary War. His mother, Catherine Ruble Hoyt was one of the county's two women patriots who helped feed and nurse Revolutionary War soldiers.

Hoyt was also a storekeeper in the 1870s. The building he used, eventually became Morelli General Store, which continued in use until demolished around 1995." (<http://duboishs.com/index.php/penfield/>).

He married Abigail A. Wilson, est 1808 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT?, b. 1794 in CT, d. aft 1860 in WI or MN (prob).

- 25 v. William Hoyt, M.D. b. 21 Jun 1789 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁹ d. 28 Oct 1872 in Hickory Kingdom, Clearfield Co., PA,²² buried in Hoyt Cem., Du Bois, Clearfield Co., PA.²³ At the time of his marriage, William Hoyt was living in Maria (sic), NY. He moved his family to Clearfield County, PA in 1820. He practiced medicine and taught school there. He later moved to Elk county, and taught school in Horton township. Then, he moved to Balltown and taught in what is now known as Brockport. From there, he moved to Hickory Kingdom, PA.

Rhobe Hoyt appears in the 1850, but not the 1860 census. If William married again, to a Maria, this cannot be confirmed by census reports. In 1860 and 1870, he was living in Houston. Daughters Sarah and Eliza were living with him.

"LIFE OF T C HOYT, IN HIS OWN WORDS JANUARY 26, 1925

I have been requested by my eldest son, Edson D. Hoyt, to write for him a short history of my life and Sunday School work. My education is deficient and my memory is gone, so I cannot give day and date, as I am past my eightieth year.

Chapter I - My Parentage.

My father, William H Hoyt, was born in Cheshire, MA, Nov 7, 1819. His father, Dr William Hoyt, and his mother, Ruby Mason Hoyt, moved to Clearfield town when my father was 6 months old. The town was small then, the whole township of Lawrence having but 447 souls. His parents moved from MA in an emigrant wagon drawn by a yoke of oxen, with a horse in the lead. His parents lived in Clearfield 2 yrs, then moved to Elk County near where Centerville now is, in a place called the Kersey settlement. They lived in Kersey about 10 yrs and then moved to a small settlement called Hickory Kingdom, so called because those who lived there at that time were very enthusiastic over the election of Andrew Jackson as president". (<http://homepages.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~greg/PRC/nti/nti09871.htm>)

"The Hoyts came originally from New England, Dr. William Hoyt, the grandfather, having been born in Vermont. He was married to Ruby Mason in Massachusetts and they came to Clearfield, Pa., in 1819. Here he practiced medicine and also taught school, moving later to Elk county, where he taught the Horton township schools, the first school of the township, and from there to Balltown and taught on the present site of Brockport, Pa. From Balltown he moved to Hickory and bought the improved farm of John I. Bundy, in Huston township, Clearfield county, later turning it over to his son, William H. Hoyt, and then bought another improved farm one and one-half miles southwest of this. He died in Huston township in 1872, aged eighty-four years. Dr. Hoyt was the father of the following children: Cornelia A., who married Benjamin Hulet; Sophia A., who married William F. Green; Sarah M., who married Jeremiah Hewett; and William H., Edgar M., Eliza Jane, Seth R. and Hiram M. Eliza Jane married Norman Write. Hiram M. Hoyt, father of Charles E., was born in Elk county, Pa., July 13, 1828". (Source: Twentieth Century History of Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, and Representative Citizens, by Roland D. Swoope, Jr., Chicago: Richmond-Arnold Publishing Company, 1911, pp. 611 & 612.)

He married (1) Rhoda Mason, 8 Sep 1811 in Cheshire, Berkshire Co., MA,²² b. 7 Jan 1792 in Cheshire, Berkshire Co., MA,²² (daughter of Hezekiah Mason and Sarah Wood), d. 1862 in Clearfield Co., PA,²³ buried in Hoyt Cem., Du Bois, Clearfield Co., PA.²³ Rhobe Mason was from Cheshire, MA (Hoyt, 1871, page 511). Her given name is variously recorded as Rhoda, Robe, Roby or Ruby. There is some disagreement about her date of birth (Davis, 1993, page 40).

He married (2) Maria _____, aft 1860? in Clearfield Co., PA?, d. 4 Jul 1873.²²

- 26 vi. Sophia Hoyt b. 25 Aug 1791,¹⁹ d. bef 1839. Sophia Hoyt was not mentioned in her mother's application for a pension in 1839.
- 27 vii. Orris Hoyt b. 21 May 1793 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁹ d. 18 Jul 1863 in Lawrence, Clearfield Co., PA,²⁰ buried in Centre Cem., Hyde, Clearfield Co., PA.²⁴ Orris Hoyt lived in Clearfield, PA. His son said of him, "He had been a true liberal for many years . . . and requested that no priestly ceremonies should be held at his funeral." (Hoyt, 1871, page 511).

He listed as one of the first settlers of Clearfield, Clearfield Co., in 1840. He was living there in 1860 with his wife Jane, children John and Maria, as well as Margaret Hoyt, age 73.

In 1840, Clearfield [PA] was established as a borough and the town began to flourish with churches, a railroad line, and manufacturing industries. The earliest settlers to Clearfield were Josiah W. Smith, Robert Collins, Ann Leathers, the Valentines, Andrew Bowers, Thomas Hemphill, Orris Hoyt, Ebenezer McGee, A. B. Reed. (Source: <http://www.clearfield-county.com/history.html>).

He married Jane Shirey, b. 24 Jul 1795 (cal) in Lawrence, Clearfield Co., PA (prob) (daughter of George Shirey), d. 29 Oct 1874 in Lawrence, Clearfield Co., PA (prob), buried in Centre Cem., Hyde, Clearfield Co., PA.²⁴

- 28 viii. Aurelia Hoyt b. 22 Nov 1795 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁹ d. 27 Apr 1853 in Huston, Clearfield Co., PA. "Died in Huston township, on the 27th instant, Mrs. Aurelia, consort of Mr. Freeman Lamb, in the fifty seventh year of her age." (Clearfield Republican, 28 Apr 1853).

She married Freeman Lamb, est 1813, b. 18 Nov 1792 in Randolph, Orange Co., VT,²⁵ (son of Nathan Lamb and Dorothy Slafter), d. 29 Feb 1884 in Gillford, Wabasha Co., MN,²⁶ buried in Gilford Cem., Oak Ctr., Wabasha Co., MN.²⁷ In 1830, the Lambs lived in New Haven, VT. In 1850, they lived in Houston, Clearfield, PA. Aurelia's sister Sally lived with them. In 1860, it appears that Aurelia had died. Freeman continued to live in Houston. In 1870 and 1880, Freeman lived with son Hoyt Lamb in Gillford, Wabasha, MN. In 1880, he was 87, born in Vermont. Nephew Ezra Hoyt was living nearby.

- 29 ix. Martha "Patty" Hoyt b. 21 Oct 1798 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁹ d. 1879 in Penfield, Clearfield Co., PA.

She married Erasmus Darwin Patterson, abt 1830 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT, b. 30 Jan 1806 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,²⁸ (son of Amazi Patterson and Eunice Edmunds), d. 2 Mar 1889 in Penfield, Clearfield Co., PA, buried in Penfield Cem., Penfield, Clearfield Co., PA. In 1850, Erasmus D. and Patty Patterson lived in Huston, Clearfield Co., PA. They continued to live in Huston. In 1880, Erasmus was a widower living with daughter Charlotte and husband George Brown in Huston.

"The first blacksmith shop [in Huston] was built in 1842 by E. D. Patterson, still living and over eighty years old." (History of Clearfield Co., PA, 1887, page 559)

"In Memoria. Erasmus Darwin Patterson was born at Barry [sic], Vermont, Jan. 30 1805. In 1830 he moved to New Haven, Vt. where he married Patty Hoyt. Three children were born to them, a son who died an infant; Maria, who died in 1882, and Charlotte, the wife of George W. Brown. In 1835, Mr. Patterson gathered together his family and his effects and started for the Keystone state via Rochester, N.Y. The journey made partly on runners and partly on wheels lasted for five weeks, when the immigrants landed at Little Kersey where Jeremiah Hewitt now lives. Afterwards they lived at what is known as Keystone. In 1838, Mr.

Patterson moved to Bennett's Branch living in the old log house, new torn down on the Rosenkrans farm. Three years after he built his own house which was burned a few years ago on the farm where he has since lived and where his wife died in 1879.

Penfield, now the metropolis of Bennett's Branch did not then exist. Gould Hoyt and Jesse Wilson lived on the site of the town, next Freeman Lamb, E.D. Patterson, Ward Bliss and Wm. B. Hewitt, in the order named of these. Mr. Hewitt is still with us ripe in years, venerable in appearance, a veritable patriarch among us. During the half century that followed, Father Patterson lived and labored here, working much of the time at his trade of blacksmith. Large and strong of body and of brain, with greater opportunity in early life he would have made his mark in some profession and probably the title of Judge, by which he was known because of long service as judge of election, would have been his in a larger sense.

Early in life, Mr. Patterson joined the Methodist church; afterwards he became less orthodox, but religious principle was ever dominant with him. And during the pastorate of Rev. E.M. Chilcoat, he again united with the church of his youth, and lived to the last a sincere and humble Christian.

For many years, the weakness inseparable from old age was upon him. Within the past few weeks at times his mind became confused and then regained its normal clearness. On the afternoon of March 2, 1889, complaining of pain, but declaring that he was ready for the summons to depart he sought his bed. A few hours afterward, his devoted daughter and his old friend Camilla Hulett being with him, he tried to rise, fell back, and life's weary wheels stood still. On Monday afternoon a great concourse gathered in the Methodist church, and Rev. L.M. Brady preached a strong and fitting sermon. Men of mature years then gently bore the lifeless clay to the hillside cemetery there to rest till the last trumpet shall awake all who sleep in death. As one who knew most intimately, and respected most thoroughly the departed patriarch, I lay this wreath upon his grave. Dear old friend, rest in peace. Life's battle was for thee long and strenuous but after the storm and stress has come to thee joy and peace eternal. Like a ripe sheaf, at Autumn's harvest home." (Saturday Sentinel (Penfield, Pa.) 9 Mar 1889)

Erasmus' grave is reportedly unmarked.

4. **Rebecca² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 5 Aug 1761 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob),⁵ d. bef 20 Dec 1809 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob).

She married **William Jeffords**, est 1782 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA?, b. 4 Mar 1765 in Dudley, Worcester Co., MA,²⁹ (son of **John Jeffords** and **Mary Sanger**), d. 8 Aug 1839 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), buried in MB, VM. William Jeffords appears in the New Haven town records on 4 Mar 1793 when he was chosen as Hayward. There are a couple of land transactions for him, including one in which he sold property to Morr and Rublee. He may have later settled in Jericho, VT. A William Jeffords was made freeman in Jericho in 1798. I cannot find other mention of him in the History of Jericho. I cannot find him living in Jericho in 1800. There are a number of people from Jericho who later settled in Berkshire.

In a deed conveyed by Andrew and Francis Rublee signed in 1799, Rebecca is referred to as Rebecca Jeffords. The History of Berkshire, Vermont contains a section on the Jeffords family. The contributor, Lillian Jeffords Gervais, states that William Jeffords married first, Sarah Rublee. I am reasonably well convinced that his first wife was actually Rebecca Rublee. William married second, Jemima Johnson, on 20 Dec 1807. He was born near Uxbridge, MA in 1765, according to his pension file. He is very likely the William Jeffords, son of John and Mary (Sanger) Jeffords, who was born 4 Mar 1765 in Dudley, Worcester, MA, adjacent to Uxford. Several of John and Mary's children seem to have ended up in Pittsfield, MA.

In 1790, a William Jeffords was living in Lanesborough, MA. The family consisted of 1 male under 16; 1 male over 16 and 1 female. No other Jeffords were in Lanesborough. I cannot locate him in the 1800 census, looking in Lanesborough, MA; New Haven, VT and Berkshire, VT - using just the given name William to search. There was a William Jefford [sic] in Salem, MA. It seems unlikely that this is the same William, as he seems to have been in Berkshire by that time.

On 8 Feb 1806, William Jeffords bought land in Berkshire from Allen Durham (Dorwin?) -- the whole of the first division of the right of William Goodrich. Hiram Rubblee was the witness.

In 1810, he lived in Berkshire, VT. In the home was 1 male under 10 (Stephen, age 4); 1 male 26-45 (William, age 45); 1 female under 10 (Polly, age 9); 3 females 10-16 (Sarah, age 15, Harriet, age 11 and 1 more); and 1 female 26-45 (Jemima). This does not account for William, age 13, or the unknown oldest son, who would have been at least 20. If he married Jemima Johnson in 1807, then most - probably all - of these children would be from a first marriage.

He does not appear as William Jeffords (or var) in the 1820 census for Berkshire. I looked at the actual images, to see if there as an indexing error, but could not find him.

In 1824, William Jeffords sent 3 scholars to School District #5, in Berkshire. In 1831, he sent two. In 1832, he sent one.

In 1830, he was living in Berkshire. In the home were 1 male 15-20 and 1 male 60-70; 1 female 15-20 and 1 female 50-60. Also in Berkshire was Stephen Jeffords. In the home were 1 male under 5; 1 male 20-30; 1 female 10-15 and 1 female 20-30

William Jeffords was a Revolutionary soldier who received a pension. Note that in spite of not being able to find him in the 1820 census, his pension application confirms that in 1820, he was resident of Berkshire. He states that he is infirm, as is Jemima. He has four children "with him", ages 14 (a son), 9, 7 and 5. In 1818, he was 54 years old. He enlisted at Uxbridge, MA. He died 8 Aug 1839, according to his pension file.

Children:

- 30 i. Son³ Jeffords b. bef 1790 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob).
- 31 ii. Sarah "Sally" Jeffords b. 6 Jun 1795 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob), d. 12 Nov 1841 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁰ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.³¹ Sarah was probably the daughter of William Jeffords of Berkshire, VT. If so, Asa and Sarah were second cousins. Both of their mothers were Rublees.

She married Asa Dorwin, 1 Jun 1815 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,^{30,32} b. 20 Jan 1792 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,³³ (son of Russell Dorwin [1764 - 1834] and Eurona Robblee [1763 -]), d. 25 Jun 1858 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁰ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.³¹ An Asa Dorwin appears in the records of the Swanton [VT] Baptist church. He is listed as dismissed. In 1820, 1830 and 1850, he lived in Enosburg, VT.

- 32 iii. William Jeffords, Jr. b. est 1797, d. aft 1827. In 1825, William Jeffords, Jr. had two scholars attending school in School District #6 in Berkshire, VT. In 1827, he had three. No Jeffords appear on the list in 1831. He may have died by 1830 - only 1 William Jeffords is listed in the 1830 census in Berkshire, which would be his father, and there does not seem to be another likely candidate in the 1830 census.

- 33 iv. Harriet Jeffords b. cal 29 Jan 1799 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 31 Oct 1859 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

She married Cephas Meeker, 9 Oct 1828 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1798 in CT, d. 5 Apr 1867 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

- 34 v. Mary "Polly" Jeffords b. 1 Oct 1801 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³⁴ d. 17 Feb 1870 in Eastman, Brome Co., QC?,³⁴ buried in Silver Valley Cem., Eastman, Brome Co., QC.³⁴ Mary is a tentative but likely daughter of William and Rebecca (Ruble) Jeffords.

She married Darius Dingman, bef 1831 in VT, b. 16 May 1800 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³⁴ (son of Rudolphus Dingman and Catrina Rouse), d. 19 Jul 1883 in Eastman, Brome Co., QC,^{34,35} buried in Silver Valley Cem., Eastman, Brome Co., QC.³⁴ In 1830 and 1840, Darius Dingmans lived in Enosburg, VT. By 1850, Darius and Polly lived in Berkshire, VT. Both were 50 years old and born in VT. Children in the home were Alvin (age 18); Niram (age 16); Orson (age 13); Julia (age 12); Albert (age 10); Carmi (age 8) and Milo Dingman (age 8).

"It is understood that Darius moved up into Quebec around 1860 with his sons Albert, Carmi, Nirum, Milo and Alvin from Enosburg Falls area of Vermont, but moved back and forth from there several times." from "Kathryn Alice Brown (nee Dingman) document per Garth Dingman's documents in Ruth & Ernest Smart's Books - Early Dingman Settlers in USA & Canada, Jan 2, 2004.2 (<http://www.treesbydan.com/p1058.htm#i28852>)

However, the Dingmans lived in Berkshire in 1860. Milo, Carmi, Albert and Juliette lived with them.

When Darius married for the second time in Berkshire, VT at the age of 80, he resided in Bolton, QC. His second wife Martha Forsaith was the widow of Dennis Sampson.

- + 35 vi. Stephen Jeffords b. 28 Oct 1806.

5. **Susannah² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 11 May 1763 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob),⁵ d. 17 Dec 1848 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Susannah Seymour's gravestone states that she moved to New Haven, VT from Lanesborough, MA in March of 1788.

She married **William Seymour**, 9 Oct 1781 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,³⁶ b. 18 Mar 1760 in Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT,³⁷ (son of **William Seymour** [1735 - 1821] and **Lydia St. John** [1737 - 1829]), d. 24 Sep 1845 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ William Seymour saw long service as a revolutionary soldier, between 1775 and 1780 and received a pension for his service. His wife Susannah applied for a pension in 1848. There are many affidavits included in the pension file, as there was some difficulty with the documentation of William and Susannah's marriage. One, from Calvin Sprague, names all of the ten children born to William and Susannah. Presumably, this is the Calvin Sprague who was Susannah's nephew. Seth Hoyt, in his 1820 affidavit, states that at the time he enlisted for service, William Seymour, born at Lanesboro, MA, was apprenticed to Seth's father [Ezra Hoyt]. Seth and William served together. It is not clear that Susannah ever did receive a pension; she died that same year.

According to their marriage record, William Seymour already lived in New Haven, VT when he married Susannah Robblee in Lanesborough, MA in 1781. William was one of the earliest settlers of New Haven.

It appears that William and his brother Belden owned land in Berkshire, VT early on, but may never have lived there. On 11 Jul 1798, William Seymour of New Haven and Belden Seymour of Vergennes sold 100 acres in Berkshire to William's brother-in-law Hiram Rublee of New Haven.

In 1810, it appears that there were two sons and three daughters in the home.

Children:

- 36 i. William Ira³ Seymour b. est 1782 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,³⁸ d. 4 Aug 1855 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.⁶ "Another hatter, and a more prosperous one, William I. Seymour, had a large business at his house on the south side of Pearl street, a little north and east of the First Congregational parsonage."

William Seymour left a will. He has a lengthy probate record at the Chittenden County Probate Court. In his will, he makes provision for his wife Fanny, and for her sister Abigail Field, and his daughter Harriet, the latter women both unmarried. Daughter Maria J. Randall and sons Martin and Charles were also unmarried at that time. He appointed his brother Charles of Burlington and his "only" cousin Edward Seymour of Vergennes his executors. Fanny Field Seymour also left a will. Her heirs were her sister Abigail Field and her daughter Harriet Seymour.

He married Fanny Field, 10 Sep 1810 in Bennington, Bennington Co., VT,^{39,32} b. 4 Aug 1787 in Bennington, Bennington Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of Jesse Field and Anna Dewey), d. 23 Jan 1859 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.⁶

- 37 ii. Lydia Seymour b. abt 1785 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob), d. 11 Mar 1873 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Barber Cem., Charlotte, Chittenden Co., VT.⁴¹ In 1850, Charles and Lydia lived in Burlington, VT. Lydia continued to live in Burlington after Charles died of consumption. They are buried in Charlotte in the same cemetery as Charles' parents. It does not appear that they had any children.

She married Charles Grant, est 1805, b. 15 Nov 1784 in Litchfield, Litchfield Co., CT,⁴² (son of Charles Grant and Dinah Beach), d. 1 Aug 1859 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Barber Cem., Charlotte, Chittenden Co., VT.⁴¹

- 38 iii. Henry Seymour b. 23 Mar 1787 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob),⁴³ d. 27 Mar 1865 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴³

In 1850, Henry Seymour lived in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT. He was 63, born in MA. Also in the home was Louisa, age 60, born in MA, Henry E., age 33; Horatio P., age 28; both born in VT; Jane and Catherine Spalding, ages 30 and 28, born in Ireland and John L. Royer, age 17, born in NY. Henry Sr. was a farmer; Henry Jr. was a lawyer; Horatio and John Royer were merchants.

In 1860, Henry Seymour lived in St. Albans. He was 72 years old, born in MA. Living with him were Laura, age 70, born in MA (same as Louisa, above?) , H. P Seymour, age 37 and William J. Wright, age 16, both born in MA.

He married (1) Eliza Fuller, b. 1795, d. 3 Nov 1827 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴

He married (2) Louisa _____, bef 1850, b. abt 1790 in MA.

- 39 iv. Hiram Seymour b. abt 1789, d. 19 Apr 1879 in Montréal, QC, Canada,³⁵ buried in Mount Royal Cem., Montréal, Montréal Region, QC.⁴⁵ "The north part [of a house in Middlebury, VT] was built by Hiram Seymour, a hatter from Canada, who resided here during the last British war [War of 1812]. (History of the Town of Middlebury: In the Country of Addison, Vermont, by Samuel Swift)

In 1825, Hiram lived in St. Armand, Missisquoi Co., QC. There were 13 people in the household. Hiram's brother John could have been a member of the household. He would have been about 23 at that time.

Males:

1 under 6

3 ages 6-14

2 ages 14-18

2 age 18-25 single

1 age 25-15 married

Females:

3 under 14

2 ages 14-45, single

1 age 14-45, married

Hiram and his brother Charles Seymour has a hatters business in St. Armand. They announced in 1837 that they would be closing their business. Presumably this is when Hiram moved to Montréal. There, he was a hatter and furrier until at least 1845.

By 1842, "Hyrum" lived in Montreal, where he was a hatter. There were 8 people in the household.

Hiram died at age 90.

He married Tamar Murray, b. 4 Aug 1791 in Claremont, Sullivan Co., NH,⁴⁵ (daughter of Beriah Murray and Mary Meeker), d. 9 May 1871 in Montréal, QC, Canada,³⁵ buried in Mount Royal Cem., Montréal, Montréal Region, QC.⁴⁵ Tamar's parents died in Williston, VT.

- 40 v. Laura Seymour b. abt 1791 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT, d. 4 Jun 1864 in Pittsfield, Pike Co., IL.⁴⁶

She married Harvey Hoyt, May 1811 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT, b. 21 Aug 1787 in Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT,¹⁵ (son of Jonathan Hoyt [1750 - 1835] and Hannah Abbot [1748 - 1835]), d. bef 1850 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob). Harvey and Laura Hoyt joined the Congregational Church in New Haven, VT on 7 Nov 1824, by letter. I am unable to find them after that. I cannot confirm that Laura died in Illinois.

I wonder if Harvey's name was really James Harvey Hoyt, like his son. A James H. Hoyt lived in New Haven in 1830, which could be this family. If so, they likely had a daughter not yet identified:

Males - Under 5: 1
Males - 10 thru 14: 2
Males - 20 thru 29: 1
Males - 40 thru 49: 1
Females - 10 thru 14: 1
Females - 30 thru 39: 1
Total Free White Persons: 7

In 1840, a Harvey Hoyt lived in New Haven, VT.

Males - Under 5: 1
Males - 10 thru 14: 1
Males - 30 thru 39: 1
Females - Under 5: 1
Females - 5 thru 9: 1
Females - 20 thru 29: 2
Females - 50 thru 59: 1
Total Free White Persons: 8

In 1850, Laura Hoyt, age 62, lived in the household of "Carlos G. Hoyt" and Mary Hoyt in New Haven. This is almost certainly son Charles G., as the names of his children are unusual. Possibly, this is the Laura Sprague, age 68, born in VT, who lived alone in New Haven in 1860. This would yield a year of birth of 1792. By 1860, son Charles/Carlos lived in Martinsburg, Pike Co., IL. Laura did not live with them.

- 41 vi. Anna L. Seymour b. 11 May 1794 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁴⁷ d. 30 Jan 1868 in Middlebury, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.⁴⁷ Anna is a tentative daughter of William and Susannah. In 1850, Harvey and Anna, both 56, lived in Middlebury, VT. Anna was born in VT and Henry in CT. Also in the home were Hannah Goodrich, age 78, born in CT, Susan, age 16, born in VT and a laborer William Riley, age 26, born in Canada. Her death records gives her name as Anna S. Goodrich, and indicates that she was born in New Haven.

She married Harvey Goodrich, est 1814, b. 7 Feb 1794 in Ellington, Tolland Co., CT,⁴⁷ (son of William Goodrich and Hannah Gifford), d. 13 Jan 1880 in Middlebury, Addison Co., VT,⁴⁷ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.⁴⁷

- 42 vii. Charles A. Seymour b. 26 Jul 1796 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁴⁸ d. 17 Sep 1883 in Williston, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Cem., Williston, Chittenden Co., VT.⁴⁹ "Williston. Mr. Charles A. Seymour was borne from his earthly home to his final rest on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 20th. He carried with him the sincere respect of his friends, fellow townsmen and all who knew him, as a warm friend, an upright citizen and a devoted Christian man. Mr. Seymour was born in New Haven, July 26, 1796 and was one of a family of ten children, two of whom survive, Mrs. Winter Holley of Bristol and Mrs. A. B. Murray of Burlington. He was a resident of Burlington from the Spring of 1838 to the Spring of 1858, when he removed to Williston, where he fell asleep Sept. 17th at the advanced age of 87 years. He leaves behind him the companion of his long life, a widow now 82 years of age, a son, W. L. Seymour of Williston, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. C. L. Robinson of Jacksonville, Fla." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 26 Sep 1883, Wed, page 3).

He married Amanda Yale, 11 Nov 1823 in Charlotte, Chittenden Co., VT,³² b. abt 1802 in Charlotte, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of Lyman Yale and Martha Foot), d. 8 Sep 1887 in Williston, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Cem., Williston, Chittenden Co., VT.⁴⁹

- 43 viii. Mary Seymour b. abt 1800 in Middlebury, Addison Co., VT,⁶ d. 13 Mar 1886 in Bristol, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., Bristol, Addison Co., VT.⁵⁰

She married Winter Hewitt Holley, 26 Oct 1820, b. 15 Jun 1798 in Bristol, Addison Co., VT,⁵¹ (son of Robert Holley and Hannah Hewitt), d. 10 Jun 1877 in Bristol, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., Bristol, Addison Co., VT.⁵⁰ "Holley, Winter H. (deceased), Bristol, was born in Bristol, Vt., June 15, 1798, and died June 10, 1877, after a long, useful, and busy life. He was a son of Colonel Robert and Hannah (Hewitt) Holley. His father was one of the early settlers of Bristol, a distinguished Revolutionary soldier, a prominent man both in the town and county, and the first representative from Bristol to the General Assembly of the State.

Winter H. was married October 26, 1820, to Mary Seymour, a daughter of William and Susan (Rubilee) Seymour, of New Haven, Vt. She died March 14, 1886, having survived her husband nearly nine years. She was a woman of character, a model wife and mother, between whom and her husband there was perfect harmony, true affection, and confidence, she nobly seconding all his efforts in business, and to whom, in no small degree, he was indebted for his success. Winter H. Holley was an active business man, and prominent in all the affairs of his town. While a modest man, and in no sense an office seeker, he held the usual town offices, and also represented his town in the General Assembly of the State. He also held the office of director of the bank at Vergennes for more than forty years, and was vice-president of the same for several of the last years of his life. Four children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Holley -- George S., who died in infancy; Horatio S., who died April 15, 1863, aged thirty-three years; Mary Ann, the wife of Oren Moses, of Malone, N. Y., and Cornelia H., now the widow of Colonel Oliver Smith, who devoted the greater part of her life to the assistance and care of her father and mother. She is now the sole survivor of the family at Bristol, and occupies the old homestead". (Smith's History of Addison County, Appendix on Brief Personals, page xxviii).

- 44 ix. John Brush Seymour b. cal 27 Jun 1802 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob), d. 8 Jun 1875 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT, buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.³⁹ When they married in 1836, John Brush "Seymore" was a merchant living in St. John, QC and Eliza Catherine Reynolds was a spinster living in St. Armand, QC. In 1842, John "Seymore" lived in St. Armand. In 1851, John and Eliza Seymour lived in St. Armand their two children.

"It is with sorrow we announce the death on Tuesday afternoon of Mr. John B. Seymour. He was long a resident of the Eastern townships, but removed to this city [Burlington, VT] some ten years since. He was a brother of the late Wm. L Seymour and was a sagacious business man, universally respected by all who know him. He leaves a widow and two children, Ben. R. of the firm of Van Sicklin, Walker & Co. and Mrs. Charles Seymour of La Crosse, Wisconsin." (Burlington Daily Sentinel (Burlington, Vermont) 9 Jun 1875).

He married Eliza Catherine Reynolds, 14 Jan 1836 in Shefford, Shefford Co., QC,³⁵ b. 13 Oct 1813 in QC, Canada (daughter of Benjamin Reynolds), d. 22 Apr 1898, buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.³⁹ Dunham Methodist Church Records 1845-1879

REYNOLDS Baptism (and wife of J. B. Seymour)

Eliza Catherine, daughter of Benjamin Reynolds, farmer of the East Parish and of Mary, his wife, was born on the thirteenth of October in the year of

Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, and was baptized on the eleventh day of May in the year eighteen hundred and sixty one, by me, John Tomkins, Wesleyan Minister.

Witnesses: Mary Reynolds J. B. Seymour.

- 45 x. Susan M. Seymour b. abt Dec 1811 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob), d. aft 1848. Susan's cousin Lucy Hall stated in her May 1848 affidavit in support of Susannah Rublee Seymour's pension application that Susan was the youngest child of William and Susannah, and that she had turned 37 the previous December.

6. **William² Rubblee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 24 Sep 1765 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob),⁵ d. 18 Feb 1808 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,² buried in Center Cem., Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA.⁵² William Rubblee probably lived most of the time in Lanesborough, MA. He was admitted to the Congregational Church there on 18 July 1779 (Lanesborough Congregational Church Records, Cooke Collection, Volume 19, Berkshire Athenaeum). The births of his children are recorded in the Lanesborough Town Records, although all on one page, so it is not certain that they were all born there. His son Rolli Rublee's gravestone indicates that he (Rolli) was born in 1793 in New Haven, Vermont. This is possible, as a William Rubblee owned property in New Haven. William and Hiram Rubblee, both of New Haven, bought land there on 12 Oct 1789. William, of New Haven, sold land on 21 Feb 1795. However, when Andrew Robblee bought land from William Robblee on 16 Feb 1797, both were residents of Lanesborough.

Beginning in 1797, William paid his brothers to sign quitclaims, giving up the right left jointly to them by their father in 1792. He paid Andrew on 15 Feb 1797, Francis on 12 April 1798, John Brush and Erastus on 25 October 1800. All of these deeds refer to William and each of his brothers as "of Lanesborough".

A William Rublee was living in Lanesborough in 1790, but this was almost certainly William Sr., who died in 1792. William Jr. was perhaps living with his father, or a brother in New Haven, VT. By 1800, William Rublee appears in the census in Lanesborough. The family configuration was 1 male 26-45 (William, age 35); 1 male 16-25 (Erastus??, age 21); 3 males under 10 (Rolli, William and Homer); 1 female 26-45 (Lydia); 1 female (16-26 (??); and 1 female under 10 (Polly).

William Rubblee's will was probated in Pittsfield Co., MA on 5 May 1808. His widow Lydia was administrator. At the time of his death, he owned one divided half of sixteen acres in Lanesborough (part of Lot #29 of the 2nd division). His home farm was 64 acres, and included a house, barn and cider mill. In addition, he owned another small home on the "highway". Lydia Rubblee was appointed guardian of their children William, Homer Phelps, Lucy and Sally. Asahel Smith, of Lanesborough, was appointed guardian of Rolli Rubblee. When the estate was settled, land was distributed to Lydia, their children, and to Francis Rublee (presumably the Francis who was William's brother).

Headstone inscription: Friends and Physicians could not save this mortal body from the grave nor can the grave confine it here. When Jesus calls it must appear.

Perhaps Lydia's surname was Phelps, given son Homer's middle name?

He married **Lydia P. _____**, est 1792 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob), b. abt 1775,² d. 4 Jan 1843 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,^{2,53} buried in Center Cem., Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA.⁵²

Children:

- + 46 i. Rollin "Rolli"³ Rublee b. 15 Jul 1793.
- 47 ii. Polly Rubblee b. 6 Jun 1795 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT?,⁵ d. 12 Jun 1807 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,² buried in Center Cem., Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA.⁵²
- 48 iii. William Rubblee b. 30 Sep 1797 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA?,⁵ d. 10 May 1840 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,² buried in Center Cem., Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA.⁵² "A man named William Rublee, of Lanesborough, was found dead in the woods,

about a mile north east of this village, on Tuesday morning, with an empty bottle near him, and one cent in his pocket. He is supposed to have died on Saturday night. Verdict of the coroner's inquest: Death from intemperance and exposure." The Pittsfield Sun.; Date: 1840-05-14; Vol: XL; Iss: 2069; Page: [3];.

- + 49 iv. Homer Phelps Rubblee b. 26 Sep 1799.
- + 50 v. Lucy Rubblee b. 28 Nov 1803.
- + 51 vi. Sarah "Sally" Rubblee b. 8 Mar 1806.

7. **Hiram A.² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 14 Dec 1767 in Dutchess Co., NY (prob),⁵ d. 25 Nov 1835 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Hiram Rublee owned property in New Haven, VT in 1788. In 1788, he bought property with William Robblee; both are described as "of New Haven." This is presumably his brother William, although it could have been his father. He was living in New Haven at the time of the 1790 census, taken in Vermont in 1791. At that time, it appears that just Hiram and Rhoda were in the household.

Hiram was appointed hayward in New Haven on 3 Mar 1791. He began selling off property in New Haven in 1792 and 1795.

On 11 Jul 1798, he bought 100 acres in Berkshire from his brother-in-law William Seymour of New Haven and William's brother Belden Seymour of Vergennes. The parcel was part of the original right of Hezekiah Talcott. At that time Hiram was "of New Haven".

He first appears in the census in Berkshire, VT in 1800. At that time, there were two males and two females under the age of 10 in the home. The males were Luman and Norman. The females were Laura -- and another unidentified daughter? Interestingly, the census configuration does not account for the mysterious Alvin and Francis, who are mentioned in the Moore genealogy as sons. There was also a male 16-25. Possibly a brother to Hiram or Rhoda? Erastus?

His home is referred to in a deed in 1801. In 1802, town records indicate he paid for town services. On 21 Mar 1804, three scholars are attributed to Hiram Rublee in the North Middle School District. He was chosen selectman in 1807.

On 7 July 1809, "Hirum" Rublee advertised in the Middlebury Mercury concerning a horse that broke into his enclosure. Hiram said that the horse "knows more bad tricks than good ones". He requests that the owner pay charges and take her away.

In 1810, Hiram's family included 3 males under 10 (Hiram, Calvin and an unknown other); 1 males 10-16 (Norman, age 14), and 3 females under 10 (Laura, Almira and Jerusha). Had Luman already gone off to Montpelier to apprentice? Rhoda died later that year.

Hiram Rublee appears on an 1825 list of those who had scholars in School District #4 in Berkshire on 29 Mar 1825. He had 4 scholars over 4 and under 18. In 1827, he had 3 scholars. In 1831, he had 3. In 1832, he had 5.

At the time of the 1820 census, the family consisted of, besides Hiram and Fanny, 1 male under 10, 2 between 16 and 18 and one 26-45. Also, 1 female under 10; 1 female 10-16 and 1 female 16-26.

"Deacon Hiram Rublee, in every sense and excellent man, established himself as a farmer on the main north and south road, about three-fourths of a mile north of the present Berkshire Centre, where he continued to reside till his death." (Hemenway, Vol. 2, p. 111).

The following is a transcript of Hiram Rublee's will, on file at the Franklin County Probate Court in St. Albans, VT.

"In the name of God, Amen - I Hiram Rublee of Berkshire in the county of Franklin & State of Vermont being weak in body but sound and perfect in mind & memory do make and publish by last will & Testament - in manner of all owing - viz. It is my will that all my just debts & charges of my funeral be paid and discharged by my Executrix - herein after named and appointed - out of my estate as soon as may be after my decease - I give & dispose of all of my estate real & personal (save what shall be necessary for the payment of my just debts and funeral charges in the following manner:

I give to my son Luman Rublee one dollar. I give to my son Norman Rublee one dollar. I give to my daughter Almira Hall one dollar. I give to my daughter Laura Davis one dollar. I give to my son Alvah Rublee one dollar. I give to my son Hiram B. Rublee one dollar. I give to my daughter Jerusha Monroe one dollar. I give to my son William S. Rublee one dollar. I give to my daughter Jane Rublee one dollar. I give to my daughter Rhoda Rublee one dollar. I give to my daughter Abby Janette Rublee one dollar.

The rest residue and remainder of my estate both real & personal not herein disposed of I give & grant to my beloved wife Fanny Rublee and her heirs and assigns forever. I hereby appoint my beloved wife Fanny Rublee sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament - herein revoking all former Wills by me made. In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal & publish and declare this to be my last will & testament - this Tenth day of November A. D. 1835.

Signed Sealed published and declared by said Hiram Rublee as his last will and testament in the presence of us who have here unto subscribed our names as witnesses thereof at the request and in the presence of the said Testator and in the presence of each other."

Witnesses: Cromwell Bowen, Harvey Clark and Alonzo Rublee

The names of sons Alvin and Francis do not appear in his will, written in 1835. The only mention of these sons is in the 1903 Moore Genealogy. In carefully studying the census entries for Hiram Rublee between 1800 and 1830, it does not appear to me that these children are accounted for. I am inclined to think that they did not exist.

He married (1) **Rhoda Moore**, bef 1791 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT?, b. 29 Oct 1773 in Norfolk, Litchfield Co., CT,⁵⁴ (daughter of **Andrew Moore, Lt.** [1743 - 1776] and **Thanks Phelps** [1742 - 1823]), d. 7 Dec 1810 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),² buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- + 52 i. Luman³ Rublee b. 28 Aug 1793.
- + 53 ii. Norman Rublee, Dea. b. abt 1796.

- 54 iii. Alvin Rublee b. est 1797 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob), d. bef 1835? . The Moore Genealogy (1903, page 64) states that Hiram and Rhoda (Moore) Rublee had a son Alvin, who removed to New York state (Moore, 1903, page 64). His father's will of 1835 does not mention him. Although I am skeptical that he existed, I am leaving him here for now, as a placeholder.

There is mention of an Alvin Rublee in the History of Sheboygan County, WI:

"The only people in the county, in the early part of 1840, were James Farnsworth, and family, within the limits of the present city of Sheboygan, which contained eight or ten unoccupied houses, built during the land speculation of 1836-37. John Johnson and family lived near the present cemetery. Two miles up the river, at the saw-mill built by William Farnsworth, there lived Alvin (sic) Rublee, Adonikan Farrow and William Ashby." History of Sheboygan County (WI) (Rootsweb Freepages)

The same history mentions the arrival of Alvah Rublee and family two years later, in 1842. On the other hand, another part of the history suggests that Alvah did arrive in 1839-40. So perhaps this reference is to Alvah after all?

- + 55 iv. Almira Rublee b. 26 May 1798.
- + 56 v. Laura Rublee b. 18 Jul 1799.
- + 57 vi. Alvah Rublee b. 23 Feb 1802.
- + 58 vii. Hiram Belden Rublee b. 17 Mar 1804.
- 59 viii. Calvin Rublee b. 23 Apr 1806 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁶ d. 2 Jul 1811 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.
- 60 ix. Francis Rublee b. est 1808 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob). Francis is another son of Hiram and Rhoda Rublee who is mentioned only in the Moore genealogy of 1903. There is no Francis Rublee mentioned in Hiram Rublee's will dated in 1835. There is a Francis M. Rublee who settled in Wisconsin who may be this Francis Rublee. He was a teacher in Sheboygan Co., in the early days of settlement in 1839, around the same time as Alvah Rublee settled there. However, was this actually Francis, son of Hiram's brother Francis? I suspect that Hiram and Rhoda did not have a son Francis, but I am leaving him here as a placeholder in case further information should turn up.
- + 61 x. Jerusha Rublee b. 14 Apr 1810.

He married (2) **Fanny Richardson**, 12 Jun 1812 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1786 in VT (prob),⁶ (daughter of **William Richardson** [1745 -] and **Elizabeth Pool** [1746 - 1836]), d. 23 Feb 1862 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ At the time of the 1860 federal census, Fanny Rublee was described as a widow lady , age 67, living with Henry and Celia Ladd and family in Berkshire, VT. In both the 1850 and 1860 census, her state of birth is given as VT. In the 1880 census, son William S. Rublee gives his mother's state of birth as VT. Daughters Jane and Abbie say the same (although both say their father was also born in VT, which is incorrect.

Children:

- + 62 xi. William Seymour Rublee b. 17 Aug 1815.
- 63 xii. Fanny Faustina Rublee b. 2 Oct 1817 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁷ d. 25 Mar 1827 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.

- + 64 xiii. Jane Rublee b. 5 Feb 1821.
- + 65 xiv. Rhoda R. Rublee b. 22 Sep 1823.
- + 66 xv. Abby "Janette" Rublee b. 1 Oct 1826.

8. **Mary "Polly"² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 20 Jul 1770 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁵ d. 15 May 1795 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,² buried in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA. Mary Rublee was single at the time of her father's death in 1792. I have found no further definite record of her. She is probably the Polly Rublee who died in her 25th year in Lanesborough on 15 May 1795. That Polly is buried in proximity to William Robblee. There is also a gravestone for Norman Rublee, son of Polly Rublee, who died 21 Mar 1792. I speculate that Mary/Polly had a son out of wedlock.

Children:

- 67 i. Norman³ Robblee b. cal 11 Sep 1791, d. 21 Mar 1792, buried in Center Cem., Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA.
9. **Andrew² Rublee, Capt.** (William¹ Robblee), b. 5 Jul 1772 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁵ d. 31 Mar 1848 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC (prob),² buried in Congr. Church, Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC. Andrew Rublee does not appear in the 1790 census for Vermont, taken in 1791. Son Hiram's place of birth in 1796 is given as Massachusetts, confirming that he was still living in Lanesborough at that time.

Andrew Rublee signed a quitclaim to his brother William in 1797. He was then a resident of Lanesborough. By January 1799, he was in New Haven, VT. He was counted there at the time of the 1800 census. At that time, he had three sons under 10 (Dan, Hiram and Milton) and a daughter under 10 (Polly). Both he and his wife were 26-45.

By 1802, he was in Berkshire, VT, as he appeared on the grand list for that year. He was chosen juror on 20 Nov 1802 and selectman on 1 Mar 1804. On 21 Sep 1807, he bought the whole of the first division right of Israel Dewey, from Asa Bulkley.

"Capt. Andrew Rublee made for himself a farm on Pike River; the same which was afterwards known as the Chaffee farm, and is ranked among the most convenient, productive and valuable in Berkshire. The Captain moved to Canada many years ago, and is now dead." (Vermont Historical Gazetteer, Vol., II by Abbe Maria Hemenway, 1871)

In 1810, he lived in Berkshire. Children in the home were 2 males under 10 (Dan and Hiram) and 2 males 10-16 (Milton, actually age 11 and Alfred). Also, 4 females under 10 (Polly, Betsy, Minerva and who?).

Andrew, who was known as Capt. Andrew, served in the War of 1812, as a second lieutenant in Capt. James Taylor's Company, 30th Regt. (State of VT Roster of Soldiers in the War of 1812.) He enlisted in July 1813 and was stationed in Sheldon and Berkshire, VT. He was discharged on 18 Sep 1813.

In 1819, Andrew appears on a list of voters in Berkshire; in 1820 he does not appear. According to the US census, he continued to live in Berkshire in 1820. In the household were 1 male under 10 (Andrew A.); 1 male 10-16 (Alfred, age 16-17) and 1 female under 10 (who? - and where were the rest of his daughters?).

Andrew Rublee appears on an 1825 list of those who had scholars in School District #7 in Berkshire on 29 Mar 1825. He had 2 scholars over 4 and under 18. In 1827, he had 1. In 1831 he had 1, as he did in 1832.

1830 is the last census he is counted in Berkshire. Andrew was then between 50 and 60. Sally had recently died. Also in the home were a male 15-20 (Andrew A.); a male 20-30 and a female 20-30.

Andrew married again in 1833, in Abbotsford, QC: "On the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty three Andrew Rublee of the township of Berkshire in the state of Vermont farmer widower and Sally Fifield widow of Abbotsford were married by Banns in the presence of the subscribing witnesses below. Thomas Johnson, Missionary. Signatures: Andrew Rublee, Sally Fifield, Thomas Evans, John Eaton".

Andrew moved to Quebec sometime after he married Sally. In 1830, his three eldest sons were already married. Polly was 29. Alfred had already died. Betsy was 26; Minerva was about 23 and Andrew Ajax was only 11. Andrew Ajax married in Granby in 1845. Polly died in Abbotsford in 1847 and the senior Andrew in 1848. In 1851, Andrew Ajax and family were living in Abbotsford; Minerva was living with them. Presumably Andrew and all of his youngest children moved to Quebec together. What became of Betsy is unknown. Certainly she may have already married, and stayed in the Berkshire area.

On 11 Jun 1836, he quitclaim land in Berkshire to Jasper Chaffee, a first division lot on the original right of Joseph Marsh. He was then of "Lower Canada".

Charles Rublee of Sherbrooke, QC said that his father talked little about Capt. Andrew; he thought it possible he had never seen him. He related that his great grandfather, Capt. Andrew fought in the War of 1812 at the Battle of Plattsburg, with others turning back a British force attempting to invade the United States by following an old Indian path from the Richelieu River in Quebec, south to Lake Champlain. Charles' grandfather, Milton Rublee, who was then about fourteen years of age, remembers hearing cannon fire from his home in W. Berkshire, VT. The concussion from the gunfire set up a vibration in the empty hogshead sitting in the yard, producing a ringing sound they could hear by placing their ear on the bunghole (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

Sarah was probably the sister of Andrew Barton, who settled in Enosburg, VT early, coming there from Charlotte, VT. Andrew was the son of Caleb and Margaret (Congdon) Barton, who lived in Lanesboro, MA. Caleb was a Revolutionary soldier from Lanesboro. His children were Andrew, Jeremiah, Joseph, Betty, Sally and Lucy. Andrew married second Susan Baker (daughter of Bethuel?) and they had nine children, including E. B. and Caleb W.

Sally's death record is not in the Vermont Vital Records Index, nor have I been able to find her gravestone. My only source is a newspaper item. Vermont Chronicle, (Bellows Falls, VT) Friday, April 16, 1830; pg. 63; Issue 16; col E: "Deaths. In Berkshire, Mrs. Sally Rublee, 51."

He married (1) **Sarah "Sally" Barton**, est 1793 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA?, b. abt 1779 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA?,⁵⁸ (daughter of **Caleb Barton** [1749 - 1833] and **Margaret Congdon** [1748 - 1813]), d. 20 Mar 1830 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.^{58,59}

Children:

- + 68 i. Dan³ Rublee b. 30 Mar 1794.
- + 69 ii. Hiram Addison Rublee b. 27 Jun 1796.
- + 70 iii. Milton Rublee b. 4 Oct 1799.
- 71 iv. Polly Rublee b. 2 Feb 1801 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁰ d. 19 Jan 1847 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC (prob), buried in Congr. Church, Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC.
- 72 v. Alfred Rublee b. 8 Jan 1803 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶¹ d. 25 Jun 1823 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. His name is spelled Alford on his gravestone.
- 73 vi. Betsy Rublee b. 6 May 1804 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁶¹ I have not found further information about Betsy besides her birth record. If she married, it would seem she would have done so long before her mother died in 1830 and her father moved to Quebec between 1832 and 1836. However, it is certainly possible that she also removed across the border.

Possibilities in the 1850 census in Franklin Co, VT:

- (1) Betsy Dingman, age 47, born VT, living in Berkshire with Henry Dingman, age 19 and Frederick Dingman, age 45 --apparently Betsy Cook.
- (2) Betsy Leach, Berkshire, age 44, apparent wife of Nathaniel Leach, also 44, born in Ireland
- (3) Betsy Richardson, age 46, Highgate, living in household of Jerry and Phebe Welch, both age 22. Schyler Richardson, age 26, was also in the home
- (4) Betsy Dwyre, age 44, Montgomery, apparent wife of John Dwyre.

Quebec 1851 census:

Betsy Stow, born 1804 in Vermont.

- 74 vii. Minerva Rublee b. abt 1809 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT, d. 21 Jan 1873 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC,³⁵ buried in Union Cem., Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC.³⁵ Minerva did not marry. At the time of the 1851 Canadian census, she lived with her brother A. A. Rublee and family in Abbotsford, QC. She was 43 years old, which places her year of birth about 1807. She continued to live with Andrew and family in Abbotsford in 1861 and 1871. She died in Abbotsford in 1873. Her death record indicates she was 64 years of age.
- + 75 viii. Andrew "Ajax" Rublee b. 8 May 1819.

He married (2) **Sally Fifield**, 1 Jan 1833 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC.³⁵ Was Sally the widow of Cotton Fisk, who died 14 Apr 1826 when a tree fell on him? If so, she died 8 Feb 1852 in Abbotsford. Her death record refers to her as Sally Fifield, widow of the late Cotton Fisk during his lifetime, of Abbotsford, farmer. No mention is made of Andrew Rublee.

On 28 Jun 1848, Sally Fifield, widow of the late Andrew Rublee, filed a "renunciation", the fact of which is recorded in the Quebec Notarial Records.

Cotton Fisk was born 8 Aug 1779 in Epping, NH, the son of Dr. Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Cotton) Fisk. . He was a United Empire Loyalist. He married Sarah Fifield Feb 1804 in Weare, NH. She was born 7 Aug 1780 in Weare and died 8 Feb 1852, likely in Canada. They had eight children Ebenezer, Nathaniel, Sally, Abraham and Betsey, Sewell Cotton, Jane and Isabella, all born in Bolton, and Abbotsford QC.

10. **Francis² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. est 1773 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA, d. 29 Aug 1847 in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI.⁶² Francis Rublee first appears in the Berkshire Town Records on 25 Sept 1798 when Francis Rublee of New Haven bought 40 acres from Stephen Porter of Berkshire. On 16 Jan 1799 he bought a parcel of land from Jesse Badcock. John B. Rublee witnessed the transaction. On that same day, he sold land to Jesse Badcock, the same the land he had purchased in 1798. Perhaps they were trading lots.

He appears on the Berkshire grand list in 1802. On 11 Jul 1804, his "list" in Berkshire consisted of one poll, a yoke of oxen, three cows, two two-year-olds (horses?), ten acres of land and one colt. On 3 Mar 1815, he and his father-in-law Isaiah Gray bought a piece of land in Berkshire. Isaiah Gray quitclaimed the land to Francis on 16 Jan 1816.

In 1810, Francis Rublee appears for the first time in the Vermont census as head of household. He lived in Berkshire, VT. The household consisted of:

- two males under ten (Alonzo, age 5 and William Martindale, age 1
- 1 male 26-45 (Francis, age 37)
- 1 female 26-45 (Eloyce, age uncertain, born bef 1784)

"On March 3, 1815, Isaiah Gray and Francis Rublee received a deed of land from Samuel Strickland, in Berkshire, Vt., and, Jan. 16, 1816, Isaiah Gray quit-claimed his right and title to the same to Francis Rublee." (Family Record of Edward Gray and His Wife, Mary Paddock and Their Descendants, compiled by Alonson Gray, Dorset, Vermont. Published by The Tuttle Company, Rutland, 1889, p. 118)

In 1820, Francis continued to live in Berkshire. At that time the household consisted of:

- 1 male under ten (Francis M., age 4)
- 2 males 10-16 (Alonzo, age 15 and William Martindale, age 11)
- 1 male over 45 (Francis, age 47)
- 2 females under 10 (Katherine B., age 3 and unknown)
- 1 female 10-16 (unknown)
- 1 female 16-26 (unknown)
- 1 female 26-45 (Eloyce, age uncertain, born aft 1775)

In 1825, the family was living in the Ninth School District in Berkshire. Francis Rublee sent 4 scholars to the school. On 1 Mar 1827, he sent 3 scholars. In 1830, he appears on a list in town records.

In 1830, again in Berkshire, the household consisted of:

- 1 male under 5 (Arial)
- 1 male 5-10 (unknown unless age is mistake and this is Francis M., age 14)
- 2 males 20-30 (Alonzo, age 25 and William Martindale, age 21, who married 1831)
- 1 male 50-60 (Francis, age 57)
- 1 female under 5 (unknown)
- 1 female 10-15 (Katherine B., age 13, died 1835)
- 1 female 20-30 (Eloyce, with mistaken age? Or the unknown female 16-26 in 1820 census?)

In 1831, Francis Rublee had 2 scholars in school in Berkshire. In 1832, he had 3.

In 1840, neither Francis nor son William appear in the census for Berkshire. However, a January 1844 scholars list shows Francis Rublee with son Ariel. From this list of scholars, it is apparent that they were still in Berkshire, and living in the same neighborhood. I looked for other heads of household on the scholars list without success. I speculate that that a section of Berkshire was missed by the census taker. Alonzo, on the other hand, does appear in the 1840 census.

The last land record in Berkshire for Francis Rublee appears on 27 Sep 1838 when he sold land, part of the second division lot of the right of Isaac Marsh Jr. to Aaron Kendall.

"Mr. Francis Rublee became a prosperous farmer in the northern border of the town, but removed to the West about 20 years since, and there died." (Hemenway, Vol. 2, p. 111).

The History of Walworth Co., WI (Western Historical Company, 1882, p. 940) indicates that in 1844, Francis Rublee, his wife and his sons F. Manville, Martindale and Alonzo settled in Sugar Creek. On page 941, mention is made of the Gravel Tavern, begun by Martindale Rubles (sic) and finished by John D. Cowles. No date is mentioned.

"Capt. George Washington Kendall kept a tavern in 1839 at the corners, since known as Tibbets, in section 10. He sold this place in 1843 to Francis Rublee, who passed it by deed to his son, Francis M. Rublee, in 1845. During the latter's ownership his brother, Martindale, began to build of lime and gravel concrete, as is told; but before his work was finished the place passed by sheriff's sale in 1853 to John D. Cowles, who completed and occupied the Gravel Tavern. This landmark fronted northward on the territorial road from Milwaukee to Janesville, and on a section-line road leading to Elkhorn". (History of Walworth county, Wisconsin by Albert Clayton Beckwith (Bowen, 1912), page 421)

Note that Eloyce's sister Olivia and her husband Erastus Temple also settled in Sugar Creek, WI.

Alonzo was likely the child of Francis Rublee and his first wife Mary, as he was born about 1805. His birth record does not appear in the Vermont Vital Records.

At the time of the 1850 census, there was an Ellis Rublee, age 61, male (sic), living in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., with Orril P. Rublee, age 22 and Alberry Rublee, age 18, both males. All three were born in Vermont. They are living nearby to the F. M. Rublee family and the Alonzo Rublee family. This listing is almost certainly for Eloyce (female), son Arial and grandson Alberry whose father Martindale had probably died by then. (Note, however, that the age given, 61, seems a little young for her.) Eloyce died three years later in La Crosse, WI.

"I afterwards [about 1820-21] settled in the town of Berkshire, in Franklin County, Vermont, where I worked on a farm, for a man whose name was Francis Rublee. I here became acquainted with the family of my wife, whose name was Gray. Mrs. Gray, whose daughter I afterwards married, was a kind hearted pious woman, and took all opportunities to persuade me to become a Christian." (Source: Hamilton's Campaign with Moore and Wellington During the Peninsular War by Anthony Hamilton, of the 43rd Light Infantry Anthony Hamilton, Published by Press of Prescott & Wilson, 1847. p. 160) In this book, Anthony

Hamilton says that "I was born on the 1st of January, 1779, in the town and parish of Raphoe, County of Donegal, in the North of Ireland". He also stated that after his father-in-law died, his wife did not get a portion of his property, which she was due. They removed to New York, where they remained. Mrs. Gray is almost certainly Francis Rublee's mother-in-law, Bathsheba (Martindale) Gray.

He married (1) **Mary** _____, bef 1805 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?, b. abt 1781,⁶ d. 13 May 1808 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- + 76 i. Alonzo³ Rublee b. 30 Mar 1805.

He married (2) **Eloyce Gray**, est 1808 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?, b. est 1788 in Dorset, Bennington Co., VT (prob),⁶³ (daughter of **Isaiah Gray** [1752 - 1823] and **Bathsheba Martindale** [1762 - 1825]), d. 12 Aug 1853 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI,⁶³ buried Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.⁶⁴ Eloyce's parents may have lived in New Haven, VT for a time, as there is a "Barthsheba" Gray listed among the original members of the Congregational Church in New Haven in 1800.

Children:

- + 77 ii. William "Martindale" Rublee b. 23 Nov 1809.
+ 78 iii. Francis Manville "F. M." Rublee b. abt 1816.
79 iv. Katherine Bathsheba Rublee b. Aug 1818 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 29 Nov 1835 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{2,65} buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Katherine Rublee's gravestone indicates that she was the only daughter of Francis and Eloyce Rublee.
80 v. R. Montraville Rublee b. abt Sep 1822 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ d. 10 Mar 1823 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. R. Montraville Rublee died at 7 months of age, according to his headstone.
+ 81 vi. Arial Parker Rublee b. est 1828.

11. **Sarah² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Nov 1777 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁶⁶ d. 3 Jul 1845 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT. Sarah chose James Rockwell as her guardian upon her father's death in 1792.

She married **John Hinman**, 3 Feb 1799 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁷ b. 3 Oct 1773 in Cheshire, Berkshire Co., MA,⁶⁶ (son of **Abijah Hinman** and **Rebecca Minor**), d. 26 Jul 1850 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT. Abijah Hinman, father of John, removed from Cheshire, MA to Pittsfield when John was three weeks old. When John was about ten years of age, he went to live with his elder sister and her husband in Benson, VT. About 1798, he settled in New Haven, VT where he was a farmer.

"John Hinman settled in 1783 on the farm owned by James Wilson; married Sarah Rublee February 3, 1799. He came originally from Pittsfield, Mass., and later from Benson, Vt. He was the father of Erastus S. Hinman and Orrin, father of G. D. Hinman and two other brothers. About thirty years ago E. S. Hinman bought of Mr. Jacobs the farm where he subsequently lived and died. He was prominent in social, religious, and educational matters at all times; he was for many years a magistrate and town official, and in 1854-55 was one of the judges of the County Court. He died July 21, 1885. His first wife, Caroline

Reynolds, died March 22, 1854, leaving one daughter, Harriet, who recently married Deacon John C. Wilder, who now owns and occupies the farm. Judge Hinman's second wife, Miss Amanda Samson, of Cornwall, died December 6, 1885, leaving a daughter, Alice. Orrin Hinman, son of John, married Theda Moore December 18, 1831. Their son, George D., married Helen Sprague, and lived for many years at the old family homestead of Horace Sprague. They now reside at the Barton Cottage, at the Center. William D., son of Orrin, lives on the Bristol road, and is a dealer in fine horses. " (Source: Smith, H. P. History of Addison County, Vermont, With Illustrations And Biographical Sketches of Some Of Its Prominent Men and Pioneers. Syracuse, NY: D. Mason & Co., Publishers, 1886).

At the time of the 1850 census, John and Sarah were dead. Their children were living together in New Haven. "Eli S." was head of household, age 40; Adelia was 44; Laura C. was 36 and John was 50.

Children:

- 82 i. John³ Hinman b. 26 May 1800 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,³ d. 21 Mar 1855 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,³ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ John Hinman apparently did not marry. In 1850, he lived with his siblings Erastus, Adelia and Laura C. in New Haven, VT.
- 83 ii. Alva Hinman b. 2 Mar 1802 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁸ d. 19 Oct 1841 in Chazy, Clinton Co., NY,⁶⁸ buried in Riverview Cem., Chazy, Clinton Co., NY.⁶⁹

He married Mary Moore, 28 Dec 1830 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT?,⁶⁸ b. 19 Sep 1806 (cal) in Champlain, Clinton Co., NY? (daughter of Daniel Moore and Elizabeth North), d. 28 Jun 1843 in Chazy, Clinton Co., NY,⁶⁹ buried in Riverview Cem., Chazy, Clinton Co., NY.⁶⁹

- 84 iii. Orrin Hinman b. 3 May 1804 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁸ d. 18 Mar 1864 in Chazy, Clinton Co., NY, buried in Riverview Cem., Chazy, Clinton Co., NY.⁶⁹ "(VI) Orrin, son of John Hinman, was born at New Haven, May 3, 1804, died at Chazy, N.Y., March 18, 1864. He attended the schools of his native town, and worked on his father's farm. When he was of age he removed to Champlain, N.Y., where he learned the hatter's trade under his elder brother Alva, who had previously settled there, and established a business. Orrin followed his trade there until 1838, when he purchased a farm in Chazy, N.Y. He had a hundred and fifty-five acres of land which was known formerly as the Vantine farm and upon it he lived the remainder of his days. In politics he was a Republican after the party was formed and he served the town of Chazy as assessor."

(Source:

http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/hubbard/NNY_index/hinman.html).

He married Theda C. Moore, 18 Dec 1831 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT?,⁶⁸ b. 13 Nov 1818 in Champlain, Clinton Co., NY?,⁶⁹ (daughter of Daniel Moore and Elizabeth North), d. 13 Nov 1870 in Chazy, Clinton Co., NY,⁶⁹ buried in Riverview Cem., Chazy, Clinton Co., NY.⁶⁹

- 85 iv. Ardelia "Delia" Hinman b. 17 Jul 1806 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁸ d. 15 Feb 1868 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ In 1850, Adelia lived with siblings Erastus, John and Laura C. in New Haven, VT. In 1860, Laura Hinman and Delia Cook lived together in New Haven.

She married Hubbard Cook, 15 Sep 1853 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,³² b. 26 Aug 1787 in Wallingford, New Haven Co., CT (son of Samuel Cook and Abigail Mallory), d. 11 Mar 1859 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.⁷⁰

- 86 v. Erastus Sidney Hinman b. 11 Sep 1809 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 21 Jul 1885 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Erastus Hinman lived in New Haven, VT. He was prominent in local affairs, for many years serving as magistrate and town official (Smith, H. P., 1886, page 530). In 1850, an Eli S. Hinman is listed as head of household in New Haven. This is probably Erastus. His siblings Adelia, Laura C. and John lived with him.

He married (1) Caroline (Newkirk) Reynolds, 10 Sep 1851, b. 14 Jun 1812 in Leeds, Greene Co., NY,^{6,3} (daughter of John P. Newkirk and Catharine Salisbury), d. 22 Mar 1854 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Caroline was the widow of Valentine Reynolds.

He married (2) Amanda Achsah Samson, 12 Sep 1855 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),⁷¹ b. 21 Apr 1820 in Cornwall, Addison Co., VT,^{71,3} (daughter of Reuben Samson and Mercy Hurd), d. 6 Dec 1885 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ Amanda Samson was of Cornwall, VT (Smith, H. P., 1886, page 530).

- 87 vi. Laura Hinman b. 31 Jan 1812 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁸ d. 12 Jul 1814 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³
- 88 vii. Laura Catherine Hinman b. 9 Aug 1814 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁸ d. 31 Jan 1862 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),⁶⁸ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.³ In 1850, Laura C. Hinman lived with her siblings Erastus, Adelia and John in New Haven, VT. In 1860, Laura Hinman and her sister Delia (Hinman) Cook lived together in New Haven.

12. **John Brush² Rublee** (William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1780 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,² d. 18 Jan 1835 in W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. John B. Rublee's year of birth is estimated, as he died in his fifty-sixth year, according to his gravestone. Much about this family is guesswork at this point. There is a John Rubblee enumerated in Vergennes, VT in 1800. However, the family configuration does not seem to fit this John Rublee.

John is thought to have had a first wife, Clarissa. The birth records for Harmon A. Rublee, born 1802 in Berkshire, listed as John and Clarissa Rublee. However, in examining the Berkshire Town Records, Book 2, page 215, I am inclined to conclude that John did not have a first wife Clarissa. There are two entries in sequence on that page. First, there is a record of the birth of Clarissa, daughter of John B. and Eunice Rublee on 7 Feb 1809. Immediately following, there is an entry for the birth of Harmon, son of John B. and Clarissa Rublee on 1 Feb 1802. I speculate that the name Clarissa was mistakenly recorded, from the record above. I also think that the year of birth for Harmon is wrong, and he was really born in 1811 or 1812. The other alternative is that the Rublees had two sons named Harmon, and one died young. The Harmon who lived to adulthood was born about 1811, according to census records.

John B. Rublee signed a quitclaim signed in 1800; he was then "of Lanesborough" (MA). He apparently came to Vermont soon after. His wife Eunice Grinnell was the daughter of an early settler of New Haven, VT. John B. Rublee does not seem to have owned property in New Haven. He most likely spent time there with his brothers. His brother Hiram had an extra male, between the ages of 16 and 26, living with him in 1800 in Berkshire. This could have been John. He does not appear on the grand list for Berkshire in 1802 or 1803, although his three brothers are listed. He first appears in 1804. On 12 Mar 1812, J. B. Rublee was a lister for the town.

He was a lieutenant in the War of 1812, serving in the 3rd Regiment, Vermont Militia. He did not apply for a pension. Hemenway (Vol. 2, p. 111) says this of John Rublee: "The last of the brothers named settled a little east of what is now West Berkshire village, and for some years was an efficient town officer in the capacity of Constable and Collector. He died in rather early life."

John B. Rublee first appears in the Vermont census in 1810, living in Berkshire. At that time, he seems to have a number of "extra" people living in his household. He also appears in Berkshire in 1820 and 1830. It is possible that he had 1 or 2 children not listed here. Also, some of these children are only tentatively placed in this family.

1810, Berkshire:

- 1 male 26-45 (John B.. age 30)
- 1 female 26-45 (Eunice, age 26, or is she the next one?)
- 1 female 16-26
- 1 male 10-16
- 1 female 10-16
- 1 male under 10 (Myron and possibly the first Harmon?)
- 2 females under 10 (Clarissa and ?)

Who are all of these people? If Eunice is the female age 16-26, it almost looks like another family, headed by a female age 26-45 is living with them.

1820, Berkshire

- 1 male 26-45 (John B., age 40)
- 1 female 26-45 (Eunice, age 36)
- 2 males 10-16 (Myron, age 14 and Alonzo, age ?)
- 1 female 10-16 (Clarissa, age 11)
- 2 males under 10 (Harmon, age 9 and Heman, age 5)
- 1 female under 10 (Harriet???)

1830 Berkshire, we have a John W. Rublee, who I assume is actually John B. Rublee with:

- 1 male 50-60 (John B. age 50)
- 1 female 40-50 (Eunice, age 46)
- 1 male 20-30 (Myron age 24)
- 1 female 20-30 (Clarissa, age 21)

2 females 10-15 (Harriet, age ? and who?)

1 female 5-10 (Sophia, age 8)

Where are Harmon, age 19 and Heman, age 15?

1840: John has died; Eunice is still living, but not in her own household. She was probably living with Harmon and his wife, as they have a women living with them between the ages of 50 and 60.

J. B. Rublee appears on an 1825 list of those who had scholars in School District #7 in Berkshire on 29 Mar 1825. He had 4 scholars over age 4 and under age 18. In 1827, he had 4 as well. In 1832, he had 3.

"The last of the brothers named [John] settled a little east of what is now West Berkshire village, and for some years was an efficient town officer in the capacity of Constable and Collector. He died in rather early life." (Hemenway, Vol. II, pp. 109-132)

John B. Rublee died intestate. Harmon A. Rublee was appointed executor by the Franklin Probate Court. The inventory of his possessions, listed March 6, 1835, attested to by Elias Babcock Jr. and Lewis Ewins, Appraisers, was as follows:

Fifty Acres of land with the buildings, 400.00;

one red cow \$14.00;

one speckled cow \$12;

one old mare unsound \$11.00;

15 sheep \$2.00;

1 yearling steer \$4.00;

one yearling heifer \$3.00;

2 tons hay \$8.00;

10 bushels corn \$5.00;

one & Half Bushel wheat \$1.50;

1 set harrow teeth \$2.50;

two Old Ploughs \$2.00;

1 old single sleigh & harness \$6.00;

one saddle & bridle \$3.50;

Chains & yoke irons \$2.67;

two axes 1.00;

2 hoes \$0.25;

2 pitchforks 34 cts;

seventy-five bushels potatoes @ 9d \$9.00;

1/2 Barrel Pork \$7.25;

one Barrel & Keg 50c;

one cookstove no. 2 \$20.00;

one ___ and one small kettle \$1.50;

one teakettle 67 cts;

1 spider \$.34;

One Wash Kettle 34 cts;

Fire Shovel & tongs \$1.00;

one sap holder and 10 sap buckets \$1.00;
 shoe making tools and lasts \$1.50;
 1 saw (?) wheel 75 cts;
 one foot spinning wheel \$1.50;
 1 bed and bedding \$10.00;
 one Bed and Bedding \$8.00;
 one Dodo, Do 2.00 and 4.00;
 two bedsteads and cord \$2.00;
 1 Old Table of Birch 2.00;
 one old pine table .75;
 1 old bureau 2.00;
 one writing desk 1.00;
 1 Pine Chest .50;
 3 kitchen chairs .75;
 three dining chairs 1.50;
 3 small Earthen pans .30 ;
 one Tin Baker Damaged .50;
 1 Table plates .42;
 One half doz. teas .13;
 1/2 doz Knives & forks .34;
 one wire sieve .34;
 1 salt mortar .25;
 1 small looking glass .75.
 Total \$579.19

Eunice Rublee, widow of John B. Rublee applied to the court for a portion of the estate and the Court assigned all personal estate to her, amounting to \$179.19.

He married **Eunice Grinnell**, est 1804 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob), b. 28 Jan 1784 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),⁷² (daughter of **Reuben Grinnell** [1755 - 1815] and **Mabel Morgan or Martin** [1763 - 1815]), d. 23 Jan 1850 in W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁷³ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Eunice (Grinnell) Rublee's death is recorded under Eunice Grinnell.

Children:

- + 89 i. Myron³ Rublee b. 1 Jul 1806.
- + 90 ii. Clarissa A. Rublee b. 7 Feb 1809.
- + 91 iii. Harmon A. Rublee b. 1 Feb 1811.
- 92 iv. Heman E. Rublee b. abt 1815 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 6 Oct 1843 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁷³ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Heman Rublee died at age 28. He is buried next to John B. Rublee, and is tentatively identified as his son.
- + 93 v. Harriet Rublee b. abt 1824.
- 94 vi. Sophia Rublee b. abt 1826 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 20 May 1890 in East Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁴ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.² Sophia Rublee is buried in W. Berkshire, as are other members of the John Brush Rublee family. Her stone indicates that her sister Harriet erected it. Sophia and Harriet were almost

certainly daughters of John B. and Eunice (Grinnell) Rublee, although their births do not appear in the Berkshire records. In 1850, Sophia (age 24) and Harriet (age 26) were living with Harmon A. Rublee. Harmon's wife had died previously, and he had not yet re-married. Sophia continued to live with Harmon; she was a member of his family in 1860 and 1870. Her age was given as 38 in 1860 and 47 in 1870. In 1880, she was a boarder with the Azro and Sibyl (Stanley) Burt family in Berkshire. Her age was given as 57. Azro was her nephew, son of Stephen and Clarissa (Rublee) Burt.

"Died, at the residence of H. W. Wood, on the 20th inst., after a long and painful illness of bone cancer, Miss Sophia Rublee, aged 68 years. Funeral service was held at Enosburgh Falls the 23d, Rev. R. D. Metcalf conducting." (St. Albans Daily Messenger 29 May 1890) This was her sister's Harriet (Rublee) Wood's home. No death record is found.

Generation Three

20. **Alvah³ Sprague, M. D.** (Lucy² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 3 Oct 1802 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁸ d. 24 Feb 1849 in Vergennes, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Old Vergennes Cem., Vergennes, Addison Co., VT.⁷⁵ Dr. Sprague was a physician first in Moorestown, NY, then in Vergennes, VT, where he also had a drug store (Sprague, 1913, p. 301). In 1830, the Spragues lived in Ft. Covington, Franklin Co., NY.

He married **Mary Ann Moore**, est 1828 in Moorestown, NY,¹⁶ b. abt 1806 in Moorestown, NY?, d. 2 Feb 1848 in Vergennes, Addison Co., VT,¹⁶ buried in Old Vergennes Cem., Vergennes, Addison Co., VT.⁷⁵

Children:

- 95 i. Susan M.⁴ Sprague b. 9 Feb 1832, d. 21 Mar 1840 in Vergennes, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Old Vergennes Cem., Vergennes, Addison Co., VT.⁷⁵
- 96 ii. Cornelia Lucy Sprague b. 25 Feb 1834 in Fort Covington, Franklin Co., NY,³² d. 6 Dec 1868 in Wasioja, Dodge Co., MN, buried in Wildwood Cem., Wasioja, Dodge, MN.⁷⁶

She married Edward Doud, 3 Nov 1857 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,³² b. 8 Nov 1834 in New Haven, New Haven Co., CT (son of Sylvester Doud and Alzina Wheeler), d. 21 Jul 1919 in Allen's Creek, Wayne, TN, buried in Mount Olivet Cem., Nashville, Davidson, TN.

- 97 iii. Henry G. Sprague b. Dec 1835 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁷⁶ d. 22 Dec 1913 in Dodge Co., MN,⁷⁶ buried in Wildwood Cem., Wasioja, Dodge, MN.⁷⁶

23. **Seth³ Hoyt** (Keturah (Catharine)² Robblee, William¹), b. 4 Jul 1784 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,¹⁹ d. 3 Jan 1858 in Deerfield, Lake Co., IL,⁷⁷ buried in Deerfield Cem., Deerfield, Lake Co., IL.⁷⁷ Seth Hoyt lived in New Haven and Addison, VT (Hoyt, 1871, page 511).

He married **Sally Everest**, 4 Dec 1810 in Addison, Addison Co., VT,³² b. 15 Dec 1791 in Addison, Addison Co., VT,⁷⁸ (daughter of **Benjamin Everest, Lt.** [- 1843] and **Martha "Patty" Fuller** [1763 - 1842]), d. 23 Apr 1870 in Deerfield, Lake Co., IL,⁷⁷ buried in Deerfield Cem., Deerfield, Lake Co., IL.⁷⁷

Children:

- 98 i. Milo E.⁴ Hoyt b. 22 Jan 1811 in Addison, Addison Co., VT,⁷⁸ d. 21 May 1887 in Deerfield, Lake Co., IL,⁷⁷ buried in Deerfield Cem., Deerfield, Lake Co., IL.⁷⁷
- 99 ii. Carlos Melancton Hoyt b. 30 Jun 1813 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁷⁸ d. 31 Dec 1894 in Deerfield, Lake Co., IL,⁷⁷ buried in Deerfield Cem., Deerfield, Lake Co., IL.⁷⁷
- 100 iii. Charlotte Adelaide Hoyt b. 12 May 1817 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁷⁸ d. 20 Mar 1855 in Deerfield, Lake Co., IL,⁷⁷ buried in Deerfield Cem., Deerfield, Lake Co., IL.⁷⁷
- 101 iv. Jane M. Hoyt b. 12 Dec 1818 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁷⁸ d. 23 Mar 1871 in Deerfield, Lake Co., IL,⁷⁷ buried in Deerfield Cem., Deerfield, Lake Co., IL.⁷⁷

35. **Stephen³ Jeffords** (Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Oct 1806 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT, d. 3 Mar 1882 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Stephen Jeffords was a farmer in Berkshire, VT. Besides his four sons, he also had two daughters, one the wife of Cyrus Hawley and the other the wife of W. B. Bryce (Harvey, 1994, page 29).

In 1830 - 1840, the Jeffords lived in Berkshire. I cannot find them in the 1850 census, anywhere, with thorough searching. In 1860 - 1880, Stephen and Chloe lived in Enosburg, VT. Both of Stephen's parents were born in Massachusetts; both of Chloe's in Vermont.

He married **Chloe W. Smith**, est 1828, b. cal 9 Aug 1809 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob) (daughter of **Ira Smith** [1780 - 1868] and **Obedience Martindale** [1782 - 1868]), d. 19 Mar 1890 in Fairfax, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- + 102 i. Pliny S.⁴ Jeffords b. 1829.
- + 103 ii. Merrill L. Jeffords b. 4 Mar 1832.
- 104 iii. William M. Jeffords b. Jun 1838 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 20 Jul 1855 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁵⁵ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵
- + 105 iv. Harrison S. Jeffords b. Jul 1839.
- + 106 v. Orabelle Lucia Jeffords b. abt 1844.
- 107 vi. Emeroy or Emery "Elsie" Jeffords b. 17 Feb 1846 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 15 Aug 1917 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹

She married Cyrus Abijah Hawley, 9 Jan 1870 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT?,³² b. 26 Dec 1848 in Fairfax, Franklin Co., VT (son of Lyman Hawley and Melissa Wells), d. aft 1930 in Swanton, Franklin Co., VT? Cyrus and Emeroy Hawley did not have children, according to the 1900 census report. They were living in Fairfax, VT at that time. In 1910, they were living in Richford, VT. In 1920, Cyrus was a widower. He was living in Swanton, VT in the household of Hawley and Louise Robinson. He is listed as uncle. He continued to live with them in 1930.

"Hawley, Cyrus Abijah, born in Fairfax on the 26th of December, 1848, was the son of Lyman Hawley by his marriage to Melissa Wells, whose two children were Cyrus A. and Betsey Marilla, wife of John P. Robinson, of Swanton. Cyrus A. Hawley was born and now lives on the old farm on which his grandfather, Abijah Hawley, settled in 1790. On the 19th of January, 1870, he married Elsie E., daughter of Stephen Jeffords, of Enosburgh. Mr. Hawley has been prominent in town affairs, having served two terms as selectman, two as lister, and

held other offices as well. He is a member of Christ church of Buck Hollow. " (History of Franklin and Grand Isle Counties Vermont).

46. **Rollin "Rolli"³ Rublee** (William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 15 Jul 1793 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),⁸⁰ d. 12 Nov 1872 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² Rolli Rublee bought land in Ellington, NY in October 1821, at or about the same time as Samuel McConnell, Harwood Botden, Ebenezer Green Jr., and Hiram Putnam. Ebenezer Green was his father-in-law.

The Ellington Sesquicentennial 1824-1974: History of Ellington, NY (Ellington, no imprint, 1974) includes a story about Rolli and his wife's travel to Ellington from Pittsfield, MA in 1822. He is said to have turned a four-legged table into a temporary pen for his pig, by nailing slots around it and making a temporary bottom for it. He tied his cow to the back of his wagon; it provided milk for his family and the pig during the journey.

In 1850, Rollin and Betsy were living in Ellington, NY. Living with them were Lydia (27); Homer and Hiram (21); Lumon (?), age 19; Betsy Bates (30) and Albert L. Bates (7). Question -- Was the younger Rollin's middle name Luman?

At the time of the 1855 New York State census, Rolli and Betsy continued to live in Ellington. Hiram, age 26 and Rolly L., age 23, were living with them. This suggested that the younger Rolly's middle name was indeed Luman.

Rolli "Rubblee" made his will on 15 Jul 1870. In it, he leaves the house and land in Ellington in which they were dwelling. He also refers to land deeded to Betsy by Joseph B. and Polly Nessell (their daughter). He also gave her the use, profits and rents from whatever he still owned of the "old farm" in Ellington. He left her all of his personal property of any description. He left \$200 to son Homer P. by creditting Homer's account; 15 acres of land to son Rolly L., as well as \$200 by crediting notes. He left 1/6 of the "old farm" to each of his living children - Homer P.; Rolly L.; Polly Nessel; Betsy Bates; Lydia Mather and Dorothy Holland - to be devised after the death of his wife Betsy. On 5 Oct 1872, Rolli added a codicil to his will. The original will named his wife Betsy administrator. However, she had become "mentally deranged". He substituted Austin Stafford, and made arrangements for his wife to live with Austin.

He married **Betsy Green**, 1 Jan 1817 in Pittsfield, Berkshire Co., MA,⁸³ b. 28 Jul 1796 in Pittsfield, Berkshire Co., MA?,⁸¹ (daughter of **Ebenezer Green** [1775 - 1851] and **Betsy Skinner or Shiner** [1770 - 1848]), d. 16 Mar 1881 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² Betsy Green was a resident of Pittsfield, MA at the time of her marriage to Rolli Rublee (Palmer, 1905, page 119). In 1880, she was living with her daughter Betsey (Rubblee) Bates in Ellington, NY. She is listed as Betsey Rubbla, age 83, born in Massachusetts. Both of her parents were born in Vermont. Betsey S. Bates was 60, born in MA. Her son Albert Bates was 38, born in NY.

Children:

- + 108 i. Polly⁴ Rublee b. 2 Apr 1818.
- + 109 ii. Betsy S. Rublee b. Apr 1820.
- + 110 iii. Lydia Rublee b. 5 Feb 1822.
- + 111 iv. Dorothy Rublee b. 8 Jan 1823.

- 112 v. William C. Rublee b. abt 1825 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ d. 21 Nov 1832 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ buried in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.
- + 113 vi. Homer Phelps (twin) Rublee b. 14 Jul 1828.
- 114 vii. Hiram (twin) Rublee b. 1828 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob),⁸⁴ d. 27 May 1858 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁵ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵ Hiram and Homer Rublee are both listed as age 21 at the time of the 1850 census; presumably they were twins. They lived with their parents. The spelling of his surname on his gravestone is Rubble.
- + 115 viii. Rollin "Rolly" Luman Rublee b. Jan 1831.

49. **Homer Phelps³ Rubblee** (William², William¹ Robblee), b. 26 Sep 1799 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob),^{5,86} d. 7 Apr 1888 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵ Homer P. Rubblee was baptized in 1830 in the Congregational Church in Lanesborough, MA. He was baptized in the church on 7 Nov 1830 and became a deacon on 3 Feb 1837. His wife Chloe was received into the church on 26 Dec 1840, from Plainfield, MA. In April 1840, Homer P. Rublee sued Cyrus Stearns for nonpayment of funds for goods, services and a loan, in the amount of \$301.

On 9 Mar 1856, the couple requested a letter of recommendation to any sister church, as they were about to find a new home somewhere in the west. In 1860, the Rublees were living in Ellington, NY.

1865 census Town of Ellington family number 36 RUBBLEE

Homer P 65 m born Mass 1st marriage farmer owns

Chloe 52 f wife born Mass 1st Marriage has had 2 children

Lydia H 21 f child born Mass Single

Martha 18 f child born Mass Single.

He married **Chloe G. White**, 20 Jun 1843 in Westfield, Hampden Co., MA,⁸⁸ b. 26 Jun 1812 in Plainfield, Hampshire Co., MA,⁸⁶ (daughter of **Ziba White** and **Huldah Gloyd**), d. 8 Mar 1885 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹ "A family bible gives Chloe's parents as Ziba and Hulda Gloyd White and lists her siblings. She is not listed in the popular History of Plainfield, MA. The bible entries were made by one of her daughters and appear to be correct." (Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

Children:

- 116 i. Lydia "Lou" Huldah⁴ Rubblee b. 1 Jun 1844 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁸⁶ d. 22 Dec 1925 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵ Lydia and her sister Martha were baptized on the same day in the Congregational Church in Lanesborough, MA (Church records). She lived with her sister Martha and family in Ellington, at least later in her life. She lived with George and Martha in 1900, but not in 1910. She lived with the widowed Martha in 1920.

An 1894 History of Chautauqua County states that Miss Lou H. Rublee, daughter of H. P. Rublee had been employed at the county clerk's office for eight years. (Edson, Obed, History of Chautauqua County, New York. Boston, Mass.: W.A. Fergusson, 1894, p. 853).

Obituary: Randolph NY Register, December 25, 1925. Well Known Ellington Resident Passes Away. Miss Lydia H. Rublee, for 71 years a resident of the town of Ellington, and employed in the county clerk's office in Mayville for about 25 years, died Tuesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. Martha Boyd of Ellington, aged 81 years, 6 months and 21 days. She is survived by the sister at whose home she died, and two nieces, Mrs. Carrie George of Mountain Grove, Mo., and Mrs. Mabel Shaw of Ellington.

+ 117 ii. Martha "Mattie" Catherine Rubblee b. 13 Jun 1847.

50. **Lucy³ Rubblee** (William², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Nov 1803 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁹⁰ d. 23 Dec 1885 in Kennedy, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ Lucy Rubblee became the ward of her mother Lydia Rubblee after her father's death in 1808, along with her siblings, William, Homer and Sally. (Estate of William Rubblee, Lanesborough, MA, 1808. Berkshire County, MA Probate Records, Pittsfield, MA).

Elijah Green settled in Ellington in 1825. In 1850, Elijah and Lucy lived in Ellington with their children. They continued to live there in 1860, 1870 and 1875. Daughter Sarah lived with them. By 1880, Elijah, Lucy and Sarah lived in Poland, Chautauqua, NY.

Elijah made a will on 23 Jun 1880. He was then of Poland, NY. He directs that his executor sell his property and provide for his wife Lucy R. Green's support. Following that, the proceeds were to be divided among his children living at the time of his death, except that daughter Sarah was to receive \$1000 outright in addition to her share. He specified that if any of his children's contested the will, then any resulting charges to the estate would be deducted from their share.

She married **Elijah Green**, b. 5 Nov 1798 in MA or VT,⁸⁹ (son of **Ebenezer Green** [1775 - 1851] and **Betsy Skinner or Shiner** [1770 - 1848]), d. 5 Nov 1880 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY?,⁸⁹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

Children:

- 118 i. Elijah⁴ Green b. 26 Dec 1824 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY, d. 11 Jan 1883 in Dewittville, Chautauqua Co., NY, buried in Dewittville Cem., Chautauqua, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹² In 1860, Elijah and Mary Green lived in Chautauqua, Chautauqua Co., NY. In 1870, Elijah and Jane lived in Chautauqua. In 1880, Elijah and Jane lived in Ellery, Chautauqua Co., NY.

"Elijah Green, formerly of Ellington, died of pneumonia at Dewittville on the 11th." (Buffalo Weekly Express (Buffalo, New York) 18 Jan 1883, Thu, page 4).

He married (1) Mary Jane Young, 1855, b. 17 Jan 1824 in Chautauqua Co., NY (daughter of David Young and Irena Powers), d. 11 Feb 1864 in Chautauqua Co., NY, buried in Dewittville Cem., Chautauqua, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹²

He married (2) Jane Elizabeth Stowell, 18 Sep 1865, b. 13 Sep 1839 in NY (daughter of William Stowell and Orilla Tefft), d. 1 Jun 1920 in Ellery, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Red Bird Cem., Ellery, Chautauqua Co. NY.⁹³

- 119 ii. Eben S. Green b. Sep 1826 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹¹ d. 19 Mar 1907 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

In 1860, Eben (age 34) and Mariah (age 30) Green lived in Ellington, NY. There were no children in the home. They lived in Ellington in 1870. A 12 year old boy, William Murch, was living with them. He was the son of Eben's sister Lucy (Green) Murch.

In 1880, the household was just the two of them. In 1900, Eben S. Green lived in Ellington, NY. He was widowed, and his sister Sarah lived with him.

"Ellington - Eben H. Green, one of the oldest and best known residents, is dead." (Buffalo Evening News (Buffalo, New York) 22 Mar 1907, Fri, page 7).

He married Mariah White, bef 1860, b. 1830 in NY, d. 5 Feb 1900 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

- 120 iii. Homer H. Green b. 5 Jun 1828 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY, d. 5 Jan 1919 in Erie, Erie Co., PA,⁹⁴ buried in Riverside Cem., Kennedy, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹⁵ In 1850, Homer and Melissa lived in Ellington, NY with Melissa's parents. They lived in various towns in Chautauqua county through at least 1900. In 1910, Homer, now a widower, lived in Buffalo with his daughter Etta and her husband George Rees.

"Homer H. Green, for many years connected with the American Express company in this city, died at the home of his daughter, Etta M. Rees, 131 West Fourth street, Erie, Pa., on Sunday last. He was 90 years and seven months old. He is survived by his daughter, one sister, Mrs. Helen Capple of Kennedy, and two grandsons, Cook Duke H. Rees, Company G, 112th Infantry, 28th division, now in Germany with the army of occupation, and Chandler W. Rees of Erie, Pa. The burial was in Kennedy." (Jamestown Evening Journal 9 Jan 1919).

He married Melissa S. Brown, bef 1850, b. 9 Jun 1831 in Cattaraugus Co., NY (daughter of Asahel Brown and Ilona Sylvester), d. 17 Jun 1906 in Buffalo, Erie Co., NY, buried in Riverside Cem., Kennedy, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹⁵ Mrs. Melissa Green, daughter of Asahel Brown, a pioneer resident of Conewango, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Reese, at Buffalo, on Sunday morning. The funeral was attended at Kennedy on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Green was about 76 year of age, and was sister of the late Martin Brown of this place. She was stricken with paralysis more than a year ago and since that time has been helpless. Beside her daughter Mrs. Green is survived by her husband, Homer Green, a resident of Sherman. Among those who attended the funeral were Mrs. Martin Brown, Mrs. DeAlton Brown of Randolph and Ernest Brown and wife of Salamanca. (Randolph [NY] Register, 22 Jun 1906).

- 121 iv. Lucy J. Green b. 13 Aug 1832 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹⁴ d. 26 Feb 1917 in Eldred, McKean Co., PA,⁹⁴ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ In 1860, Lucy lived with her first husband George Murch in Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY. They had 2 children, Eugenia and William. In 1870, Lucy Murch lived with her parents in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY. Her two children Eugenie and [George] Addison were in the home. Her son William lived with her brother Eben and wife.

By 1900, she lived with her second husband Byron Cleland in Charlotte, Chautauqua Co., NY. He was previously married to Lucinda E. Hill, who died in 1894. The census indicates that the couple had been married for 5 years. In 1910, they lived in Stockton, Chautauqua Co., NY. Byron died there. Did Lucy go to live with one of her children following his death? The informant on her death certificate was Mrs. W. S. Sikes of Eldred, PA.

She married (1) George Murch, b. abt 1830 in NY.

She married (2) Byron T. Cleland, abt 1895, b. Oct 1830 in NY (son of John Cleland and Hannah Pickett), d. 8 Apr 1916 in Stockton, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Cassadaga Cem., Cassadaga, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹⁶

- 122 v. William "Corydon" Green b. 28 Nov 1834 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹⁷ d. 28 Feb 1875 in Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁹⁷ buried in Allegany Cem., Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY.⁹⁷ Corydon served in the Civil War. He was in the Battle of Antietam; hr was detailed as teamster most of the time he was in service.

In 1870, Corydon (age 34) and Linda (age 26) Green lived in Ellington, NY with Jennie Green (female, age 1) in the home and Sarah Chaple, age 9. I cannot find him in later census. In 1880, M. J. Greene was head of household in Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY. Her 3 children lived with her. She worked as a milliner.

Melinda married second, Gaius Wheaton. Gaius died in 1905 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Flora Barnes, in Glenwood, WI, and his body was brought back to New York to be buried beside his two wives.

Melinda may have been the daughter of Dennis and Minerva (Merrill) Dye of Allegany, NY. Melinda named one of her daughter's Minerva.

He married Melinda "Linda" J. _____, est 1868, b. 3 Apr 1843 in NY, d. 13 Jul 1895 in Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Allegany Cem., Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY.

- 123 vi. Sophronia J. Green b. Apr 1837 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹⁸ d. 28 Jan 1913 in Sinclairville, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{98,87} buried in Evergreen Cem., Sinclairville, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹⁸

She married Russell Amos Stafford, b. 29 Jan 1835 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹⁸ (son of John Stafford and Sophia Randall), d. 11 Dec 1915 in Sinclairville, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Evergreen Cem., Sinclairville, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹⁸ "DEATH AT SINCLAIRVILLE OF RUSSELL A. STAFFORD. Sinclairville, Dec. 14. Russell A. Stafford, an old and esteemed resident of this village, who had been in failing health for some time, died at his home on Water Street Saturday forenoon, Dec. 11, 1915, aged 81 years, 11 months and 10 days. He is survived by two sons, John and Claude E. Stafford of Jamestown.

Mr. Stafford was a former resident of the town of Ellington, where he spent his early years as a carpenter and joiner. He was an expert workman and after coming to this village worked at making and repairing all kinds of vehicles until only a few days before his death.

The funeral was held from the home Monday, Dec. 18., Rev. J. C. Hankinson of village officiated. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery beside his wife Sophronia Green Stafford, who died several years ago." (Dunkirk Evening Observer (Dunkirk, New York) 14 Dec 1915, Tue, page 15).

- 124 vii. Sarah Green b. Nov 1840 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹¹ d. 8 Oct 1915 in Kennedy, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ In 1900, Sarah Green, age 59, lived with her brother Eben Green in Ellington, NY. Presumably, she never married. In 1910, Sarah Green, age 68, was single and head of her own household in Poland, Chautauqua Co., NY. She was born in New York and her parents were both born in Massachusetts.
- 125 viii. Helen Green b. abt 1847 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), d. aft 1865. Helen/Hellen lived with her parents through at least 1865.

51. **Sarah "Sally"³ Rubblee** (William², William¹ Robblee), b. 8 Mar 1806 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁵ d. 21 Nov 1848 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁵ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵ This is almost certainly the Sarah Rublee who married Cullen Dyer Churchill, probably Ellington, NY, on 22 Jul 1845 as his second wife (Churchill and Churchill, 1904, p. 406). It seems likely that she went to Ellington to be with her brother Rolli after the death of her mother in 1843. Sarah died just a few days after her only child was born.

She married **Cullen Dyer Churchill**, 22 Jul 1845 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁸⁵ b. 11 Mar 1811 in Alexander, Genesee Co., NY,⁹⁹ (son of **Ezekiel Churchill** and **Elizabeth Dyer**), d. 7 Feb 1893 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{85,87} buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵ Cullen Churchill married first, Caroline Brown, third Eunice (____) Van Dusen and fourth Jane Elizabeth Platner. He married Eunice quite soon after Sally's death. Baby Homer and his 5 children by his first marriage continued to be raised by Cullen.

"Cullen D. Churchill died at the residence of his son Albro Feb. 7, aged 81 years, 11 months and 6 days. Deceased leaves a wife, Jane E. Churchill, and eight children, Mrs. Daphne Heald of Moline, Ill.; Mrs. Alice O. Bates and Mrs. Hattie C. Torrance of Randolph, N.Y.; Willis F. Churchill of Jamestown, and Mrs. Eunice E. Thacher, Charles C., Albro R. and Lester E. Churchill of Ellington, N.Y. Funeral was held Friday from the M. E. church, the Rev. C. W. Miner officiating." (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, February 17, 1893).

Children:

- 126 i. Homer Cullen⁴ Churchill b. 14 Nov 1848 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹⁹ d. 15 Oct 1890 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Randolph Cem., Randolph, Cattaraugus Co., NY.¹⁰⁰

He married Rhoda Abigail Weegar, Dec 1876 in Randolph, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁹⁹ b. 31 Dec 1857 in Canada (daughter of Levi Weegar and Catharine Cook), d. 5 Mar 1915 in Randolph, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Randolph Cem., Randolph, Cattaraugus Co., NY.¹⁰⁰ "MRS. RHODA TORRANCE DIED THIS MORNING. Funeral to be Conducted Monday Afternoon at the Late Residence in Randolph. Mrs. Rhoda Torrance died at her home on Washington street at about 7:30 this morning, following a long sickness, which has made her more or less an

invalid for the last fifteen years. Rhoda Weegar, who spent youth in Randolph, was twice married, first to Homer Churchill, and several years after his death she married the late Joel Torrance. She is survived by two children: Casmir Churchill of Randolph and Mrs. J. J. Harden of Corry. It has been arranged to conduct funeral services at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The L. O. T. M., of which Mrs. Churchill was an active member, is expected to have some part in the services. An obituary notice will be given in a later issue." (Randolph NY Register, March 5, 1915).

52. **Luman³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Aug 1793 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹⁰¹ d. 12 May 1879 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.⁶ "Luman Rublee came [to Montpelier] in 1818, was engaged in the hat manufacturing business many years, and died May 12, 1879, aged 86". (Hemenway, Vol. IV, page 529).

In 1848, Luman Rublee swore an affidavit, which became a part of the pension application of William Seymour, husband of his aunt Susannah (Rublee) Seymour. In it, he says he went to live with cousin William Seymour Jr. when he was 15 years of age (that is, about 1818) and lived with him for 9 years. He says that William Seymour Jr. was about 10 years older than he was. He states that Anna Seymour was about his age, and the elder Seymour's 6th child.

Bathsheba (Burbank) Rublee died of consumption.

"Luman Rublee, grandfather of Dr. [Charles C.] Rublee, and a son of Hiram Rublee, who lived and died at Berkshire, Vermont, was a native of Berkshire, Franklin County, Vermont, and after attaining his majority went to Montpelier, and engaged in the trade of hatter with Erastus Watrous, Esq. He was also engaged for many years in the manufacture of gloves with Mr. Watrous, and later his younger brother, Norman Rublee, was interested in this industry with him. In 1845 Mr. Rublee removed to New Haven, Addison County, Vermont, where he conducted agricultural pursuits between nine and ten years, after which he returned to Montpelier, where he spent the last twenty-five years of his life in comparative retirement. Mr. Rublee married twice, his first wife having been a sister of Silas Burbank, and among his children were Chauncy Moore, and Eliza, who was the faithful guardian and comforter of his declining years. During his sojourn in New Haven he married a second wife, Miss Smith, who died before his return to Montpelier. He was a member of the Bethany Church, a zealot Christian, modest and retiring, faithful and true as husband, father, and friend, without malice and free from guile. He pursued the even tenor of his life, and his end was peace. He passed away May 12, 1879, aged eighty six years." (Carlton, Vol. II, 1903)

Luman Rublee served in the War of 1812, in Capt. Mayo's Co., 1st Regiment. He earned a pension (Survivor's Original, # 32206). He settled in Montpelier in 1818. He served in the Vermont Legislature in 1839.

"BLACK LIST- LUMAN RUBLEE, hatter. This gentlemen is one of our ardent and most respectable citizens. He has a most expressive phiz, indicative of deep thought, and sagacity and an eye which telleth of the thoughts which he within, like the pent up fires of Vesuvius. Although not distinguished in public life (except as hogreeve) he is an individual gifted with extraordinary powers of mind. It is rumored that he will be put in nomination for private Secretary to the individual whose name follows this sketch. We shall advocate his cause. Strangers from adjoining towns will note this eminent citizen by the slow and deliberate pace with which he perambulates our streets, marking him most truly, as none of the 'common

herd.' He has but one fault, i.e. he refuses to pay his subscription for this paper. O Rublee! --O Mr Rublee!- O Mr Luman Rublee, do pay!" (Winooski Impetus (Montpelier, Vermont) 16 Dec 1835, Wed, page 2)

"Luman Rublee, Esq., father of the late Dr, Rublee, of Montpelier, is 79 years of age. Thursday of last week he put a ladder up against the two-story house in which he resides, and went up on it to cut the ice out of an eave trough. While thus engaged, the round upon which he was standing broke, and but for rare presence of mind, and still more rare agility for a man of his years, he had had a bad fall. Catching hold of a round above, he swung around to the under side of the ladder, dropping past the broken round, and came down hand over hand to the ground, escaping with an inconsiderable scratch on one hand and a slight soreness in his shoulders the next day. What other man of his years could do that?" (Argus and Patriot (Montpelier, Vermont) 13 Feb 1873, Thu, page 3)

"Luman Rublee, another of the old residents of Montpelier, passed to his last home on Tuesday morning. Fifty years ago Mr. Rublee was engaged in the manufacture of hats, and still later for several years in the glove trade, employing considerable help though he never acquired but a moderate competence. The remaining years of his life were spent with his daughter Eliza, his last days being rendered comfortable by his son, the late Dr. Chauncey Rublee, who amassed a handsome competence in his profession." (Argus and Patriot, 14 May 1879, Wed, Page 3)

"Luman Rublee. Another of Montpelier's aged and long-time residents has gone to his final rest, Luman Rublee having died at his residence on Main street on Monday evening last, aged eighty-six years. Mr. Rublee was born on the twenty-eighth day of August, 1793. He learned his trade that of a hatter with William J. Seymour in Burlington, and came to Montpelier in 1818 and formed a partnership with Erastus Watrous in that business, continuing together for several years, when he went into company in the same business with his brother, Norman Rublee, they doing business together for ten years, after which he carried on the manufacture of buckskin gloves for the next six years. Retiring in 1845 he removed to New Haven, this state, where he was engaged in farming for nine years, and returned to Montpelier in 1851 where he has since resided. Soon after commencing business here he married Bathsheba, the daughter of Silas Burbank, Sr., of this town, by whom he had two children, the late C. M. Rublee who died in January. 1870, and Eliza, with whom he has resided for many years. His wife dying in 1824, he some years afterwards married Sarah Smith of New Haven, who died in 1851, leaving no children. In early life he joined the Masonic lodge here and had been for many years a member of the Congregational church." (Vermont Christian Messenger, Montpelier, Vermont, 15 May 1879, Thu, page 3).

He married (1) **Bathsheba Burbank**, 1 Mar 1821 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 10 Sep 1796 in Sutton, Worcester Co., MA,¹⁰² (daughter of **Silas Burbank** [1769 - 1847] and **Bathsheba or Barshaba "Bertie" Egery** [1766 - 1825]), d. 8 Nov 1825 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁷³ buried in Elm Street Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.

Children:

- + 127 i. Chauncey Moore⁴ Rublee, M. D. b. 25 Nov 1821.
- 128 ii. Eliza Burbank Rublee b. 23 Aug 1823 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 29 Jan 1908 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Green Mount Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.¹⁰³ "Miss Eliza Rublee died early yesterday, morning at her home on School street of grip and pneumonia, aged 84 years. Miss Rublee was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luman Rublee, and had lived nearly her entire life in this city. She was prominent in the work of the

Woman's Christian Temperance union until failing health compelled her to give up all work. Her funeral will be held Wednesday." (The Burlington Free Press, Burlington, Vermont, 28 Jan 1908, Tue, page 5)

Eliza died without a will. Arthur D. Farwell was appointed administrator of her estate. Her heirs were her grandniece Sarah R. Pike; Emily R. Palmer; Edna P. Sargent and her grandnephew George C. Rublee, who assigned his portion to Oscar Sherwin of Morristown. Each share was \$1156.61.

He married (2) **Sarah Smith**, 19 Aug 1826 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT, b. abt 1800 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),² (daughter of **David Smith** [1766 - 1860] and **Sarah Pettibone** [1766 - 1799]), d. 27 Jan 1851 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶ buried in Evergreen Cem., New Haven, Addison Co., VT.

Children:

- 129 iii. Otis Smith Rublee b. 7 Aug 1827 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 6 Aug 1843 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Elm Street Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.
- 130 iv. Martha Maria Rublee b. 10 Jan 1829 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT (prob), d. 21 Mar 1829 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,¹⁰⁴ buried in Elm Street Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.⁷³ Martha Rublee's date of birth is estimated from her age at death.
- 131 v. Stillborn Son Rublee b. 2 Jun 1830 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ d. 2 Jun 1830 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Elm Street Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.

53. **Norman³ Rublee, Dea.** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1796 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT (prob),⁶ d. 15 Sep 1871 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Elm Street Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.¹⁰⁵ Norman Rublee was for some years involved in a glove manufacturing business in Montpelier, in partnership with his older brother Luman and Erastus Watrous, Esq. (Carlton, Hiram. Genealogical and Historical History of the State of Vermont)

Son Henry, born in 1826, was apparently born in Plattsburg, NY. Did Norman and Sophronia live there for a period of time in the mid-1820s?

In 1830, Norman Rublee was living next to his brother Luman in Montpelier, VT. In the home were 1 male under 5; 1 male 5-10; 1 male 10-15; 1 male 15-20 and 1 male 30-40; 1 female 0-5; 1 female 5-10; 1 female 15-20; 1 female 20-30 and 1 male 30-40. Norman was about 34 at the time and Sophronia was 33.

"Marriages. In Montpelier, Dea. Norman Rublee to Miss Mary Hubbard of Berlin." (Vermont Chronicle (Bellows Falls, Vermont), Thursday, January 29, 1835)

In 1840, the family was living in Worcester, Washington Co, VT. The grouping was: 1 male under 5; 1 male 5-10; 1 male 10-15; 1 male 15-20 and 1 male 30-40. Also, 1 female 5-10; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 15-20 and 1 female 30-40.

Norman Rublee was granted a patent on 4 Dec 1832 for a lamp to burn tallow, lard and beeswax. (Subject-matter index of patents for inventions issued by the United States Patent office from 1790 to 1873, inclusive, United States. Patent Office)

The scholars list for 1844-45 for the Washington County Grammar School included Hiram, Henry and Cornelia S. of Montpelier. In 1847, Cornelia S. of Montpelier was a scholar.

The 1850 census for Woodbury, Vt. lists Norman Rublee, (age _5); Abigail (47); Hiram (25); Charles (16); Edward (15); Fanny J. (11), and Otis (5). All were born in VT, except Norman, who is listed as being born in MA. Note that Fanny's surname is given as Rublee, but she was almost certainly Fanny J. Wright, Abigail's daughter.

In 1860, the Rublees were living in Middlesex, VT where Norman was a farmer. Norman was 62 years of age. Abigail was 57. Also in the home were Edward L. Rublee, age 22, Fanny J. Wright, age 20 and Otis N. Rublee, age 15.

In 1870, Norman, age 74 and Abigail Rublee, age 66, were living in Middlesex, VT where Norman was a farmer. Also in the home were Edward S. Rublee, age 31; Horatio Grant, age 13; and Caroline Wright, age 58 (presumably Abigail's sister).

Norman Rublee apparently lived at various times in Montpelier, Woodbury and Calais, VT. On 25 Jun 1847, Norman Rublee of Calais bought 200 acres in Woodbury from Daniel Sabin (Woodbury Town Records, Vol. 5, p. 493). On 17 Jan 1848, Norman Rublee of Woodbury bought another 100 acres from Daniel Sabin (Woodbury Town Record, Vol. 5, p. 545). On the same day, Norman Rublee sold land to Daniel Sabin (p. 546). He sold land to Peter Sabin on 3 May 1850 (Vol. 5, p. 117). On 14 Jun 1850 Peter Sabin quit claimed some land to Norman Rublee (p. 130).

A variety of land transactions for Norman Rublee are recorded in the Montpelier Town Records as well. These need further exploration:

For Norman: Vol. 6 (p. 312, 320); Vol. 7 (p. 683, 688; Vol. 10 (p. 12, 45, 55,460); Vol 11 (p. 102)

For Norman and Luman Rublee: Vol. 2 (p. 554); Vol. 5 (p. 491); Vol. 7 (p. 419); Vol. 8 (p. 493, 464); Vol. 9 (p. 244, 299, 300

For Luman: Vol. 9 (p. 381); Vol. 11 (p. 99, 591)

For Luman, exec.: Vol. 12 (p. 193, 195)

"False Pretences [sic]. About an hour before the horse of James G. French leveled the hitching posts on Main street, Montpelier, on Tuesday of last week, Norman Rublee, residing in the Middlesex locality known as "Bear Swamp," carried a pair of tugs into tin shop of D. T. Knapp to be mended, which job was completed ere the horse of Mr. French ran. When this runaway occurred, Rublee's horse, which was hitched in the locality where the posts were destroyed, broke a rein, and that, too, was taken to Knapp to mend. For both jobs Rublee paid forty cents, of which ten was for mending the rein. Then he went to Mr. French, and told him he had paid Knapp seventy five cents for mending harness broken because of the runaway whereupon that gentleman paid him that amount, which was 65 cents more than it cost him to have the breakage repaired that was caused by Mr. French's horse, and 85 cents more than he had Knapp for the whole job, 30 cents worth of which was completed ere the French horse ran. Such a case of petty

meanness is not often detected, and if Rublee is not called upon to answer for thus getting money under false pretences [sic] then other people will be nearly as blamable as he. A man who will be guilty of a small swindle is more dangerous than one who operates largely, just as the sneak thief is worse than the bold robber." (Argus and Patriot, 17 Jun 1869)

Norman Rublee, "late of Cabot" died without a will. On 9 Sep 1871, sons Edward S. Rublee and Otis N. Rublee requested of the Washington County Probate Court that his son Henry F. Rublee of Gilford, NH be appointed administrator of the estate, not expected to exceed \$1200. The request is recorded in Vol. 1, page 70 of the volumes on administrations. Vol. 5, page 24 indicates that the inventory totaled \$424.17 including \$400 in real estate. Son John H. Rublee is mentioned.

There is some discrepancy in information about Sophronia (Wilder) Rublee's exact date of death. Her gravestone gives the date 26 June 1834. However, the 14 Jul 1834 edition of the North Star Newspaper in Danville indicates that she died on 25 June.

A photograph of Norman Rublee is in the possession of Marilyn Sanborn Gwartney, a descendant of Norman's daughter Francis Rublee Sanborn. A note on the back of the photograph says the following: "Mother Sanborn's father name Norman Rublee found first S. S. [??] in Vt (Congregational). Sold his home to Admiral Dewey's father when he moved away. Started first S. S. Cong. in Vermont." Admiral Dewey's father would be Julius Dewey.

Note that the death notice for Otis Rublee indicates that he was the youngest of 13 children. Only 11 are accounted for. The 1840 census does not suggest other children born before 1840.

Son Charles' death notice states "His parents were somewhat fanatical on religious matters and he himself had been under the care of a guardian for the greater part of his life." The following letter from Norman Rublee to "Brother White" at the Advent Review and Sabbath Herald confirms that Norman Rublee had a religious bent:

"DEAR BRO. WHITE:- The Review is a welcome messenger to me and my family. We are all thankful to receive it every week, in this dark corner of the land, where we hear so much about a Christian Sabbath. Last First-day, I attended a meeting to hear an old Methodist Preacher, according to appointment, prove from the Bible that the first day of the week is the Christian Sabbath. His text was taken from Mark 2:27, 28: The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath: therefore the Son of man is Lord also of the Sabbath.

In the first place, while he was speaking of the holy Sabbath at the creation, that the seventh day was set apart for a day of rest for man in all ages, I could not refrain from exclaiming, Amen! He then took another track, and said that as Christ was Lord of the Sabbath day, he had power to make it over into a Christian Sabbath; and because he rose on the first day, he and his disciples ever after met on that day; they never met on the seventh day after that, and it could not be shown from the Bible to the contrary.

He then proceeded to show how contemptible and wicked those were who paid so little regard to the Resurrection Day - the Christian Sabbath. He said many other things after this sort, and as he closed, seeing he was going to give no room for remarks, I rose and inquired if I could have the privilege of saying

a few words. His answer was - No! I then said that I would like to ask one or two questions for information. His answer was - No!! one word will bring another.

O, the awful blindness of the professed followers of Jesus! It is enough to make one's blood chill to see how they make void the law of God. I think I saw, in this, the dragon's ire, manifesting itself against God's truth.

Myself and family are together striving to keep God's Sabbath, and all his commandments, and the faith of Jesus. I feel stronger than ever to go ahead against wind and tide, and not be among those who draw back to perdition. NORMAN RUBLEE. Woodbury, Vt., Dec. 27th, 1853."

(<http://text.egwwritings.org/publication.php?pubtype=Periodical&bookCode=ARSH&lang=en&collection=15§ion=all&pagenumber=205&year=1854&month=January&day=10¶graphnumber=173&QUERY=E.S.+Sheffield&resultId=11>).

He married (1) **Sophronia Dolly Wilder**, 5 Feb 1822 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 3 Aug 1797 in Norwich, Windsor Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **Abel Wilder** [1752 - 1802] and **Mary "Polly" Paine** [1755 - 1833]), d. 26 Jun 1834 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Elm Street Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.

Children:

- 132 i. Hiram Wilder⁴ Rublee b. 17 Nov 1822 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 1901 in Denver, Denver Co., CO.¹⁰⁶ Hiram was still living with his father in 1850 in Woodbury, VT, where he was listed in the 1850 census. Sometime after 1850, he seems to have left Vermont. Here are some "sightings".

-- A Hiram W. Rublee joined the Congregational church in Chelsea, VT on 3 Jul 1842. He was dismissed to a church in Hardwick, VT in 1853. He appears on a list of the parishioners of the Congregational Church in Hardwick in 1853 and 1861.

-- A Hiram W. Rublee bought land in Wabasha Co., MN on 1 Nov 1859 and 2 Jul 1860.

-- A Hiram W. Rublee, age 52, was living in Gilford, Wabasha Co., MN at the time of the Minnesota State Census of 1875, taken on May 1. He was born in Vermont, as were both his parents. He was living in the same neighborhood with Hoyts and Lambs from New Haven, VT. He was a member of the household of George H. Hoyt, age 33, wife Fanny, age 34, and children Henry, age 11 and E. B., age 11 (McGinnis, Lynda).

-- A H. W. Rublee age, 57 was living in Denver, CO in 1880, a boarder in the household of W. A. Reavel. He was a blacksmith, married, and born in Vermont. The household is made up of single, working men who were working in the railroad. He had married in 1879, to J. N. Sanborn in Weld Co., CO. In 1880, Jennie N. Rublee was living in Weld Co., as head of household. She was 43, born in CT. Also in the home were son Burton D. Sanborn, age 20, born in NY; and (grand?) daughter Grace Sanborn, age 3, born in CO. Jennie was apparently the widow of John F. Sanborn, who died in 1876 in Greeley, Weld Co., CO.

-- Hiram W. Rublee was a wagon maker in Denver, as listed in the 1883 business directory for Denver.

-- Hiram W. Rublee patented a wagon jack on 12 Apr 1887.

-- Hiram W. Rublee was a wagon-jack manufacturer in Denver, CO, listed in the 1890 city directory for Denver. His business operated at the rear of 777 Grant Avenue.

-- Hiram W. Rublee lived in Denver in 1894-95 and 12896, as listed in the city directory.

-- H. W. Rublee was a patient at the Arapahoe County (CO) Poor Hospital in 1897 and 1898. He was 74 and 75 years old at the time.

-- He appears as Hiram Ruby in the 1900 census in Denver. He was born about 1822, a lodger, born in Vermont. In 1900, Jennie or Jerusha N. Sanborn, born Jul 1836 in CT, was her own household in Greeley, Weld Co., CO. It appears that her marriage to Hiram Rublee may have been short-lived.

-- Hiram Rublee was listed in the Horton Burial Index (Denver, CO) in 1910. I cannot read his occupation. He was living in a very large establishment on Blake St., probably a hotel.

Hiram's name was not among the heirs of his brother Charles when Charles' estate was distributed in 1913.

He married Jerusha "Jennie" N. (Davis) Sanborn, 6 Feb 1879 in Greeley, Weld Co., CO,¹⁰⁷ b. abt 1837 in CT (daughter of George Davis and Elizabeth _____), d. 7 Feb 1919 in Greeley, Weld Co., CO (prob), buried in Linn Grove Cem., Greeley, Weld Co., CO.¹⁰⁸ Jerusha's first husband was John Franklin Sanborn. They married 17 Oct 1858 in Thompson, CT. In 1870, they lived in Clinton, Rock Co., WI. They moved to Colorado before 1876 when John died in Greeley, Weld Co., CO.

In 1880, Jennie N. Rublee lived in Weld Co., CO. She was married, but Hiram was not in the home. In 1910, Jerusha is listed as Jerusha N. Sanborn. She lived in Greeley, Weld Co., CO.

+ 133 ii. Mary Ann Rublee b. Jul 1824.

+ 134 iii. Henry Francis Rublee b. 6 Dec 1826.

+ 135 iv. Frances Harriet Rublee b. 6 Mar 1829.

+ 136 v. Cornelia S. Rublee b. Aug 1831.

137 vi. Charles A. Rublee b. 9 Dec 1833 in Woodbury, Washington Co., VT,⁶ d. 5 Oct 1909 in Calais, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in South Woodbury Cem., Woodbury, Washington Co., VT.¹⁰⁹
In the year ending 31 Jul 1854, a Charles Rublee of Woodbury was a patient at the Brattleboro Retreat for 3 weeks. He was there for all of the following 24 months. It appears he was discharged around June 1856.

In 1860, Charles Rublee lived in Woodbury, VT. He was 27 years old. He was a farm laborer living with Ira and Delia P. Jewell. In 1870, he lived in Calais, VT. He was 37 and working as a farm laborer. I cannot find him in the 1880 census, in Vermont or elsewhere.

In 1883-4, he was a farm laborer in Calais, VT, working for Mrs. T. C. Jack. The 1900 U. S. Census for Calais, VT lists Charles A. Rublee as servant to George Ballantine. The cause of his death was pneumonia resulting from broken ribs fractured during a fall.

In August 1886, the Vermont Supreme Court heard a case: C. C. Haskell, guardian of C. A. Rublee vs. Ira G. Jewell. The issue had to do with wages earned by C. A. Rublee. The report of the case indicates that Ira Jewell had been guardian of Charles A. Rublee for many years until March 1885, when he resigned. While he was Rublee's guardian, Charles has lived with him family, and worked for him. He was given spending money, but not wages. Mr. Haskell then became guardian of Charles Rublee. He sued Jewell for the wages due to Charles. (Source: New England Reporter, Published by Lawyers' Co-operative Publ. Co., 1887)

Together with Charles' hospitalization, this case suggests that Charles had a developmental disability, or a mental illness.

"Charles Rublee died October 5, at the home of Curtis Tibbetts in East Calais as the result of injuries received the week before from the attack of a bull. Although his injuries would not have been serious in a younger man, his advanced age of 76 years was against him.

Mr. Rublee is survived by a brother and two sisters. He had been a farmer all his life and was never married. His parents were somewhat fanatical on religious matters and he himself had been under the care of a guardian for the greater part of his life." (Middlebury Register, October 15, 1909)

"SOUTH WOODBURY. The funeral of Charles Rublee was held at the home of Curtis Tebbetts last Friday afternoon, Mr. Ewen officiating. Mr. Rublee was born in the town of Woodbury Dec. 9, 1833, and was the son of Norman and Sophronia Rublee. He spent the last few years of his life at Curtis Tebbetts', where he was shown every kindness, and he became much attached to the family. While his life seemed clouded in many ways, yet it possessed some of the most pronounced lines of Christian faith and uprightness. Although no relatives by blood were present to mourn his departure, his friends and neighbors honored his memory." (The Vermont Watchman, October 14, 1909)

"Funeral of Charles Rublee Held at Calais. East Calais, Oct. 7. Charles Rublee, a well known resident of this section died Tuesday from injuries sustained when he was attacked by a bull. Mr. Rublee was leading the bull from the pasture when the animal suddenly attacked him, striking him in the chest and tossing him through a barbed wire fence. His advanced age hastened Mr. Rublee's death from shock. He leaves one brother, John of Boston, and two sisters, Mrs. Frances Sanborn of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Caroline F. Hayward, of Pasadena, California." (Bennington Evening Banner, 8 Oct 1909)

Charles A. Rublee, late of Calais, died without a will. On 5 Oct 1909, his heirs requested that Hiram L. Sparrow be appointed administrator. His inventory totaled \$2907.74. Distribution was not made until 2 Jul 1913. The following heirs are mentioned:

- Frances H. Sanborn, sister, who had died by the time of the distribution
- Marianne R. Ellis, sister
- Cornelia S. Hayward, sister
- Julia C. Skinner, sister
- John H. Rublee, brother
- Henry F. Rublee, brother, deceased, and his children Alson F. Rublee and Emeline F. Rublee
- Otis Rublee, brother, deceased and his child Gertrude L. Purington.

He married (2) **Mary "Polly" Hubbard**, 5 Feb 1835 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 22 Aug 1805 in Berlin, Washington Co., VT,^{6,28} (daughter of **Peter Hubbard** and **Molly Hubbard**), d. 14 Jun 1845 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Elmwood Cem., Barre, Washington Co., VT.¹¹⁰ Mary Hubbard resided in Berlin at the time of her marriage to Norman Rublee. Mary was probably the daughter of Peter and Molly Hubbard of Berlin, whose birth record on this date is listed under Polly Hubbard.

Mary (Hubbard) Rublee died just several months after her son Otis was born. Vermont Phoenix, Friday 27 Jun 1845: "Suicide. We learn that Mrs. Rublee, wife of Dea. Norman Rublee, of Barre, one day last week, under pretense of going to a neighbors, went to a wood nearby, and cut her throat, where she was found dead not long after. She was evidently deranged." So sad! Perhaps she had post-partum depression?

It seems odd that daughter Julia was taken in by relatives, but Otis apparently was not. Norman married again, just three months after Mary's death.

Children:

- 138 vii. Edward Payson Rublee b. abt Mar 1836 in Washington Co., VT (prob),¹¹¹ d. 19 Jan 1837 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.⁶ Edward died at 10 months of age.
- 139 viii. Edward L. Rublee b. abt 1838 in Washington Co., VT (prob), d. 20 Jan 1896 in Lynn, Essex Co., MA.¹¹² At the time of the 1850 census, a 15-year-old Edward Rublee was in the household of Norman Rublee. His death record that this Edward Rublee was a son of Norman and Mary. Apparently he was named after his elder brother Edward, who died young.

In 1860, Edward L. Rublee, age 22, lived with Norman and Abigail Rublee in Middlesex. He continued to live with them in Middlesex in 1870, when he was listed as age 31. Edward L. Rublee, age 42, lived in Somerville, MA in 1880. He and his parents were born in Vermont. His occupation was "trader", and he was living in the household of Edward Bancroft, age 50, born in VT and Lucia Bancroft, age 60, born in RI. His brother John also lived there. By then, father Norman Rublee had died. Brother Otis Rublee had also moved to Middlesex Co., MA.

At the time of his death in Lynn, he was a grocer. His death record indicates that he was to be buried in Vermont.

"The remains of Edward L. Rublee, who died in Lynn, Mass, December 9, aged 58 years, were brought here [Barre, VT] for interment last week Friday." (Granite City Leader, Barre, VT, 19 Dec 1896)

Note that different records conflict about Edward's age; therefore his year of birth is unclear.

- 140 ix. John H. Rublee b. 11 May 1839 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,¹¹³ d. 31 Jan 1915 in Roxbury, Suffolk Co., MA,¹¹⁴ buried in Riverside Cem., Newmarket, Rockingham Co., NH.¹¹⁵ John's death record confirms that his parents were Norman Rublee and Mary Hubbard. He is also listed as a brother to Charles A. Rublee in Charles' estate records, dated in 1913. I do not found him in Vermont vital records. Nor does a thorough search of the 1850 census reveal where he was living at that time. His death record gives this date of birth, in 1839. His gravestone gives 1841 as his year of birth.

In 1860, John H. Rublee, age 19, lived in Barre, VT. He was a farmhand for Lyman and Phebe Gale. John served in the Civil War, in Company B 10 Vt. Infantry. He received a pension. I have not located him in the 1870 census. He was not living with his father. In 1880, he lived in Somerville, MA. He and brother Edward were boarders in the same household.

John Rublee is listed in the 1884 Boston city directory as a salesman. In the city directory for 1892-93, he is listed as a grocer. John and Alvena married in Boston in 1885. The marriage record indicates that John was born in Barre, VT, son of Norman and Mary. It was a first marriage for both of them.

He was a civil war soldier who was listed in the special veteran's census in 1890. He served from 1862-1865. He enlisted on 2 Aug 1862, from Barre, VT. He served in Vermont in the B10 Vermont Infantry. He received a pension for his service. At that time, he was lived in Boston. His wife's name was Alvena.

John and Alvena lived in Boston at the times of the 1900 and 1910 census. John was a grocer. Both years, Alvena's mother Mary A. Tredick lived with them. The Rublees did not have children.

Alvena married Terence Adams in 1919, Boston, MA. He was born about 1860 in Canada. In 1920, the Adams lived next door to William Tredick, likely Alvena's brother. They both died in Boston in 1939. There is also a death record for Alvena in NH, indicating she was buried in Newmarket, NH.

"VETERAN OF THE CIVIL WAR. John H. Rublee, Roxbury Business Man, Dies in his home of Complication of Diseases. John H. Rublee, aged 73, died yesterday at his home, 7 Mt Pleasant ave Roxbury, of a complication of diseases after an illness of about three weeks. He was born in Barre, Vt. At the age of 21 he enlisted In Co B, 10th Vermont Regiment, and served through the Civil War, being honorably discharged at the close. After returning to Vermont from the war he came to Boston and opened a fruit and vegetable stall in the old Suffolk Market. Afterward he went to Somerville and conducted a grocery store for five or six years. In 1887 he removed to Lynn and became a traveling salesman, touring New

Hampshire, Vermont and Canada for five years or so. In 1855 he was married to Miss Alvena Tredick of Alton, N H, at the Pilgrim Church, Roxbury. About 23 years ago Mr. Rublee opened a grocery store on Dudley st. which he conducted up to his death. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 oclock. (The Boston Globe Boston, Massachusetts, 02 Feb 1915, Tue, page 4)

A second version of this obituary also mentions Mrs. Julia Skinner of Worcester and Mrs. Marianna Ellis of Oakland, Cal. as survivors.

He married Alvena A. Tredick, 28 May 1885 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA,¹¹² b. Jun 1851 in Alton, Belknap Co., NH,¹¹² (daughter of William O. Tredick and Mary Augusta Durgin), d. 27 Jul 1938 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA, buried in Riverside Cem., Newmarket, Rockingham Co., NH.¹¹⁵

- + 141 x. Julia C. Rublee aka Hubbard b. 2 Apr 1843.
- 142 xi. Otis Norman Rublee b. 3 Mar 1845 (cal) in Woodbury, Washington Co., VT,¹¹² d. 12 Oct 1903 in Lynn, Essex Co., MA,¹¹² buried in Pine Grove Cem., Lynn, Essex Co., MA.¹¹² Otis was likely named after Norman's young nephew, who died in 1843. An Otis Rublee was a musician in the 13th Regiment, Company A, in the Civil War, a resident of Middlesex, VT. He was commissioned 25 Aug, 1862, and mustered out 21 July, 1863 (Peck, 1892, page 484). He received a pension.

In 1870, Otis and Harriet lived in Berlin, VT. He was 25 and she was 26. Both were born in Vermont. Gertie L. Rublee was age 7. Otis was a carpenter and joiner.

He had moved to Cambridge, MA by 1880. He is listed in the census as Otis M. Rublee, age 35. His wife Hattie A. was 36, born in Vermont. Daughter Gertrude L. was 17, born in Vermont, working as a milliner. Gertrude was actually Otis's step-daughter. Her marriage record gives her surname as Cressey, daughter of Wilson and Hattie A. Cressey.

In 1890, the Rublees lived in Lynn, MA. Otis' brother Edward Rublee also lived in Lynn. Otis is listed as a carpenter in the 1890 city directory for Lynn, living at the same address as Mrs. H. A. Rublee. Was this Hattie? Edward L. Rublee lived at a different address.

"Mr. Otis Norman Rublee, a native of Vermont and a veteran of the Civil War, died Monday at Lynn, aged 58. In 1861 he enlisted in the United States Volunteers as a bugler in the Third Battalion, Vermont Light Artillery. He moved to Lynn in 1878, and was connected with the Thomson-Houston Electric Company, now General Electric, as a pattern maker, later establishing his own factory. He was associated with the Odd Fellows, American Mechanics, United Workmen, and Post 5, G. A. R. A daughter, two brothers and three sisters survive. Mr. Rublee was the youngest of thirteen children." (Boston Evening Transcript, 12 Oct 1903).

He married Harriet "Hattie" P. (Leonard) Cressey, 26 Apr 1868 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 29 Jan 1844 (cal) in Middlesex, Washington Co., VT,³² (daughter of Chauncy B. Leonard and Sarah "Sally" Putnam), d. 2 Jan 1902 in Lynn, Essex Co., MA,¹¹² buried in Pine Grove Cem., Lynn, Essex Co., MA.¹¹⁶

He married (3) **Abigail Wright**, 14 Sep 1845 in Calais, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 25 Jul 1803 in Calais, Washington Co., VT,^{6,117} (daughter of **Levi Wright** [1772 - 1825] and **Caroline Wilbur** [1782 - 1859]), d. 6 May 1871 in Cabot, Caledonia Co., VT,⁶ buried in Ainsworth Cem., Calais, Washington Co., VT.¹¹⁸

Children:

- 143 xii. Fanny Jane Wright b. 9 Aug 1839 in Calais, Washington Co., VT, d. 6 Nov 1911 in Lake City, Wabash Co., MN.²⁶ This name is taken from the 1850 U. S. Census for Woodbury, VT, when Fanny J. Rublee was 11. In 1860, a Fanny J. Wright, age 20, was living with Norman and Abigail Rublee. Then, Fanny J. Wright married George H. Hoyt on 20 Sep 1863 in Middlesex, VT. She was 23, born in Calais. It is very likely that Fanny was born to Abigail Wright before she married Norman Rublee. I am leaving her here as a child of Norman's, even though she is not, just so she is accounted for.

In 1870, George and Fanny Hoyt lived in Cabot, VT with their two sons -- Freeman, age 5 and Edgar B., age 1. In 1880, they lived in Guilford, Wabasha, MN. Their children were Henry, age 15; Edwin, age 11 and Fanny, age 5. Fanny was born in Minnesota; the others were born in Vermont.

In 1900, they lived in Lake City Ward 1, Wabasha, Minnesota. They were 60 and 59, both born in VT. They had been married for 37 years, and had 3 children, all living. Son Henry F. Hoyt, age 35, lived with them. They continued to live in Lake City in 1910. Nine-year-old Ruth Newtworth lived with them. I cannot find them in the 1920 census.

Fanny's indexed Minnesota death record gives her name as Fanny Jane Wright Hoyt. Her parents' names were not known.

Note that Otis Rublee's obituary states that he was the youngest of 13 children. This would confirm that Norman was not Fanny's father.

She married George Henry Hoyt, 20 Sep 1863 in Middlesex, Washington Co., VT,³² b. Oct 1841 in Cabot, Caledonia Co., VT (prob) (son of Jonathon P. Hoyt and Eursula J. Gore), d. 29 Mar 1913 in Lake City, Wabash Co., MN.¹¹⁹

55. **Almira³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 26 May 1798 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,¹²⁰ d. 16 Jan 1854 in Buffalo, Marquette Co., WI,^{121,120} buried in Fuller Cem., Marcellon, Columbia Co., WI.¹²¹

She married **Quincy Hall**, est 1825 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?, b. 16 May 1800 in Ashby, Middlesex Co., MA (prob),¹²² (son of **John Hall** [1753 - 1834] and **Betsy Bennett**), d. 3 Oct 1870 in Carlos, Douglas Co., MN.¹²⁰ Quincy Hall's family is covered in the History of Ashburnham, MA. Quincy's brother John Hall lived in Berkshire, VT for some years, returning to Ashburnham in 1825. He later moved to Wisconsin, about 1840. This is about the same time as Quincy and Almira moved to Wisconsin. His brother Nancy and her husband Joseph Fletcher lived in Enosburg, VT. Brother Henry Hall lived in Berkshire, and married Abigail Crampton.

I have not been able to find any birth or marriage record for Quincy Hall. According to his death notice, he was born in Ashley, MA. This is likely Ashby, MA. Ashby and Ashburnham, although in different counties, are adjacent towns in Massachusetts.

However, a family bible exists for Quincy Hall. It is currently (2020) in possession of Sheryl (Obrikat) Wright, a Hall descendent. It records events as follows:

Births:

Mr. Quincy Hall born Ashby May 16, 1800
Mrs. Almira Hall born New Haven May 26, 1798
Calvin born Berkshire October 28, 1824
Chauncy born Jerico [sic] November 25, 1827
Henry born Bolton March 16(?), 1832
Ovah born Champion December 3, 1836
O. J. Hall son of C. M and Olive Hall
?? [July 16] 1864
Henry Ova born Buffalo [WI] May 15, 1862

Orin J. Hall and Mary A.
Mather married Nov. 19th, 1877
at Elsworth, Wisconsin
Mary A. Hall born 24 of May 1852
Died 24 of June 1908
Aged 46 years and 1 month
Henry J. son of O. J. Hall
Born Minn Jan 16 1879
Ada M Minn Mar 21, 1881
Bernie C. Hall May 1, 1884
Ida Pearl Apr. 20, 1887
Lillie May Mar. 7, 1895
Jessie S. Aug. 4, 1891

Marriages:

Quincy Hall and Almira Rublee married April the 9th 1822
Calvin J. Rublee and Clarisa Rublee married October 29 1845
Chauncy M. Hall and Olive Thurber married Jan 29 1852
Ova H. Hall and Anna Van Tine married Feb 11 [no year given and this date was recorded in a different hand]

Deaths:

Almira Hall died Buffalo Jan 16 1854
? [Henry Ova] son of C. M. and Olive Hall
died July 12 1865
James son of Quincy and Almira
Hall died Jan 11 at Cheyenne 1868

Died
Oct 3d 1890 Quincy Hall
Aged 70 years 4 months and 18 days
Henry son of Quincy and Almira
Hall died Jan 20 1876 at
Paris Texas aged 44 years

In the Bible is tucked a printed card which is a death notice for Chauncey M. Hall.

Quincy Hall lived in Bolton, VT at the time of the 1830 census. In the household was a male under 5; a male 5-10; a male 30-40; and a female 30-40. The Halls lived adjacent to Hiram B. Rublee, Almira's brother.

Note that son Ova Hall, born in 1835, consistently has New York as his place of birth in the census. So, apparently the Halls lived for some time in New York.

In 1840, Quincy Hall was head of household in Sheboygan Territory, WI. He lived alone. Where was Almira living at this time?

An article in the Milwaukee Free Press, published on 15 Feb 1915, indicates that the Alvah Rublee family travelled west in 1840 in the company of the Quincy Halls (Mrs. Alvira [sic] Hall being a sister of Alvah Rublee) and the Wessler family. Mr. Wessler was the only man in the party, as Quincy Hall had come west at the same time as Alvah Rublee in the fall of 1839. The party drove from Berkshire to Burlington, VT in May of 1840. They had been staying in Berkshire with the children's grandparents. (The Kents?) From there they crossed Lake Champlain to Plattsburg by steamboat. Then, they travelled the Erie Canal to Buffalo, that trip taking more than a week. They boarded a steamboat loaded with New England immigrants, bound for Milwaukee. Alvah Rublee met them in Milwaukee. They stayed there a few days while waiting for a sailboat. It took nearly a week to travel the 50 miles to Sheboygan.

The Halls later settled in Fond du Lac, where a Quincy Hall was resident in 1848. They lived in Oakfield, Fond du Lac, WI in 1850. Chauncy was 22; Henry was 18 and Ova was 13. Quincy was 50 and Almira 52. Quincy's elder brother John Hall and family were living nearby. The John Hall family appears to have been living in Richford, Waushara Co., WI in 1860.

In 1860, Quincy Hall lived in Buffalo, Marquette Co., WI. He was age 60, born in Massachusetts. Also in the home were Rebecca Hall, age 40 (born Canada); Elizabeth Olds, age 50 (born Canada); and William Olds, age 10 (born NY). Was Rebecca a second wife? In 1860, a Henry Hall, born in VT about 1830 was living in Rushford, Winnebago, WI with wife Sarah, age 24.

In 1870, Quincy Hall, then age 70, lived in Carlos, Douglas Co., MN, in the household of his son Chauncey Hall. There was no Rebecca.

"HALL, Quincy (1800-1870)

At the residence of his son, in Carlos Township, on Monday morning, 3d inst., Mr. QUINCY HALL.

The deceased was born at Ashley [sic], Mass., May 16th, 1800. He was an early settler of Sheboygan county, Wisconsin, and removed from that State to Minnesota about three and a half years since. He was the father of Judge HALL, formerly of St. Cloud. He left two sons, residents of Douglas county, Chancy M. and Ova H. Hall, with the latter of whom he was stopping when he died. The deceased was for many years a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. Funeral services were held in the house in which he died, on Tuesday, conducted by Rev. R. Everts, pastor of the Congregational Church, Alexandria. Text of discourse, 37th Psalm, 37th verse, "Mark the Perfect Man, and behold the upright, for the end of that Man is Peace."

Children:

- + 144 i. Calvin "James"⁴ Hall b. 28 Oct 1824.
- + 145 ii. Chauncy Moore Hall b. 25 Nov 1827.
- 146 iii. Henry Hall b. abt 1832 in Bolton, Chittenden Co., VT,¹²⁰ d. 20 Jan 1876 in Paris, Lamar Co., TX.¹²⁰
- + 147 iv. Ova Hoyt Hall b. 3 Dec 1836.

56. **Laura³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 18 Jul 1799 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁶ d. 13 Oct 1865 in Magog, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ buried in Fitch Bay Cem., Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC. Laura Rublee is referred to as Laura Davis in her father's 1835 will. After many years of searching, I have finally determined with a fair degree of certainty that she married Walter Davis, and the couple lived in Canada. I conclude this on the basis of a death record for her daughter Faustina F. (Davis) Clifford, who died on 3 Dec 1900 in Lowell, MA at age 67. She was born in Canada and her parents are given as Walter Davis and Laura Rublee. She was the widow of Samos S. Clifford.

In 1861, Walter and Laura lived in Stanstead, QC. Both were born in the US. Walter was 66 and Laura was 62, which puts her birth in 1799. Also in the home were Hiram Davis, age 25 and Julia A. Davis, spinster, age 22. Both were born in Lower Canada.

The 1900 census entry for Walter and Laura's daughter Faustina indicates that Walter was born in NH.

She married **Walter Davis**, est 1820, b. abt 1795 in VT or NH, d. 1 Nov 1865 in Magog, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ buried in Fitch Bay Cem., Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC.

Children:

- 148 i. Sarah⁴ Davis b. abt 1825 in QC, Canada?, d. 13 Apr 1854 in Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC (prob),¹²³ buried in Fitch Bay Cem., Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC.¹²³

She married Samos Shields Clefford or Clifford, est 1845, b. 25 May 1825 (son of Richard Clefford and Eleanor Shields), d. 7 Jul 1869 in Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ buried in Fitch Bay Cem., Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC.¹²³ Samos married first Sarah Davis, and then after her death, Sarah's sister Faustina.

- 149 ii. Norman Davis b. abt 1827 in QC, Canada?, d. 24 May 1856 in Magog, Stanstead Co., QC,¹²⁴ buried in Fitch Bay Cem., Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC.¹²³ Norman Davis was killed instantly by lightening, according to his death record.

- 150 iii. Faustina Fanny Davis b. Sep 1833 in QC, Canada, d. 3 Dec 1900 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA,¹²⁵ buried in Edson Cem., Chelmsford, Middlesex Co., MA. In 1861, Faustina Clifford/Clefford lived in Stanstead QC, with her husband. In 1871, Faustina was a widow with 4 children living in Stanstead, QC. Her sister Julia lived with her. In 1900, she was head of household in Lowell, MA.

She married Samos Shields Clefford or Clifford, 1 Aug 1854 in Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ b. 25 May 1825 (son of Richard Clefford and Eleanor Shields), d. 7 Jul 1869 in Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ buried in Fitch Bay Cem., Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC.¹²³ Samos married first Sarah Davis, and then after her death, Sarah's sister Faustina.

- 151 iv. Hiram Davis b. abt 1836 in QC, Canada, d. aft 1865. Hiram was a witness on his father's death record in 1865.

- 152 v. Julia A. Davis b. abt 1838 in QC, Canada, d. 1 Oct 1896 in Stanstead, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁵ In 1871, Julia lived in Stanstead, QC with her sister Faustina (Davis) Clifford and her family.

57. **Alvah³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Feb 1802 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁶ d. 1844 in Sheboygan, Sheboygan Co., WI.¹²⁶ On 31 Oct 1827, Daniel Burleson and George Jewett filed a complaint concerning a large honeycomb in a maple tree that had been marked DB. They believed that Alva and Belden Rublee had stolen the honeycomb. They were asking for the house and barns of the two Rublees be searched. The search warrant was granted, with instructions that the Rublees be brought for hearing if the honey was found. Apparently the two were guilty, as they were brought in for hearing.

"The [Rublee] family removed for a time to Lower Canada, returning thence to Vermont, and in 1840, to Wisconsin Territory, settling in Sheboygan County." (Genealogy of the Tenney family: more particularly of the family of Daniel Tenney, and Sylvia Kent, his wife, late of Laporte, Loraine County, Ohio, from 1634 and 1638 to 1875, page 65)

The census for Sheboygan county was taken on 23 Jun 1840. Quincy Hall was there, on his own. Alvah Rublee was not. Alvah was not counted in Vermont either. The famiy was perhaps en route to Wisconsin Territory. There was no Canadian census taken around that time, so that cannot be checked.

"My father, Alvah Rublee, came west in the fall of 1839, and engaged in lumbering in Sheboygan County during the ensuing winter. His family came on the next summer, when my personal acquaintance with the locality began. Some idea of the hardships occasionally endured by the Pioneer settlers of the West, may be gained from one of the experiences of my father during his first winter here. While in the woods one day, a limb of a tree fell, striking upon his shoulder and dislocated his arm. There was no surgeon nearer than Milwaukee. His companions endeavored to set it, in vain. Their efforts only increased the inflammation of the bruised and dislocated limb. This was near evening, and the following morning, he was compelled to set out for Milwaukee, on foot and along, for surgical aid. There was no road except for an Indian trail, and no settlement until he reached Fort Washington. The weather was cold, and there was considerable snow on the ground. He was two days in reaching Milwaukee, suffering all the while from torturing pain, and when he arrived there, the dislocated joint has become so swollen and inflamed that it was only with the greatest difficulty that it was restored." (Early Times in Sheboygan County. Wisconsin Historical Society, Vol. IV.)

"The elder (Alvah) Rublee came west to Sheboygan County in 1839 and obtained employment managing the Farnsworth mill with A. Farrow. (Note: A. Farrow married Martha (Kent) Rublee after Alvah Rublee's death.) Mrs. Rublee and her three children, among them Horace, age 10, joined him in June 1840. For about a year the Rublees lived in a frame house near the mill, then removed to another built on land where Wildwood Cemetery is now located. Alvah Rublee divided his time between farming and working in the mill, and commenced clearing a farm in the Dye settlement in the town of Lime, intending to make it his home, but he died in 1844." (Buchan, Gustoave. Historic Sheboygan County. 1944.)

Horace Rublee painted this picture of Sheboygan in 1840: "In the summer of 1840, there were about three families at the village of Sheboygan. Only small coasting vessels, engaged in carrying lumber south, touched here. Our family came around the lakes, by steamer to Milwaukee. Thence we proceeded by small schooner. This after a passage of about sixteen hours, anchored off Sheboygan; and, an hour or two before dawn, one beautiful summer night, we were transferred to a scow boat, which was soon rowed in at the mouth of the river, and landed. The morning showed a strange spectacle. Scattered about through the pleasant groves of second growth pine and oak, which covered the play, were well-built dwelling houses, neatly painted an new, and along several streets were a number of buildings, designed for stores, all abandoned. Now and then a stragglng Indian might be seen, or the tinkle of his pony's bell, but of other inhabitants, there was neither sight nor sound. Three white families, however, did reside somewhere near the harbor at this period; those of Joshua Brown, Hugh Rittner and Horace Stone. . . There was not a store or trading shop of any kind in the county. Everything had to be obtained from Milwaukee."

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For the first year, the Rublees lived in a frame house near the Farnsworth mill. They then moved to a house at the present site of the Wildwood Cemetery. The Rublee children played with the Indian children living nearby. The only other white children in the area were the Cole children, who lived in Sheboygan Falls. At first, there were no formal schools in the area. In the winter of 1836-1837, Alvah Rublee's cousin Francis Manville Rublee taught school for one year before moving further west. In 1840, Alvah Rublee was one of three men elected to be on the school commission of School District No. 1.

Alvah Rublee died in 1844; Martha married Alvah's former partner about a year later. At that time, the family moved to a farm about four miles west of Sheboygan, on the site of the present Falls cemetery.

This newspaper article indicates that Alvah and Martha were married in Berkshire in 1824.

"The only people in the county, in the early part of 1840, were James Farnsworth, and family, within the limits of the present city of Sheboygan, which contained eight or ten unoccupied houses, built during the

land speculation of 1836-37. John Johnson and family lived near the present cemetery. Two miles up the river, at the saw-mill built by William Farnsworth, there lived Alvin (sic) Rublee, Adonikan Farrow and William Ashby." History of Sheboygan County (WI) (Rootsweb Freepages)

In 1800, there were only two Farrows listed in the Maine census: Samuel and David Jr., both of Buckfield, Cumberland Co.

He married **Martha "Patty" Kent**, 6 Nov 1826 in Milton, Chittenden Co., VT,¹²⁷ b. 10 Apr 1804 in Dorset, Bennington Co., VT,^{128,129} (daughter of **John Kent** [1772 - 1872] and **Martha Livingston** [1771 - 1845]), d. 15 Apr 1886 in Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI,^{130,129} buried in Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI. Martha's parents moved from Milton, VT to Berkshire, VT when her sister Lucy was quite young, say 1815.

Martha married second, in 1846, Adonikeem Farrow.

At the time of the 1850 census, the Farrows were living in district 14 of Sheboygan, Sheboygan Co., WI. Adonika was 50, born in ME and Martha was 46, born in VT. The children in the home were also listed with the surname Farrow: Horace R. Farrow, age 20, born in VT; Julia S., age 14, born in CT; Catherine, age 12, born CT; Lucy I., age 8, born VT (listed as male) and Charles I., age 4, born WI. Except for Charles, these children are identifiable as the Rublee children. Presumably, Charles was born to the Farrows.

At the time of the 1860 census, the Farrows continued to live in Sheboygan. Beside A. Farrow and Martha, Jane Rublee, age 18 and Charles Rublee, age 14 were also in the home. Could Charles' surname be an error? James Vandermade, Jane's eventual husband, was living nearby. He was 23, working as a clerk. He was living in the household of Adriaanze Vandermade, age 67, possibly his mother.

At the time of the 1880 census, Martha Farrow was living with daughter Emeline J. Cole, her husband and family in Sheboygan Falls, WI.

Martha's marriage to Adonikeem Farrow in Sheboygan Falls was reported in the 19 Apr 1845 issue of the Milwaukee Sentinel.

"Farrow -- At Sheboygan Falls, Thursday, April 15, Martha Kent Farrow, aged 82 years. Mrs. Farrow was one of the pioneer settlers of Sheboygan county. She was born in Dorset, Vt., April 14, 1804. It was at the house of her great grandfather, Cephas Kent, that the meeting was held, in 1776, which declared Vermont a separate and independent district, in opposition to the rival claims of New York and New Hampshire, and organized its first local government. With her first husband, Alvah Rublee, she removed from Vermont in 1840, settling in Sheboygan county, where she has since resided. Her sweet and affectionate nature, her cheerful disposition, bright humor and sterling qualities of mind endeared her to not only to the member of her own family but also to a large circle of friends." (Milwaukee Sentinel [Milwaukee, Wisconsin] 16 Apr 1886).

Children:

- 153 i. Byron⁴ Rublee b. 2 Apr 1828 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹²⁷ d. 1 May 1828 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob).¹²⁷
- + 154 ii. Clarissa "Clara" H. Rublee b. abt 1830.
- + 155 iii. Horace Rublee b. 19 Aug 1830.

- 156 iv. William S. Rublee b. 10 Jul 1832 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹²⁷ d. 19 Aug 1834 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob).¹²⁷
- + 157 v. Emeline Julia Rublee b. 16 Feb 1836.
- 158 vi. Catharine Bathsheba Rublee b. 6 Aug 1838 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹²⁷ d. 11 Sep 1856 in Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI.¹³¹ Died. At Sheboygan Falls, on the 11th inst., of typhoid fever, Catharine Bathsheba Rublee, aged 18 years. (Milwaukee Daily Sentinel, (Milwaukee, WI) Tuesday, September 16, 1856).
- 159 vii. Jane Lucy Rublee b. 20 Aug 1842 in Sheboygan, Sheboygan Co., WI,^{127,132} d. 17 Aug 1898 in Janesville, Wasecca Co., MN (prob),¹³² buried in Janesville Cem., Janesville, Wasecca, MN.¹³² In 1860, Jane lived with her mother and step-father in Sheboygan Falls, WI. She was a teacher in the early days of Waldo, Sheboygan Co., WI. James Vandermade, Jane's eventual husband, was living nearby. He was 23, working as a clerk. He lived in the household of Adriaanze Vandermade, age 67, possibly his mother.

The Van Dermades lived in Janesville, Wasecca, MN (Tenney, 1875, p. 5). They continued to live there in 1870 and 1880. No children were in the household at either time. In 1900, James, a widower, still lived in Janesville.

She married James Vandermade, 6 Jun 1867 in Sheboygan Co., WI,¹³³ b. 1 Oct 1836 in Netherlands, d. 28 Dec 1900 in Mankato, Blue Earth Co., MN,²⁶ buried in Janesville Cem., Janesville, Wasecca, MN.¹³²

58. **Hiram Belden³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Mar 1804 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁶ d. 21 Feb 1861 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY (prob),¹³⁴ buried in North Street Cem., Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY.¹³⁴ On 31 Oct 1827, Daniel Burleson and George Jewett filed a complaint concerning a large honeycomb in a maple tree that had been marked DB. They believed that Alva and Belden Rublee had stolen the honeycomb. They were asking that the house and barns of the two Rublees be searched. The search warrant was granted, with instructions that the Rublees be brought for hearing if the honey was found. Apparently the two were guilty, as they were brought in for hearing.

Hiram Rublee lived in Bolton, VT at the time of the 1830 census, with his wife and daughter age five or younger. They lived next door to Hiram's sister and her husband: Almira and Quincy Hall. Hiram was a resident of Bolton at the time he married Hannah Vaughan in Richford, VT in 1832. The name on the marriage record is Belden Rublee, so apparently he went by his middle name at time. What happened to Hiram's young daughter? Did she live? Was she raised by a family member?

At the cemetery in Jericho Ctr., VT, there is a single stone for two wives of Hiram B. Rublee: Lucia, who died 20 Nov 1831 at age 25 and Hannah, who died 14 May 1833 at age 21. Next to it is a stone for Orlando, son of Jason and Jerusha Monroe, who died 1 Apr 1833 at 2 years, 8 months. Jerusha was a sister of Hiram B. Rublee.

Was Lucia possibly Lucia, daughter of Ariel and Bathsheba (Gray) Parker who was born in Richford on 19 Mar 1807? The Parkers and the Rublees were connected by marriage.

Hannah Vaughn Rublee died intestate. Ariel Parker of Richford was appointed administrator for her estate on 12 December 1835. Estate records do not mention a husband or children. Records indicate that

Hannah Rublee, late of Bolton, VT, had given bonds in the sum of \$500.00 to Jason Monroe of Jerico (sic) as surety. Jason Monroe was Hiram B. Rublee's brother-in-law (see above). Also mentioned are four notes to Wightman Vaughn of Stanbridge, L. C.

This Wightman was born 16 May 1789 Hancock, Berkshire, MA, son of David and Alice (Rogers) Vaughn. Wightman married Mary Sornborger in Frelighsburg, QC on 7 Jan 1812. Wightman had a brother David Vaughan, who witnessed the marriage. Could Wightman and Mary be Hannah's parents?

Wightman died 2 Oct 1856 Stanbridge, QC. The Drouin Collection included a death record for Wightman: Register of the Burial of [?ILLEGIBLE] Wightman Vaughan Farmer of Stanbridge who died the second day of October and was buried the fourth day of October One Thousand eight Hundred and fifty six. Issue of Marriage: Jane, Carleton, Naomi, David, Hester, Hannah <signed> F. N. Jersey, Minister Witnesses: <signed> C. R. Vaughan; [?ILLEGIBLE] Vaughan. (Frelighsburg Baptist 1850-1879)

In April 1834, Mrs. Hiram B. Rublee is listed as a member in regular standing of the First Congregational Church in Burlington, VT. Is this Hiram's third wife Lucinda?

Hiram or Belden Rublee does not appear in Vermont census after 1830. He was mentioned as Hiram at the time his father's will was written in 1835. The Moore Genealogy (1903, p. 64), which calls him Belden, says he removed to New York. Apparently, sometime between 1830 and 1837, he removed to Cayuga Co., NY as his son Hiram was born in New York. This is confirmed as the birth date on his gravestone matches his date of birth as recorded in the Berkshire Town Records. He married again, Lucinda W. _____.

In 1850, Hiram Rubbel was living in Mentz, Cayuga Co., NY (age 45, born in VT) with wife Lucinda also 45 and son Hiram, age 12, both born in New York. He was a farmer. None of his near neighbors are known relatives. The 1857 Town Directory for Auburn, NY lists Lyon and Rublee as Grocers.

In 1860, Hiram Rublee was living in the 3rd ward in Auburn, NY (page 23). He was then 56 years of age, employed as a mason. His state of birth was Vermont. Wife Lucinda was 55, born in NY. Also in the home were Hiram Rublee, age 23, born NY, employed as a painter; and Charles How, age 11, born in NY.

In 1880, Lucinda was head of her own household in Auburn, next door to son Hiram. She was 75.

He married (1) **Lucia** _____, bef 1830, b. abt 1806,⁶ d. 30 Nov 1831 in Bolton, Chittenden Co., VT?,⁶ buried in Jericho Center, Chittenden Co., VT.

Children:

- 160 i. Daughter⁴ Rublee b. bet 1825-1830 in Bolton, Chittenden Co., VT?, d. young?

He married (2) **Hannah Vaughan or Vaughn**, 22 Feb 1832 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1812 in Stanbridge, Missisquoi Co., QC?, d. 14 May 1833 in Bolton, Chittenden Co., VT, buried in Jericho Center, Chittenden Co., VT.¹³⁵

He married (3) **Lucinda Howe**, bef Apr 1834?, b. 1 Apr 1804 in Schenectady, Schenectady Co., NY,^{134,136} (daughter of **Nehemiah Howe** [1777 - 1855] and **Martha Ostrander** [1779 - 1853]), d. 5 Oct 1890 in

Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,^{137,87} buried in North Street Cem., Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY.¹³⁴ Lucinda almost certainly married first William Duel and had a son William Duel.

“John Walters, a former well known business man of Auburn, died yesterday morning at the City Hospital as the result of a fall at his boarding house in Clark Street Saturday evening. The deceased was in the 88th year of his age. . .

Mr. [John] Walters was born in Schenectady and his mother was a descendant of the Holland Dutch who settled and made history in New York State, from the Manhattan Island purchase from the Indians which is now the metropolis of this country. His mother was the daughter of Nehemiah Howe and his great grandmother was an Ostrander who settled on Manhattan Island when they came across the Atlantic from Holland.

The mother of Hiram I. Rublee was a sister of Mr. Walters' [wife] and also a descendant of the Ostrandors who settled on Manhattan Island and on the spot now occupied by Trinity Church. This property was sold to the Trinity Church congregation and the family moved to Eusopus on the Hudson. The deed of the transfer was recorded in the County Clerk's Office there. The County Clerk's Office burned and the records were destroyed. Mr. Rublee gives that as the reason why he and his son are compelled to make awnings in this city today.” (The Auburn Citizen, 25 May 1914)

“Peculiar Case That Came Before Special Pension Examiner Parkinson. Reluctant witnesses in claimants or [sic] pensions are rather rare, but there is found now and then one who gives trouble. Then the government takes means of compelling him to testify, and is successful.

Among the cases Special Examiner E. C. Parkinson has had to examine was one of Catherina Woodard, of Rochester, widow of Hiram J. Woodard, a soldier. Claimant had been married prior to marriage with the soldier. Her first husband was William J. Duell, of Auburn, N. Y. She was unable to date of the husband's death, for that Hiram J. Rublee, a half-brother of claimant's first husband, declined to testify in her claim for pension, for reasons he regarded sufficient unless compelled to do so by law. This information was furnished the special examiner by claimant, and it became the duty of the special examiner to call upon said Hiram J. Rublee at his place of business in Auburn for the purpose of obtaining his testimony as to the fact of the death of his half brother, William J. Duell, and the date thereof. Rublee refused to testify, and, therefore, the special examiner had him served with a subpoena issued by the judge of the United States court of the western district of New York state, that he should appear before special examiner and testify in this case at room No. 7, post office building, at Auburn, N. Y., at 10 o'clock A. M., July 17, 1800. In accordance with that subpoena he appeared at the time and place designated and gave testimony willingly, after he understood that there was power to compel him to testify as to what he knew bearing on details of the case. This demonstrated that the United States government stands ready to compel witnesses to testify witnesses of merit where witness is reluctant, either soldier or other, regarding any case pending before the bureau of pensions at Washington. This case is a peculiar one, as most people are willing to testify in pension claims.” (Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, 23 Jul 1900).

Children:

- + 161 ii. Hiram Irving Rublee b. 23 Jan 1837.

61. **Jerusha³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 14 Apr 1810 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹³⁸ d. 11 Feb 1895 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹³⁹ buried in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI.¹³⁹ "The funeral of Mrs. J. Monroe was held from the residence of Mrs. E. Hale, Thursday morning, the Rev. C. B. Clark officiating. Her four sons were bearers. Several friends from Oakfield were present." (newspaper clipping in formerly in the possession of the late Paul Monroe. Mrs. E. Hale was daughter Laura. The Monroes, with their son Otis Orlando, are buried in Lamartine Cemetery, Fond du Lac Co., WI.

She married **Jason Monroe**, 27 Oct 1828 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁴⁰ b. 12 May 1801 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,¹⁴⁰ (son of **Jesse (immigrant) Munroe** [1771 - 1863] and **Susannah Stone** [1769 - 1851]), d. 4 Nov 1884 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹³⁹ buried in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI.¹³⁹ Jason and Jerusha (Rublee) Monroe lived in Jericho, VT, where Jason was as farmer, shoemaker and cooper. In June of 1847, they removed to Lamartine, Fond du Lac County, WI (Western Historical Company, 1880, p. 1038). He changed the spelling of his surname from Munroe to Monroe (Munroe, 1986, p. 305). The Monroes appear in the 1847 Territorial Census in Lamartine, with four males and three females.

"JASON MONROE, farmer, Sec. 35; P. O. Lamartine; was born in Jericho, Chittenden Co., Vt., May 12, 1801; is the son of Jesse Monroe (a farmer) and Susan Stone; he followed farming, the shoemaker's and cooper's trades, and various other kinds of business there till 1847; in June, 1847, came to Fond du Lac Co., Wis., and settled on a farm of eighty acres in Sec. 35; he now has twenty acres in another section ; Lamartine has been his home since he came to Wisconsin. Oct. 27, 1828, he married Miss Jerusha, daughter of Hiram and Rhoda Rublee, nee Moore, of Berkshire, Franklin Co., Vt.; they have had eight children—Orlando, deceased; Otis, deceased; Edgar, a druggist, of Blair, Neb.; Sidney H., of Lamartine: Almira (now Mrs. Silas Stone, of Glenbeulah, Sheboygan Co. Wis.), Laura J., Mrs. E. A. Hale, of Lamartine; Byron F., M. D., of Blair, Neb.; Otto H., of Lamartine. They are members of the Baptist Church. Mr. M. has held school and various other offices in the town." (The History of Fond Du Lac County, Wisconsin, Western Historical Company, 1880.)

Children:

- 162 i. Orlando⁴ Monroe b. 1 Dec 1832 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ d. 1 Apr 1835 in Jericho Center, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Jericho Center Cem., Jericho Ctr., Chittenden Co., VT.²
- 163 ii. Almira Monroe b. 28 Aug 1834 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,¹⁴¹ d. 16 Dec 1911 in Glenbeulah, Sheboygan Co., WI,¹⁴² buried in Walnut Grove Cem., Glenbeulah, Sheboygan Co., WI.¹⁴³

She married Silas Stone, 24 Jan 1858 in Fond du Lac Co., WI,^{144,133} b. 14 Jan 1832 in NY,¹⁴⁵ (son of Joseph Stone and Theresa _____), d. 28 Feb 1907 in Glenbeulah, Sheboygan Co., WI,¹⁴⁵ buried in Walnut Grove Cem., Glenbeulah, Sheboygan Co., WI.¹⁴³ Silas's death record gives his parents as Joseph and Theresa Stone, but I wonder about the name Theresa, which was uncommon in that era. I have not been able to identify them so far.

- 164 iii. Otis Orlando Monroe b. 10 May 1837 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,¹⁴² d. Sep 1849 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹⁴² buried in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI.
- 165 iv. Edgar Hiram Monroe b. 17 Dec 1839 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,¹⁴² d. 28 Aug 1897 in NE,^{144,146} buried in Blair Cem., Blair, Washington Co., NE.¹⁴⁶ Edgar Monroe was a druggist in Blair, Nebraska (Western Historical Company, 1880, page 1039). Julia died in California,

but was buried in Nebraska. Her indexed death record gives her date of death as 7 Jul; her gravestone as 5 Jul 1929. She lived in Nebraska as late as 1920. She likely went to live with daughter Myrtricia Scott in Los Angeles Co. sometime after this.

He married Julia L. Smith, 14 Aug 1862 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹⁴⁴ b. 19 Apr 1843 in PA,¹⁴² (daughter of Ira Smith and Susannah _____), d. 7 Jul 1929 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Blair Cem., Blair, Washington Co., NE.¹⁴⁶

- 166 v. Sidney Hinman Monroe b. 17 Feb 1843 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,¹⁴² d. 26 Feb 1912 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI (prob),^{148,149} buried in Rogersville Cem., Fond du Lac Co., WI.¹⁵⁰ The two wives of Sidney Monroe were cousins (Munroe, 1986, p. 439).

"SIDNEY H. MONROE, farmer, Sec. 19; P. O. Eldorado Mills; is a son of Jason and Jerusha Monroe, immigrants to town of Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., in 1847; he lived with his parents on Sec. 35 of this town, till about 17 years old, when he entered upon an apprenticeship at the carpenter and joiner's trade, with Hill & Webster, which he continued till 1863. In November of that year, he enlisted in Co. A, 2d W. V. C., under Col. Stevens; was with the Army of the West in the battles of Oak Grove, Mo., Egypt Station, Mo., Yazoo City, Miss., and a number of other smaller battles; was mustered out of service at Austin, Tex., in November, 1865, and reached his home in December following; he continued the carpenter's trade for three years, and in October, 1868, bought a farm of fifty-eight acres in Secs. 19 and 20, town of Lamartine, where he has since followed farming. Nov. 15, 1863, he married Miss Maggie A., daughter of David Hendry and Janet Hall/natives of Biechen, Scotland, but immigrants to Fond du Lac Co., Wis., in 1848; her mother died in three months after their arrival. The children are Janet H., Jason D., David D. (deceased), Sedate A., Maude A., Sarah M. and William Berthold. Mr. Monroe has been a member of the Town Board for two years; politically, he is a Republican. (The History of Fond Du Lac County, Wisconsin, Western Historical Company, 1880.)

He married (1) Margaret Ann Hendry, 15 Nov 1863 in Fond du Lac Co., WI, b. 11 Jun 1845 in ON, Canada,¹⁵¹ (daughter of David Hendry and Janet Hall), d. 11 Apr 1889 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI (prob),¹⁵¹ buried in Rogersville Cem., Fond du Lac Co., WI.¹⁵⁰

He married (2) Catherine "Katie" Ann Hendry, 25 Sep 1895 in Rogersville, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹³³ b. 7 Nov 1854 in Andover, Essex Co., MA (daughter of James Hendry and Catherine Ann Greig), d. 27 Dec 1926 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI (prob),^{151,152} buried in Rogersville Cem., Fond du Lac Co., WI.¹⁵⁰

- 167 vi. Laura J. Monroe b. 14 Jun 1845 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,¹⁴² d. 23 Jul 1922 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI (prob),¹⁴² buried in Lamartine Cem., Lamartine, Fond du Lac, WI.¹³⁹

She married Elias A. Hale, 22 May 1872 in Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹⁵³ b. 31 Mar 1838 in Montgomery Co., NY (prob) (son of William J. Hale and Betsey Eaton), d. 16 Sep 1910 in Fond du Lac, Fond du Lac Co., WI (prob), buried in Lamartine Cem., Lamartine, Fond du Lac, WI.¹³⁹ Elias Hale served in the Civil War, from Wisconsin.

- 168 vii. Byron French Monroe, M.D. b. 14 Jul 1849 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹⁴² d. 11 Jan 1911 in Oak Harbor, Island Co., WA,¹⁵⁴ buried in Blair Cem., Blair, Washington Co., NE.¹⁴⁶ Dr. Monroe started out as a farmer and carpenter in Lamartine, WI. After his marriage, he studied medicine, attending medical school in Chicago. He practiced medicine in Blair, NE. Later, he was physician at the Keely Institute in Blair before returning to private practice. After his second marriage, he moved to Seattle, WA (Munroe, 1986, p. 440).

In 1910, Byron and Cleo Monroe lived in Seattle. They had been married 8 years. Cleo had given birth to two children, both living.

"The remains of Dr. B. F. Monroe arrived from Seattle, Wash., last Saturday, and the funeral was held at the Episcopal church at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, Rev. A. E. Marsh officiating. After the church service the Masons took charge and held their usual service at the grave. Death was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage which occurred as he was about to sit down to the breakfast table at the home of his daughter, Imo, in Seattle. He was 60 years old and was a resident of this city for a good many years. Mrs. George Siert, of Florence, is a daughter and was the only near relative present at the funeral." ~~~ Obituary courtesy of the Washington County Genealogical Society. Newspaper clippings on file in the Blair Public Library at Blair, Nebraska. Posted by "Mrs. B". on findagrave.com

Following Byron's death in 1911, Cleo married again on 17 Feb 1915 to in Seattle, WA, Charles Elwood Walls. Her name was given as Cleo C. Kline on this marriage record. By 1930, she appears as Cleo C. Kline, widow, in Seattle. By 1940, she lived in Wheeling, WV as Cleo Kline, with her son Louis Kline and family.

He married (1) Ann E. Johnson, 22 May 1872 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹³³ b. est 1854 in WI (daughter of Chilian Ford Johnson and Sarah _____), d. 17 May 1900 in Blair, Washington Co., NE (prob), buried in Blair Cem., Blair, Washington Co., NE.¹⁴⁶ He married (2) Cleo Charline (Hardy) Kline, abt 1902 in NE?, b. 31 Jan 1873 in Muncie, Delaware Co., IN,¹⁵⁵ (daughter of Frederick Hardy and Elizabeth Stewart), d. 4 Aug 1944 in Wheeling, Ohio Co., WV,¹⁵⁵ buried in Stone Church Cem., Wheeling, Ohio Co., WV.¹⁵⁶

- 169 viii. Otto Hoyt Monroe b. 10 Oct 1854 in Lamartine, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹⁴² d. 16 Apr 1922 in Bisbee, Cochise Co., AZ,¹⁵⁷ buried in Avoca Cem., Oakfield, Fond du Lac, WI.¹⁵⁸ In 1880, Otto Hoyt Monroe and wife Jennie lived in Lamartine, WI with his parents. Otto was, at various times, was a farmer, grocer, railroad man and builder. He owned a small grocery store in Blair, NE. Later, he moved to Bisbee, AZ (Munroe, 1986, p. 440).

"LOCAL RESIDENT DIES. Otto Hoyt Monroe died at the family home in Tombstone Canyon early Sunday morning, aged 67 years and 6 months. Mr. Monroe is survived by his widow and five children, Miss Anah Monroe and Mrs. Ralph Mayne of this city, Mrs. Wm. G. Vador of Brandon, Wisc., T. A. Monroe of Milbank, South Dakota and Paul B. Monroe of Chicago.

Services will be held here at the Palace Undertaking parlors at 12:15 p.m. today, under the auspices of the local Oddfellows lodge with prayer by Rev. Fry. The remains will be accompanied to Oakfield, Wisconsin by his widow and Miss Anah Monroe and T. A. Monroe

where services will be held at the Grace Episcopal church by the Very Rev. Dean Elliott White of Saint Paul's cathedral, with services at the grave by the Oakfield Oddfellows, of which Mr. Monroe was a member." (Bisbee Daily Review (Bisbee, Arizona) 16 Apr 1922, Sun, page 6)

In 1930, Jennie lived in Bisbee, AZ.

He married Jennie Steen Burns, 26 Nov 1875 in Oakfield, Fond du Lac Co., WI,¹⁵⁹ b. 25 Nov 1853 in Oakfield, Fond du Lac Co., WI (daughter of Thomas Burns and Elizabeth Steen), d. 10 Jul 1936 in Brandon, Fond du Lac, WI,¹⁶⁰ buried in Avoca Cem., Oakfield, Fond du Lac, WI.¹⁵⁸

62. **William Seymour³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Aug 1815 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶¹ d. 13 Jun 1885 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.¹⁶² William Rublee's gravestone states that he represented Berkshire in the Vermont House of Representatives in 1851-2 and Franklin County in the Vermont Senate in 1864-5. He was an assistant judge in the Franklin County Court in 1874-5.

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"At the time of his death Wm. S. Rublee was the oldest merchant in point of service of any in the city, having been in business 54 years. His first year was with Mr. Chaffee at Berkshire Center, then three years with the Dr. Amherst Willoughby of East Berkshire, two years of which time he was in partnership with him. At this time his father, Hiram Rublee, died in 1835, and he returned to the Center and went into partnership with Mr. Bowen, building a store at what is called Bowen's Corners. He stayed there three years and then moved to Samsonville, a small village in the town of Enosburgh about a mile from East Berkshire. He was there for two years in partnership with Ole Anderson. In 1841 he removed to East Berkshire and formed a partnership with Guy R. Butler. At the end of two years he purchased his partner's interest and continued alone until 1862, when he took his son into partnership and thus continued until his death. During his long and busy life, Mr. Rublee held many offices of public honor and trust. He was a justice of the peace, 17 yrs. In 1851-'52 he represented Berkshire in the legislature. In 1864-'65 he was assistant judge of Franklin County court. He was Postmaster in East Berkshire from 1861 until his death, with the exception of the time he was senator and assistant judge. In politics he was a Whig until the formation of the Republican Party, when he joined that party and remained with it till death. He also belonged to the society of F. & A.M., being one of the first that were admitted after anti-masonic times, he having become a Mason in 1843. He ascended the ladder step by step, and at the time of his death stood nearly at the top. Death robbed his family of a devoted husband and father, the town of a useful citizen, and the church (Calvary) of a staunch supporter and Christian.

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He married **Amelia Coburn**, 16 Aug 1838 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 15 Jan 1817 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶² (daughter of **David Coburn** [1789 - 1842] and **Phebe Jewett** [1785 - 1842]), d. 20 Feb 1904 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.¹⁶² Amelia's parents died on the same day, 16 Apr 1842. At some point, Amelia's sister Joanna Coburn moved in with the Rublees, as she is listed as a scholar from their household in 1846.

At the time of the 1900 census, Amelia (Coburn) Rublee was living her daughter and son-in-law Arthur Aitken in Berkshire, VT. Her death is recorded under the name of Mrs. W. S. Rublee, Sr. She died at her home with the Aitkens.

Children:

- + 170 i. Amherst Willoughby⁴ Rublee b. 17 Apr 1841.
- + 171 ii. Anna May Rublee b. 12 Apr 1851.

64. **Jane³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 5 Feb 1821 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶³ d. 1894,¹⁶⁴ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴

She married **Leander Goff Johnson**, bef 9 Oct 1851 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), b. 23 Apr 1807 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **Abel Johnson** [1752 - 1828] and **Zenobia Flagg** [1765 - 1819]), d. 10 Aug 1889 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴ Leander Johnson's mother's name was Zenobia. Her surname was Flagg or Ewins; the records are conflicting. Presently, I am leaning toward her being the daughter of Jotham and Rebeckah (Kendall) Flagg. Rebeckah moved from Shrewsbury, MA to Salisbury, VT as a widow. However, this has not been proven.

He married first Sophia Shaw; they had at least 9 children 1833-1848. Sophie died on 20 Dec 1850, leaving Leander with a large family.

In 1860, Leander, age 53 and Jane, age 39 Johnson lived in Berkshire, VT. In the home were Charles S., age 18; Arabelle, age 16; Rosabell, age 14; Leforest, age 12; Amelia, age 6 and George L., age 4. They lived in Berkshire in 1870. The only children remaining in the home were Amelia and Adaline. In 1880, Addie J. lived with them in Berkshire.

I have not been able to find a death record or a death notice for Jane. The year of death is from her gravestone.

Children:

- 172 i. Amelia F.⁴ Johnson b. 24 Oct 1854 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 27 Oct 1927 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁶⁵ "ENOSBURG FALLS. The funeral of Mrs. Amelia (Johnson) Armstrong, who died at her home Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, was held from the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The bearers were four nephews, William and Charles Stanley, Harland Hodley and Edward Johnson. The Rev. Edward Knowles, D. D. officiated. Burial was in Missisquoi cemetery. Mrs. Armstrong was the widow of the late Ami S. Armstrong, and was 73 years of age. She had been in poor health for over one year, but confined to her bed for several weeks. She is survived by an only daughter, Mrs. J. B. Crouchier, one sister, Mrs. A. J. Power, of Danvers Mass.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Chloe Stanley und Mrs. Rosabelle Hicks, who have died within the last four months." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 01 Nov 1927, Tue, page 3).

She married Ami Sidney Armstrong, 16 Jun 1873 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 21 Jul 1852 in St. Armand, Missisquoi Co., QC,⁷⁹ (son of Alexander Armstrong and Elizabeth Allen), d. 31 May 1919 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin

Co., VT.¹⁶⁵ The Armstrongs lived in Franklin, VT at the time of the 1880 census. In 1900, they lived in Enosburg.

"ENOSBURG FALLS Funeral of Ami Sidney Armstrong Largely Attended. The funeral of Ami Sidney Armstrong was held from the home on South Main street at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon the Rev. L. C. Denney and the Rev. W. J. M. Beattle officiating. The bearers were D. M. Rose, E. J. Tyler, J. M. Young, L. L. Marsh, F. A. Gleed and R. W. Clark. The pall bearers were Olin Merrill, C. H. Steton, H. B. Farrar, Herbert Sawyer, D. A. Benoit, J. M. Jeffords, A. J. Smith and W. V. Phelps. Mr. Armstrong was one of nine children born to Alexander and Elizabeth (Allen) Armstrong on the ancestral farm in St. Armand, Que., and which farm was owned by Mr. Armstrong. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Amelia (Johnson) Armstrong, a daughter, Mrs. J. B. Crochier and two sisters, Mrs. B. G. Hicks and Mrs. E. J. Lawrence also a half-brother. William Armstrong, and a half sister, Mrs. Martha Colcord. Mr. Armstrong came to this village 18 years ago and during those years has been an active member of the Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and the Philemon, club. He was a church attendant and had taken preliminary steps to join St. Matthew's Church. He was a rural mail carrier for a few years and for the past seven years was soliciting agent for the Federal Packing company in which he was very efficient. He was also a member of the Civic association and during the liberty loan drives was an enthusiastic worker. The members of the Philemon club and the employees of the Federal Packing company attended the services in separate bodies. There was a profusion of flowers and many telegrams from friends unable to attend." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 06 Jun 1919, Fri, page 13).

- 173 ii. George L. Johnson b. 1855 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁶⁴ d. 21 Aug 1861 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁶⁴
- 174 iii. Ada Jenette Johnson b. 13 Apr 1863 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 12 Jan 1943 in Danvers, Essex Co., MA,¹⁶⁶ buried in Pine Grove Cem., Manchester, Hillsboro Co., NH.¹⁶⁷

She married Edward Armstrong Powers, 9 Jun 1881 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ b. 10 Apr 1857 in Durham, Drummond Co., QC (son of Joseph Powers and Eliza Armstrong), d. 1 Mar 1925 in Manchester, Hillsboro Co., NH,¹⁶⁹ buried in Pine Grove Cem., Manchester, Hillsboro Co., NH.¹⁶⁶ In 1900, Edward Powers, age 43 and wife Ada J. Powers, age 37 lived in Manchester, NH. They had been married 18 years. Their son Merle H. Powers was 10. He was the only child who had been born to Ada. All three were born in Vermont. They continued to live in Manchester in 1910 and 1920. Where did Ada live in 1930? Son Merle lived in Danvers, MA, which is where Ada died. Ada was not in the household.

65. **Rhoda R.³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 22 Sep 1823 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶³ d. 11 Jan 1906 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA.¹¹² When Rhoda Rublee married John W. French in Lowell, both lived in that city (Essex Institute, 1930, p. 223). Certainly many young Vermont women went to Lowell at that time to work in the mills. In 1850, John (age 26, b. VT) and Rhoda (age 28, b. VT) French lived in Lowell in the household of Alonzo (age 28, born in VT) and Hannah (age 24, b. NH) Burgess. Two years later, when Florence was born, John was working as a blacksmith.

In 1860, a John W. French family is living in Eau Claire, Eau Claire Co., WI. John W. French was 34, a blacksmith. "Rody" was 35. Both were born in Vermont. Also in the home was Florence E., age 8 and Frances S. French, age 6, born in MA.

I am unable to find the Frenches in the 1870 census, using very liberal search criteria.

In 1880, Rhoda French was living in Lowell, MA, widowed, with daughter Estella, age 30 and two unrelated men. In 1900, she was head of household in Leominster, Worcester, Massachusetts. Daughter Florence Hogaboom was living with her. The census indicates she was a widow, who had borne two children, both of whom were living. Florence is listed as married, with no children. Her husband was not living in the home. Her occupation is listed as shirtmaker.

Rhoda's death record, in Lowell, confirms that she was the daughter of Hiram and Fanny, and wife of John W. French. She died of broncho-pneumonia.

"BERKSHIRE CENTER. Mrs. Rhoda R. French, aged 82 years, died in Lowell, Mass., December 11. Mrs. French was born here in 1823. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. Scott Livingston." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 12 Jan 1906, Fri., page 6)

The following letters from Berkshire native Amy Galusha to her mother Polly Galusha mention John and Rhoda French.

LOWELL NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK
GALUSHA FAMILY COLLECTION
LETTER 004
WRITTEN BY AMY MELENDAL GALUSHA
TO HER MOTHER POLLY GALUSHA

[Lowell] 3 Dec 15 1850

Dear Mother

I received your kind letter and Hellen's both in the same day and read them with feelings which can better be imagined than described

I was not at all surprised to learn of your trouble for I had been warned by dreams and dark forebodings that all was not right at home which was the source of my great weariness I expected to hear bad news when with a trembling hand and beating heart I broke the seal But I am thankful that it is as well with you as it is I feared least Father's long protracted cough had at length worn out his constitution and nature had sunk under the oppression of disease and the grave had claimed him as its prey but when I learned that it was you that was the sufferer and from that dreadful disease to which you have so long been subject the current of my feelings was turned from despair to sorrow and grief intermingled with thankfulness for your recovery and now my dear Mother I do entreat you to be careful of your health do not work too hard keep Arvilla with you and have her do all she can for you do not take cold do not wet your feet be still and quiet in the house as much as you can I received your letter of Nov 6 but not till after I had mailed mine of Dec 1st I went to the office myself and in looking over the advertised list I found my own

name and got my letter it had laid there nearly a month the reason of my not receiving it through the penny post was that you directed it to Lawrence 196 instead of Tremont It may seem strange that I do not board on the corporation on which I am working but I have some very warm friends at Mrs Thomas that I want to stay with those with whom I first became acquainted when I came to Lowell

Mrs Peirce is here and sends her love to you she is one of the kindest old ladies you ever seeing she is a mother to me and I do not know how I should get along without her We room in the lower back we have a nice little fire place which keeps us warm as to toast we have fire Saturday evenings and Sunday and other evenings too if we want it

Well I suppose Christmas is close upon us and I hope it will be welcomed with joy as the birth day of our redeemer you and Father must sing "While Shepherds Watch their flocks by night" and think I am joining you for I shall remember all the good old times that we have had together I am glad that Father has got reconciled to my staying here for I was afraid he never would be I shall probably stay another year if I am well I want you should find out how much it will cost to get an addition built for you but you must get some man to take hold of it for you one that will go ahead and make good calculator I wish Uncle George would do the calculating he is the best one that I can think of if he has not too many cares of his own for I am confident that Lealand will never do anything about it if he cannot keep himself clothed he certainly cannot think of building houses I will send you one hundred dollars in one year from the first of next month if I have my health but I do not know as you can get much of a building up for that and perhaps people will not trust me for so large a sum in Berkshire but if you could get a comfortable house next summer I should be willing to suffer any privation for the sake of adding to your comfort

If you can get along for provisions and wood without my help I shall be able to lay up the most of [torn letter] wages which will amount to something like 9 dollars per month the year round I shall put it in the bank where it will gain a little according to the profit of their money

Tell Helen that I was very thankful for her letter which was a great consolation to me She wrote about everything in the neighborhood that I wanted to hear about I should like very much to be with you all this winter but I must be content to stay with my looms awhile longer they are the best friends I have here no not friends for they are poor unconscious things, but very good company nevertheless

Tell Aunt Milla that I was very much obliged to her for her kind offer of having me come to stay with her this winter but think it best to stay here at present

Give my love and thanks to Aunt Lucy and all the friends that you may see

I expect that John French and Rhoda have gone to Lawrence to work I have not seen them since a fortnight ago to day and they were talking of going then

Give my love to Harding and Jannette and Viola and Aunt Syntha and all I cannot write much about the church for I have left off going to meeting because I cannot go without nice cloths and paying for a seat [torn letter] have had a great many very unhappy feelings since but if God makes the path of duty plain to me I will try to walk in it I never made so great a sacrifice as that in my life I do not feel happy when I am away from meeting I am uncomfortable all the time but I hope God will not impute the sin to my charge for it seems to be the only way that I can do if I had some one to assist it would seem a lighter

burden but I am alone and must stand alone in the performance of my duties I hoped that L11 would be thoughtful enough to do something to help me but that is out of the question

[on cover]

Rev. William Galusha
Berkshire, VT

LOWELL NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK
GALUSHA FAMILY COLLECTION
LETTER 127
WRITTEN BY AMY MELENDAL GALUSHA1
TO HER PARENTS REV. WILLIAM AND POLLY GALUSHA2

Lowell Oct 9 1851

Dear Parents

I received your letter and was glad that you were doing so well as you are I hope that you will not freeze to death this winter if you cannot get into the new house try to fix up the old one so that you can live in it comfortably as possible do not be discouraged for the Lord will take care of you. I wish that you would write how much you owe Erastas Bard and I will try to send you the money fore I suppose if he is sick that his family will need it. I shall send you ten now and will send you then more if it is necessary when I am paid I am a going to get me one dress and a cloak which will be enough for the winter I have hired a seat in the Methodist Church with Christopher and Viola C. has experianced religeon since he came here and has united with the Worthen Street M E Church on probation he is very much engaged in religeon he likes here very much and so does Viola she says she would give anything if her Father could but hear Mr Colyar preach for he would not know how to contain himself I do think myself that he is the smartest Methodist preacher that ever I heard preach why Eldar Meeker could not hold a candle to him I do not know as I shall hire a seat after this quarter which will continue till the first of January although C and V are very anxious that I should it is very pleasent wether here this fall. Viola says she is not sorry that she has come and thinks she shall stay a year very contedly she was rather homesick at first but I have not heard any more of that since C. came he is very attentive and sits her up evry Sunday night. on the whole I think he is a very good little fellow I begin to like him better than I used to when we went to school together. Viola has got so that she can run four looms quite decently Mr Cooper says that she gets along remarkbly well she makes about two dolers per week I never learned a girl with so little trouble as I did her she is very smart and will make a first rate weaver. Oh how lonesome I shall be when she is gone home. I hope that Arvilla will learn as easy as she did I hope that you will not let Arvilla race around with ... this winter. I think it is bad enough for her to go with boys of her own age I hope that Lele will go with her himself it will look much better than the other way but I must stop and get a light tell Lele that if he will kill gray squirrls enough to make me a boa I will five him five dollars

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Charles Miner is married

John French and Rhoda called to see us to night. they are well Rhoda had not heard of Janes wedding she thinks that Jane has done first rate she was very much displeased to think they tried to sheviree her. Mrs

Burgess is going to california and John says he shall go in the spring. I believe that I should rather be in Janes place than Rhodas. I pity her but you must not say a word. tell Janette when you see her that she ought to write to Rhoda for she feels rather bad. give my love to H and L and aunt Fany and Nancy and aunt Olive and all the folks. do not let Sall see nor hear from this letter if you can heple it. I guess you will laugh when you see how I have written help just as I used to say it what I was a little baby. O how many little things will take place to bring back the memory of the past "Memory thou restless spirit why break my rest." I cannot live one hour without thinking of the happy days when I knew no care when the voice of my parents was my only guide and a Mothers bosome was the only recpticle for my childish griefs. I have been more homesick since I came back this time that I have been before since the first summer that I was in the place but that is almost done with I hope I do not think that I shall come home again till I come for good and all I wonder how you stood through the day after I came away I thought that you would cry after we were gone for all you braved it out better than I did but you was so afraid you should appear like Aunt Irena that you did not shed a tear until I was gone but if you got along without all day you did better than I did Viola and I have laughed a great many times over what pa said when he came down stairs that night after we had such a tremenoeous uprore as bad as ever they had at Ephesus about the godess Diana. I cannot help thinking how ridicolously I was treated in my own Fathers house by some of my relation but never mind them we can live without them and shall probably have to give my best respects to all the friends and neighbors who shall enquire for me Lucina Ganes went from here the next week after we come down she could not get work to suite her and she went to Springfield she has writen to us once since she left she was sewing then and was expecting a chance in the mill soon it was just as I expected almost a thing imposible to get a place for a new hand in the mill I was glad that there did not any more girls come with me but Lucina did not blame me or at least she said she did not I tried all that week to get her a place and Ann Fay tried her best to get her in but did not succeed but I shall write for Arvilla when I want her tell Lele he must write to me and let me know how he gets along with the house

Amy Galusha

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I shall write my name as plain as I can for if the letter shall go to Washington they will know who to send it back to

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I guess you will think that I have got this letter full enough and I hope that you will fill one as full Amy M. Galusha

WRITTEN BY AARON LELAND GALUSHA AND AMY MELENDAL GALUSHA
TO THEIR PARENTS REV. WILLIAM AND POLLY GALUSHA

[Lowell] [Oct] 11th 1853

Dear Parents

I am in Lowell my helath is good the girls are well, people in general well I shall commence work this afternoon I have got a job in carpinter and joiner work I get twenty fore dollars a month bord myself, I am writing at the girls bording house Nin is here sewing she has been unwell, but is better, plantina and arvill

are in the mill to work like tigers, arvill has left no. 6 and gone to no. 2 to learn plantina plantina makes 1,00 per week clear from board, harveys folks are well they board on colburn street in the same house with me, we have good times the girls came over last night & we had an old fashion sing harvey is greasing in the yard the yards are all full now it is impossible to get work in the yard in my next letter I shall send some money, we arrived in Lowell Monday night about dusk, we got belated when we started from St Albans we were ten minutes behind, when we reached White River Junction we changed cars we were then behind the time and they run very fast so fast that they cant fire in the friction box we had to stop and leave a car and in getting it off from the track the cars run off and we had quite a time but started again [again] with out any damage, Mary Condon came on to the cars at Montpelier with her husband they were going to Boston Arvill was at the depot she spoke to Mary at the car window we took a coach and came to no. 5 direct to no 5 [Id ?] for I don't know how soon I shall change my boarding place goodbye ALG

"Dear Parents

Leahy has just left me to go for his dinner and I thought that I would fill out his sheet he has been trying to get work ever since he has been here but could not find a place till to day I guess from what he said about it that he has got a pretty good chance Last Thursday we had a great day here it was called the firemans Jubilee Arvilla is going to send you a vox which will tell the whole story so you will get something from all of us I shall send you five dollars and L says he shall send five the first that he earns so you must get you and pa good comfortable clothes and buy you a little stove to put in the front room and hire somebody to chop the wood pile and get you a good smart boy to board and go to school and do chores so as not to let pa catch cold next winter as he did last and we will put in and work the harder while we can I was all most sick with swelled ankles before plantina came and I [---aced] around so much to find a place for her that I got so I could not work and have been out four days and a half my ankles swell almost as bad as when I first came to Lowell but I guess they will be better now I have had a good rest I am going to work again Monday I hope that there will not be any more girls come from Berkshire for me to find places for this fall it is possible that Leafy Stanhope might get in as she is an old hand at dressing any way I hope she will come soon John and Rhoda French are well and their little girl tell Aunt F that Rhoda expects a boy soon write about Jane and all the news when you answer this Rhoda has moved onto the Boot corp to live at no 25 so she is close by us now and we are glad of it there was a man wrote to me from west Berkshire last month about getting our house insured his name was Wm Brewster and I have neglected saying anything about it till this time if you and Wm Kindale think it best you may [may] get it insured I should feel more safe to know that it was insured but I must close for want of time and paper signed by Amy M Galusha

Source: LOWELL NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK GALUSHA FAMILY COLLECTION LETTER 006
<http://library.uml.edu/clh/All/gal06.htm>

She married **John W. French**, 19 Jul 1848 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA,¹⁷⁰ b. abt 1824 in Rutland, Rutland Co., VT, d. bef 1880 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA?¹⁷¹

Children:

- 175 i. Florence "Estella"⁴ French b. 1 Feb 1852 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA,¹¹² d. 17 May 1901 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA.¹¹² The marriage records lists her name as Estella French. Her birth record lists it as Florence Estella. In 1900, Florence Hogaboom lived in Lowell, MA with her mother Rhoda French. Although she is listed as married, Charles was not in the home. Her death record indicates that she was the wife of Charles M. Hogaboom.

She married Charles M. Hogaboom, 11 Jan 1882 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA,¹¹² b. abt 1860 in Plattsburgh, Clinton Co., NY,⁹⁰ (son of Orren Hogaboom and Laura _____).

- 176 ii. Frances Eliza Ann French b. abt 1854 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA, d. aft 1930 in Tewksbury, Middlesex Co., MA? . Frances resided in Berkshire, VT when she married Winfield Livingston. There was a familial, but not blood relationship between the two. Winfield's father married 2nd Lemira (Beach) Rublee. Lemira's first husband was Milton Rublee, who was first cousin to Frances' mother Rhoda (Rublee) French. In 1880, the Livingstons lived in Berkshire, VT. By 1900, they had moved to Lowell, MA. Winfield was a house painter. In 1920, Frances lived with her son Ernest and family in Lowell. In 1930, it appears that she was an "inmate" at the Tewksbury Infirmary. She was a widow, 75 years of age, born in MA, with both parents born in VT. A Frances B. Livingston died in Tewksbury in 1931. Is this the same Frances?

She married Winfield Scott Livingston, 1 Jul 1871 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1848 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁷¹ (son of Samuel Willard Livingston(e) [1808 - 1886] and Ann Oliver [1810 - 1878]), d. 1916 in Lowell, Middlesex Co., MA.¹⁷²

66. **Abby "Janette"³ Rublee** (Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 1 Oct 1826 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 3 Apr 1895 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeside Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷³

She married **Hardin Alvin or Allen Larabee**, 5 Oct 1850 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?,¹⁷³ b. 15 Mar 1828 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **George William Larabee** [1800 - 1890] and **Celina Birch** [- 1844]), d. 19 May 1894 in Troy, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeside Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷³ "H. A. Larabee came to Newport, from Berkshire, Vt., in 1852, and located on road 10. He married a daughter of Hiram Rublee, one of the early settlers of Berkshire, and has a family of five sons and one daughter." (Source: Gazetteer of Lamoille and Orleans Counties, VT. 1883-1884, Compiled and Published by Hamilton Child; May 1887, pp. 288-34 to 288-47)

"O. S. Larabee, eldest son of the late Hardin A. Larabee, arrived here from Kansas City on Monday night, just in time to attend his father's funeral the next day. His brothers sent a telegraph despatch to him in Kansas on Saturday, notifying him that his father's funeral would be held on Tuesday. The funeral was held on at the dwelling house of Edwin Trowbridge, his son-in-law. Rev. Mr. McNeil officiated and preached from the text "There is but a step between me and death," to a large gathering of friends and neighbors. Mr. Larabee moved from Franklin county to this place about forty years ago, and has always been a hard working, industrious farmer. He was a kind neighbor, and father and a loving husband and was highly respected by all his friends and neighbors. He leaves a wife, four sons and a daughter to mourn his loss." (North Troy Palladium (North Troy, Vermont) 31 May 1894, Thu, page 3).

Children:

- 177 i. George William⁴ Larabee b. 16 Jul 1852 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁷⁴ d. 8 Jan 1925 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,¹⁷³ buried in Newport Ctr. Cem., Newport Ctr., VT.¹⁷⁴

He married Sarah Elizabeth "Libby" Armstrong, 26 Aug 1876 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 23 Feb 1856 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,^{32,173} (daughter of George Armstrong and Lovina D. Bridge), d. 23 Aug 1931 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Newport Ctr. Cem., Newport Ctr., VT.¹⁷⁴

- 178 ii. Oscar Sidney Larabee b. 15 May 1854 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,¹⁷³ d. 12 Sep 1932 in Los Angeles Co., CA.¹⁴⁷
- He married Sophia "Sophie" N. Goetz, 17 Jun 1903 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO,¹⁷⁵ b. 22 Jun 1871 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO?,¹⁷⁶ (daughter of Louis Goetz and Henrietta _____), d. 22 Dec 1921 in Los Angeles Co., CA.¹⁴⁷
- 179 iii. Isabelle "Melinda" Larabee b. 3 Jun 1856 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ d. 26 Jul 1930 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT.⁶
- She married (1) Edmond Seymour Trowbridge, 1 Jan 1878 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 6 Jan 1856 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of Seymour Trowbridge and Hannah H. Martin), d. 10 Dec 1901 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Newport Ctr. Cem., Newport Ctr., VT.¹⁷⁴
- She married (2) James Hiram Martin, 5 Aug 1903 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 12 May 1864 in Troy, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of Hiram Martin and Mary "Melinda" Hill), d. 17 Aug 1937 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT.⁷⁹
- 180 iv. Infant Son Larabee b. 5 Oct 1857 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. young? in Newport, Orleans Co., VT.
- 181 v. Alvah Rublee (twin) Larabee b. 20 Jul 1859 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 15 Jan 1890 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,¹⁷⁷ buried in Lake Road Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷⁷
- He married Roxanna "Anna" Baker, 15 Feb 1882 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 25 Jul 1861 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of John Baker and Dorothy Sleeper), d. 8 Feb 1947 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lake Road Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷⁷
- 182 vi. Alvin "Vin" Steven (twin) Larabee b. 20 Jul 1859 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 7 Dec 1926 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,¹⁷³ buried in Newport Center Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷⁴
- He married Melissa Alvina Sweet, 20 Dec 1881 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 20 Mar 1863 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of Thomas Sweet and Jane Searles), d. 25 Oct 1937 in W. Burke, Caledonia Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Newport Ctr., Orleans Co., VT.
- 183 vii. Hettie Adela Larabee b. cal 20 Aug 1864 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT, d. 14 Dec 1870 in Newport Ctr., Orleans Co., VT,¹⁷⁸ buried in Lake Road Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷⁷ Hettie died of scarlet fever.
- 184 viii. Edward "Eddie" Ernest Larabee b. 5 Oct 1866 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 30 Nov 1935 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Newport Center Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.¹⁷⁴
- He married Harriet "Hattie" B. Sweet, 19 Apr 1892 in Derby, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 5 Jan 1871 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of Thomas Sweet and Jane Searles), d. 16 Mar 1961 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Newport Ctr. Cem., Newport Ctr., VT.⁷⁹

68. **Dan³ Rublee** (Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Mar 1794 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,^{40,179} d. 13 Jul 1882 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁰ It appears to me that the 1794 year of birth given in the Berkshire, VT records is an error. Census records give his place of birth as Vermont, but his father was not living in Vermont in 1794. His age at death yields this 1798 date of birth. His parents may well have been in Vermont by that time.

Dan Rublee enlisted twice in the War of 1812. The first time, in 1813, he was rejected for service as he was "under age and undersize". He was a private in Capt. Brown's company, 30th regiment, United States Infantry. He appears in the Vermont census as head of household in Franklin, VT in 1830, 1840 and 1850. Presumably before this time, he was living with a relative. Census records indicate his children were born in Vermont, but only Martha's birth is recorded.

Dan served in the Vermont Senate in 1848 and was a county officer for Franklin in 1849. He apparently also served as sheriff. He was given a land patent for his service in the War of 1812, in LaCrosse Co., WI, pursuant to an act passed in 1850. In 1856, since this land had not been occupied, it reverted to the General Land Office, and was granted to William H. Conger. Then, on 10 Aug 1860, bounty land originally granted to Samuel Perry for his service in the War of 1812 passed to Dan Rublee and then from Dan Rublee to Asa Harris. This land was 160 acres in LeCompton, KS. On 1 Oct 1860, land assigned to Dan Rublee in Nebraska was assigned by him to Laura R. Leonard.

By 1860, Dan had moved to Allamakee Co., Iowa where he lived in Paint Creek. He was 60 years of age, a farmer. Also in the home were M. D. Rublee (male), age 19, clerk; and Orlando Rublee, age 28, a carpenter. Both were his sons. He continued to live in Paintville at the time of the 1870 census. He applied for a pension in 1871. He was then living in Waterville, Allamakee County, Iowa (from Soldier's original declaration, Nat'l Archives).

In 1880, "Daniel" Rublee (listed in index as Rublu), age 82, born in Vermont, was living in Pawnee, Smith Co., Kansas. He was a widower. Living with him was son Marcus D. Rublee, age 39, also a widower. Both were farmers. This record, and wife Betsy's death notice are the only records I have seen that give his name as Daniel. For some reason, Dan Rublee moved back to Vermont very late in life, after 1880, as he died in Vermont in 1882.

"Mr. Dan Rublee, father of C. D. Rublee of this place, died last evening at Franklin, aged 64 years. He had formerly lived at Franklin, but had been West for 25 years and returned to Franklin in feeble health two weeks ago." (The St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 14 Jul 1882, Fri, page 3)

The late Charles Rublee, of Sherbrooke, QC offered this memory from his father, who described Dan Rublee as "a man with a long body, and legs so short that his coattails dragged on the ground." Charles said that his "Uncle Dan, like his neighbors in the days of the earliest settlers, lived in a log cabin with an open fireplace and a chimney built into one end. One night, as was customary, Uncle Dan put on a dance at his cabin to which the whole neighborhood was invited. A number of teenage boys who had accompanied their parents made such a nuisance of themselves that they were put outside and the door was fastened. Soon after the dance had gotten well underway again it was noticed that the fireplace was smoking badly; as everything was normal it was concluded that the trouble must be outside and examination proved the theory to be correct. The boys had managed to get onto the roof and had placed some boards over the top of the chimney. The boys were severely lectured and the dance got underway

again. The boys were not finished yet. A glimmer of light under the closed door alerted them to the fact there was a crack there. A foraging party was sent out for goose quills. The pioneers always had some of these on hand because they used them to make pens. What the boys had in mind was not pens but "witch quills".

To make a witch quill, you cut off the feather and leaving a hollow tube three or four inches long terminating in the closed point at one end. Then you get a can of gunpowder, which would be easily obtained in those days of muzzle loading guns. First you dump about half an inch of dry powder into the lower end of the quill. Then you follow this with a half-inch of damp powder (saliva makes a good dampener). The alternations of dry and damp are continued until the quill is full. A pinch of dry powder completes the charge. Application of a lighted match causes the quill to shoot across the floor for six or eight feet with a loud hiss and lots of white smoke. (The black powder used in those days was smoky stuff.) Then the damp powder would sputter and smoke for a few seconds but only with enough force to make the quill turn and twist crazily until the next charge of dry powder would rocket it across the floor again.

The sudden appearance of a number of these hissing, smoking missiles from the crack under the door of Uncle Dan's brought the dance to a halt once more. This time the boys were called in for a parley and a truce was agreed on, under the terms that the boys would be allowed to stay inside if they would promise to behave" (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

He married **Betsy Ewins**, 22 Dec 1822 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁸¹ b. abt 1799 in VT,⁶ (daughter of **Josiah Ewins or Ewins** [1775 - 1857] and **Saloma "Sally" Bell** [1777 - 1857]), d. 11 Jan 1851 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.² Tentatively, Betsy (Ewins) Rublee was the daughter of Josiah and Sally Ewins who settled in Berkshire, VT about 1800. One son, Lewis, was born in 1800. (Information on Ewins family from Harvey, 1994, page 91). A Josiah Ewins lived in Berkshire in 1820. There is no Josiah Ewin(g)s in 1810, but one appears in Barre in 1800. Also, on 21 Jan 1815, the following family was warned out of Franklin, VT: Uins, Josiah, Polly, Betsey, Lewis, William, Nancy, Horace, George, Patty and Nowles (?). Josiah Ewins was born about 1774 and died 16 Sep 1857, buried W. Berkshire, VR. Sally was born about 1779 and died 30 Oct 1857, buried W. Berkshire. There was also a John Ewins born about 1760, died 1 Jan 1840, buried W. Berkshire and Abigail, born about 1784, died 18 Nov 1843, buried W. Berkshire that appears to have been John's wife. Hemenway, in her Vermont Historical Gazetteer, makes mention of Ewing families in Clarendon, VT.

The following death notice was published in the Vermont Christian Register on 26 Mar 1851. The January 12 death date is probably incorrect.

"Died in Franklin, Jan. 12, Betsey, wife of Daniel Rublee, aged 52 years. She had been a professor of religion for 27 years, and up the time of her death a member of the M. E Church. By her kind and Christian deportment she had endeared herself to a large circle of acquaintance and relatives. In her death her neighbors have sustained a loss. She has left an affectionate husband and seven children to mourn her departure. The struggle of a mother's feelings were among the difficulties she had to overcome, as she saw death approaching. She remarked to the writer, a few days before her death, "a mother has a great many things to think of." But God so helped her in this conflict that she was enabled to confide all in him. A few moments before her death she asked to be helped to her armed chair, where she calmly fell asleep

in Jesus. The memory of the just is blessed. Her children arise up and call her blessed; her husband, also, and he praiseth her. Prov. 31:28. ~J. L. Cook."

Children:

- + 185 i. Louisa M.⁴ Rublee b. cal 7 Aug 1824.
- 186 ii. Betsy Ann Rublee b. est 1827 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. bef 1850? . Betsy Ann is not listed in 1850 census. She may have been married, or she may have died.

In June 2021, while looking for records pertaining to Marquis/Marcus Rublee, I stumbled across an 1892 Probate record in Allamakee Co., IA for Jacob Kleindinst and his wife Anna. Among the heirs mentioned are George Rublee of Richford, VT; C. D. Rublee of Swanton, VT; and Marcus D. Rublee of Lake Park, Iowa. These men are identified as brothers of Anna Kleindinst, who was then deceased. There are other heirs, including the widow and children of Jacob's son David who had been dead for many years. This indicates that Jacob's marriage to Anna was not his first. The probate document refers to an 1885 mortgage note by Jacob and Anna that was unpaid and therefore due to the estate.

Whether Anna is the same person as Betsy Ann Rublee is uncertain, but possible. I have no other candidates. I am placing information about Anna here by way of a placeholder.

In 1880 Jacob and Annie "Klemdist" lived in Lansing, Allamakee Co., IA. Both were 53 years of age. Annie was born in VT, as were her parents. Jacob was born in Bavaria, as were his parents. Seventeen year old Belle Logan was a servant in the home. In 1885, they continued to live in Lansing. They were both 57. Jacob's place of birth is now given as Germany. These are the only census documents I have been able to find for Jacob and Anna. Both apparently died in Jan 1892, although I have not found death records or obituaries. Likewise, I have not been able to find any information about either Jacob or Anna before 1880.

- 187 iii. Alfred Rublee b. abt 1826 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁸² d. aft 1882 in Sacramento Co., CA? . In 1850, Alfred lived with his parents in Franklin, VT, unmarried at age 33. There is no further record of him in Vermont.

Alfred Rublee was on the California Great Registers in Placer Co., CA as early as 11 Jul 1867 and as late as 11 Jul 1873. In 1870, he lived in East Bear River, Yuba, CA, listed as Alfred Ruble. He was a stock dealer, age 42, born in Vermont. He lived in the household of A. Parker, age 62, born in NY. A number of other people lived there as well. In 1875-1886, he was listed in the Great Registers in Sacramento, CA. In 1875 he was a stock dealer in Sacramento, CA.

Sacramento Daily Union, Volume 3, Number 97, 15 June 1877: This volume contains two references to a charge against Alfred Rublee for grand larceny and robbery. This concerned the alleged theft of 4 cows from a ranch. Later editions indicate that he was tried, but the jury could not agree.

Alfred Rublee is listed as a stockraiser in McKenney's Pacific Coast Directory, 1880-1881. He was living in Richland, a few miles south of Sacramento, in Sacramento Co.
(<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~npmelton/pacdircsc.htm>)

I cannot find him in the 1880 census in Sacramento Co. or Yuba Co., even searching for people born in Vermont within 5 years of his year of birth.

He appears in the city directory for Redwood City, CA 1880-1881. Redwood City is in San Mateo Co.

An Al or A. L. Rublee is buried in the Oswego Pioneer Cemetery in Clackamas Co., OR. There are no dates, but his gravestone notes that he was 65 years of age. The stone was erected by a friend, T. J. McFarlane. Perhaps this is Alfred? The cemetery was first used in 1892. Alfred would have been about 65 at that time.

- + 188 iv. George Rublee b. 17 Feb 1830.
- 189 v. Orlando Rublee b. abt 1833 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁸² d. 21 Dec 1889 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co., CA,^{183,184} buried in Greenlawn Mem. Park, Colma, San Mateo Co., CA.¹⁸⁵ In 1850, Orlando Rublee lived with his parents in Franklin, VT at age 17. In 1860, he lived in Paint Creek, Allamakee Co., IA with his father Dan Rublee and brother Marquis. I cannot find Orlando in the 1870 census. However there is a notice in the Burlington Free Press on 17 Sep 1873 that Orlando Rublee had been arraigned for intoxication the previous week and was remanded to jail.

In 1880, Orlando lived in Pawnee, Smith, KS. He was 48 years old, a carpenter, an unrelated boarder in the household of Stephen and Eliza Shores, both born in Pennsylvania. In 1888, he was listed in the California Great Register in San Francisco, CA. In 1889, he was a carpenter living in San Francisco (San Francisco, CA City Directory, 1889-1890). He died that year: "In this city, December 2, Orlando Rublee [died], a native of Vermont, aged 57 years." (Evening Bulletin, San Francisco, CA, Monday, December 23, 1889; pg. 3)

Orlando was apparently buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in San Francisco, CA. In the 1930s, bodies were removed from that site to other cemeteries in the area. Orlando was re-interred in the cemetery listed here. Or was he? The entry says he was an infant, and gives the date of death as 12 Feb 1893.

- + 190 vi. Cornelius Dan Rublee b. 3 Sep 1834.
- 191 vii. Martha M. Rublee b. cal 12 Feb 1837 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁶⁴ d. 12 Jul 1838 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁷³ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴ Martha died at age 1 year and 5 months.
- + 192 viii. Marquis "Marcus" D. Rublee b. 25 Nov 1838.

69. **Hiram Addison³ Rublee** (Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 27 Jun 1796 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob),⁶⁰ d. 28 Mar 1886 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.⁶ Hiram Addison Rublee's birth is recorded in New Haven, but I am not sure he was born there. Other records would suggest that his parents still lived in Lanesborough at that time. The 1850 census gives his state of birth as MA; in 1860, VT is given. Daughter Olive's death certificate also says that Hiram was born in New Haven, VT. His own death certificate says he was born in Massachusetts.

An H. A. Rublee gave the land for the new school to the town of Enosburg around 1820 (Geraw, 1985, page 45). Hiram Rublee and family lived in Enosburg, VT at the time of the federal census in 1830, 1840, 1850, 1860 and 1870.

In 1850, Hiram and Olive lived in Enosburg. All three of their children were still at home: Sarah, age 23; Olive, age 20 and Rodney, age 9. By 1860, only Rodney lived with them. In 1870, daughter Olive Kellogg, age 40 and husband John, age 39 were also in the home as well as Sarah Stevens (?), age 16, a domestic. Was this Hiram's granddaughter Sarah Stevens? She is also listed as a member of her parents' household in Monroe, Fremont, Iowa.

In 1880, Hiram was a widower living with daughter and son-in-law, Olive and John Kellogg in Enosburg. His wife Olive, then died between 1870 and 1880. I have not been able to find a death record nor a death notice for her. Where are Hiram and Olive buried?

He married **Olive Smith**, est 1825, b. abt 1796 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob) (daughter of **David Smith** [1766 - 1860] and **Sarah Pettibone** [1766 - 1799]), d. bet 1870-1880 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT (prob).

Children:

- + 193 i. Sarah Pettibone⁴ Rublee b. 23 Jun 1827.
- 194 ii. Olive Smith Rublee b. abt 21 Mar 1830 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 2 Apr 1910 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.³¹ In 1860, John and Olive Kellogg lived in Enosburg, VT. In 1870, they lived with Olive's parents in Enosburg, ages 39 and 40. In 1880, John and Olive lived in Enosburg, and Olive's father Hiram Rublee lived with them. They continued to live in Enosburg in 1900; the census confirms that they did not have children. Olive died before the 1910 census. John, a widower, lived with his brother-in-law Rodney Rublee who was also widowed.

"Mrs. John L. Kellogg died Saturday night at 5:30 o'clock after an illness of several weeks duration. Mrs. Kellogg, whose maiden name was Rublee was born in 1830 and is survived by her husband and one brother R. D. Rublee, both of this place. The funeral was held at the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. W. T. Forsythe, rector of St. Matthew's church, officiating. The burial took place in the Main street cemetery." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 4 Apr 1910, Mon, page 2).

"ENOSBURG FALLS. John L. Kellogg, who in his day was a leading citizen of this town, died Thursday morning at seven o'clock of a general break-down following a shock suffered about two years ago. Mr. Kellogg was 81 years of age and lived with his brother-in-law. R. D. Rublee. The funeral will be held from the home to-day at ten o'clock, the Rev. P. D. Miller officiating. Burial will be in Main street cemetery beside his wife, who died in April, 1910." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 16 Nov 1912, Sat, page 3).

She married John S. Kellogg, aft 1850 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT?, b. 12 Jan 1832 (cal) in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT (prob),³¹ (son of Josiah E. Kellogg [1806 - 1881] and Susan Stevens [1800 - 1872]), d. 14 Nov 1912 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.³¹

+ 195 iii. Rodney D. Rublee b. cal 31 May 1840.

70. **Milton³ Rublee** (Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 4 Oct 1799 in New Haven, Addison Co., VT,⁶⁰ d. 10 Jan 1870 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Milton Rublee was a carpenter and a joiner. In 1974, his descendant, Charles Rublee, still had three chairs made by Milton Rublee, one of which he made at age fourteen. (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

Milton Rublee's name appears on a 30 Jan 1844 scholars list for School District No. 7 in Berkshire, VT. At that time, only Dorinda was in school.

He married **Lemira Beach**, 15 Jun 1828 in Highgate, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 16 Oct 1812 in Highgate, Franklin Co., VT,² (daughter of **Elisha Beach** [1785 - 1860] and **Lydia Skeels** [1787 - 1873]), d. 3 Mar 1895 in North Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC (prob),² buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴ Lemira married second Samuel Livingstone on 19 Nov 1878 in Berkshire at age 64. The Vermont Vital Records Index captured her name as Louisa, but the original record says Lomira. In 1880, Samuel and Lemira Livingstone (age 65) lived in Berkshire. In 1891, Lemira Rublee was living in Hatley, QC with her son Merritt and his family. Samuel had died 3 years earlier in Berkshire. Very likely Lemira died in Hatley. Her gravestone lists her name as Lemira Beach, wife of Milton Rublee, and she is buried next to Milton.

Children:

- + 196 i. Marshall Milton⁴ Rublee b. 29 Apr 1833.
197 ii. Angelina "Dorinda" Rublee b. 25 Mar 1835 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 16 Sep 1859 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴

She married Robert Armstrong, 30 Oct 1853 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 16 Aug 1816 in Ireland,¹⁶⁴ (son of Robert Armstrong [1777 - 1850] and Ann Lattimore Boothe [1776 - 1849]), d. 27 Mar 1895 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{164,6} buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁶⁴ In 1850, Robert Armstrong lived with his first wife Mary Ann in Berkshire. They were 34 and 23. Also in the home were their two sons, and Mary Shaw, presumably Mary Ann's mother. Robert was born in Ireland and the others in Vermont.

Angelina Dorinda Rublee's 1853 marriage record is recorded under Dorinda Rublee. She died of consumption at age 23. She and her husband apparently had no children.

In 1860, Robert Armstrong, age 42, born in Ireland, lived in Berkshire with his 3rd wife Sarah F. [Ladd], age 34; Ransford, age 15; Leroy, age 13; Mary, age 7, all born in Vermont. Lucretia Cook, age 19, born in Canada East, was a domestic in the home.

- + 198 iii. Hiram A. Rublee b. 28/29 May 1837.
+ 199 iv. Merritt Beach Rublee b. 30 Dec 1849.

75. **Andrew "Ajax"³ Rublee** (Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 8 May 1819 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 13 Apr 1873 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Andrew Rublee, apparently known as Ajax, was a farmer. Some records indicate that he was born in Canada. His children's names are listed in Treman genealogy (1901, page 1594). At the time of the 1851

Canadian census, A. A. Rublee, age 33, lived in St. Paul de Abbotsford, St. Hyacinthe, QC. He was born in the United States. His name is given as Rubelier. Also in the home were his wife Clarissa, age 35, and son Andrew, age 5, born in Canada East and sister Minerva, age 43, born in the United States. Their religion was Congregational. The family continued to live in Abbotsford in 1861 and 1871.

Andrew died of smallpox. In 1880, a widowed Clarissa lived with son Andrew H. Rublee in Enosburg.

"Mr. Ajax Rublee, father of Andrew H. Rublee of the firm of Rublee & Harvey, merchants, died of small pox on the 13th inst. He contracted the disease while on a visit, recently to Abbotsford, P. Q., where he formerly resided. His age was about 60." (Vermont Journal (St. Johnsbury, Vermont) 3 May 1873, Sat, page 5)

The Tremain genealogy gives Andrew's place of residence as Plattsburg, NY (1901, p. 1594). Did he ever live there?

He married **Clarissa Jackman**, 13 Mar 1845 in Congr. Church, Granby, Shefford Co., QC,¹⁸⁷ b. 4 Sep 1816 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC,¹⁸⁸ (daughter of **Humphrey Jackman** [1782 - 1870] and **Mary Ayer** [- 1862]), d. 14 Jan 1891 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{188,189} buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

Children:

- + 200 i. Andrew Humphrey⁴ Rublee b. 6 May 1847.
 - 201 ii. Louisa Rublee b. 28 Dec 1848 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC,³⁵ d. 20 Apr 1851 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC (prob),² buried in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC.²
 - + 202 iii. Louisa D. Rublee b. 1853.
 - 203 iv. Sarah Rublee b. Jan 1856 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC (prob),¹⁹⁰ d. 26 Jul 1876 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁹⁰ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.
 - + 204 v. Alfred A. Rublee b. 13 Jan 1859.
76. **Alonzo³ Rublee** (Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Mar 1805 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁹¹ d. 1 Aug 1870 in Kilbourn City, Columbia Co., WI, buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹² Alonzo Rublee appears on a list of soldiers in Berkshire in 1825. He was Alonzo Rublee was a resident of Berkshire, VT at the time of his marriage to Lucy Chadsey in 1832: "On this seventh day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty two Alonzo Rublee Bachelor and Farmer of Berkshire in the State of Vermont & Lucy Chadsey Spinster, both of major age were married after publication of Banns in presence of the subscribing witnesses by James Reid, Alonzo Rublee, Lucy Chadsey, *L G Chadsy Ohd*, B D Chadsey" (Frelighsburg Church of England in Canada Holy Trinity 1808-1879)

Alonzo Rublee witnessed his Uncle Hiram Rublee's will in Berkshire on 10 Nov 1835. In 1840, he lived in Berkshire, with a female of the age to be his wife, and one female under five, presumably a daughter. The heads of household that were living nearby are not related, to my knowledge. He is not living near any of the other Rublee families then living in Berkshire. On 5 Jul 1841 when he sold land in Berkshire to Peter Green. He was then "of Berkshire". The land was the north half of the second division of the original right of Joseph Flagg. On 1 Jan 1843, Alonzo Rublee was living in School District No. 9 in Berkshire, where he sent one scholar to school. This would be Hannah/Annah, the only child he would have by his three wives.

The History of Walworth Co., WI (Western Historical Company, 1882, p. 940) indicates that in 1844, Francis Rublee, his wife and his sons F. Manville, Martindale and Alonzo settled in Sugar Creek. On page 941, mention is made of the Gravel Tavern, begun by Martindale Rubles (sic) and finished by John D. Cowles. No date is mentioned.

Alonzo Rublee lived in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI at the time of the 1850 census, with wife Abigail (Cowles). He was 45 years of age, and his wife was 47. Abigail's sister, Orpha Cowle(s), age 34, born in Vermont, was also living with them.

Things get a little confusing with the Cowles sisters, Abigail, Orpha and Esther. The following is an attempt at clarity, and context to the information below.

Abigail married Alonzo Rublee before 1850 as his second wife. She died in 1861.

Orpha married Alonzo Rublee in 1862.

Alonzo died in 1870

Esther married Thomas Roach in 1861. She died in 1870.

Orpha married Thomas Roach in 1871.

In the territorial census of Wisconsin, 1855, A. Rublee lived in Sugar Creek, WI, with one male and two females. The Thomas Roach family lived two lots away, with 3 males and 4 females.

Alonzo witnessed a pension application for Silas Rood, made on 13 Sep 1856. Silas lived in Sugar Creek, WI at the time, but had served in the War of 1812 from Milton, VT. (A List of Pensioners of the War of 1812 by Byron N. Clark. Research Publication Company, 1904)

Alonzo continued to live in Sugar Creek in 1860. He was then age 55. Abigail was 57 and Orpha Cowles was 45. All were born in VT. Alonzo married Orpha in Dell Prairie, WI (Adams Co.). In 1870, they continued to live in Dell Prairie. Alonzo was 65 and Orpha was 55.

Orpha married second, Thomas Roach. Thomas was previously married to Orpha's sister Esther Cowles. Thomas and Esther had five children, born in Brome, QC. Thomas and Orpha lived in Dell Prairie, Adams, WI in 1880. Thomas Roach was 65, born in England. Orpha was also 65, born in VT. Grandchildren Annie and Carrie Roach, ages 13 and 11 lived with them. In 1895, Orpha lived in Olin, WI.

Alonzo Rublee is buried in Spring Grove cemetery in Newport, Columbia Co., WI in the same lot as Marcuis/Marcus Rublee and wife Mary. I don't have any reason to believe that Marcuis was Alonzo's son. It seems clear that they were uncle and nephew.

In April 2021, Doug Detling received the following email message: "My name is Kristine Beyer. I found an old bible at an antique store in central Wisconsin 45 years ago. A little research found Francis Rublee moved to WI in 1847. I think the Rublee listed in the bible maybe relation to the Roblee family history." Ms. Beyer included images of the family record contained the the Bible. This was the first time that Alonzo's date and place of birth could be confirmed. The family record in the Bible contains the following information:

First page (marriages):

Alonzo Rublee and Orpha [were] united in holy wedlock September 21st 1862

Second page (births):

Alonzo Rublee Born March [the] 30 1805 in Berkshire Vt.

Orpha Rublee Born June 26 1815 Fairfield Vt.

Thomas Roach Born Jan 4 1818 or 26 at Cornwall, Eng.

Esther Roach Born at Fairfield Vt 1805

Abigal [sic] Born June 25 1841 in Canada

Abigail, born in 1841 and mentioned above, was the daughter of Thomas Roach and Esther Cowles.

He married (1) **Lucy Chadsey**, 7 Mar 1832 in Congr. Church, St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC,^{187,35} b. 2 Feb 1805 in St. Armand, Missisquoi Co., QC?,¹⁹³ (daughter of **Job Chadsey** and **Sarah Spencer** [1773 - 1858]), d. 2 Jul 1842 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?,¹⁹³ buried in Johnson Cem., Freleighsburg, Missisquoi Co., QC.¹⁹⁴

Children:

+ 205 i. Hannah or Anna⁴ Rublee b. May 1833.

He married (2) **Abigail Cowles**, bef 1850 in Wisconsin?, b. 1801 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,^{195,191} (daughter of **Joel Cowles** and **Phebe Gregory**), d. 22 Nov 1861 in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI.¹⁹⁶ Abigail Rublee left a will, dated 15 Sep 1858. She then lived in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI and was in ill health. She left six acres of land in Sugar Creek to her sister Orpha Cowles. She left her personal property to her husband, except that her wearing apparel was to be divided between her husband and her surviving sisters. She appointed Alonzo Rublee her administrator.

He married (3) **Orpha Cowles**, 21 Sep 1862 in Dell Prairie, Adams Co., WI,¹⁹⁷ b. 26 Jun 1815 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁹⁵ (daughter of **Joel Cowles** and **Phebe Gregory**), d. 19 Nov 1900 in Dell Prairie, Adams Co., WI?,¹⁹⁵ buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹²

77. **William "Martindale"³ Rublee** (Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Nov 1809 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶¹ d. bef 1850? in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI? . Martindale Rubblee [sic] married Eliza Welch on 7 Apr 1831 in Sheldon, VT. This is almost certainly William Martindale Rublee. Martindale was William's maternal grandmother's maiden name. Neither Martindale's nor Eliza's parents are given on the marriage record. I have not been able to identify Eliza's parents.

In 1830, the following Welch families lived in Franklin Co., VT: Benjamin and John of Franklin and Simeon of Sheldon. In 1840, there were Oliver of Highgate; and Jonathan and Lorin of Sheldon.

A list of scholars in a Berkshire VT school district dated January 1844 lists William M. Rublee, with sons "Asbra" Rublee and "Martius" Rublee. Census records agree that these two individuals were born in Vermont. Alberry or Asberry is probably the same person as Francis A. Rublee. And, with so many Francis Rublees around, no wonder he was called by his middle name when growing up.

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"In Sugar Creek township, Wisconsin Territory, on the 23rd of November last [1844], Mrs. Rublee, wife of W. M. Rublee, formerly of Berkshire, Vt. Her afflicted husband, in a letter to the writer of this notice, says: "She took a violent cold, (soon after our arrival at the above named place,) which settled upon her lungs, and terminated her life by consumption. She suffered much, but with entire resignation to the divine will, and left this world of sorrow in full Christian triumph, at the above date, aged 37 years. The writer knew the deceased and her happy death is what he would have anticipated, as her God was her portion when in health. Her husband and children are left in a state of painful bereavement in a strange land, and he desires to be remembered in the affections and prayers of his friends in this County. [BMH]" (St. Albans Weekly Messenger. 1 Jan 1845)

The Welch families who settled in Sugar Creek, WI were not Vermont families. Clues on this Eliza Welch:

"I am looking for information about Simeon WELCH (supposedly b. 5 Jun 1779) who married Betsey GREEN (supposedly b. 30 Sep 1772/1782). I don't have any information about their place of birth, but I do know that their son Jonathan, through whom I descend, was born in Sheldon, VT, 7 May 1809, and died 10 Oct 1882 also in Sheldon, VT. Simeon and Betsey also had other children Louis (b. 7 Dec 1804, Apr 1842), Elizabeth (b. 2 Oct 1807) and Mary (b.?). " (Source: Kevin Spaulding on Welch Genforum). Simeon Welch lived in Sheldon at the time of the 1820 and 1830 censuses.

Regarding Alonzo's children by his first wife Eliza - all census entries agree that Marcius A., or M. A. Rublee was born in Vermont about 1837. The History of Newbury, VT indicates that Mary Chamberlain married Mr. [Alonzo] Rublee in Wisconsin. In fact their marriage in Walworth Co., WI in 1845 is documented. This would indicate that both Francis Alberry and Marcuis were William Martindale's children by his first marriage.

Martindale almost certainly died while Francis and Marcuis was still young, before 1850. Martindale's parents took on raising Francis, but Mary Ann, who had family nearby, took young Marcius to live with them.

At the time of the 1850 census, Mary A. Rublee, age 35, born in VT, lived in Delevan, Walworth Co., WI in the home of Amos Eastman, age 31, born in NH. Amos's wife was Sophronia, age 32, born in VT. Marcuis A. Rublee, age 13, born in VT, lived in the home, along with the Eastman's two young children, Charles, age 3 and Mary, 3 mos. Sophronia (Chamberlain) Eastman was Mary Ann's sister. Mary (Chamberlain) Rublee married E. G. [Eubulius Grover] Hartson later than year.

In the 1860 census, I found "C. S." Hartson living in Mauston, Juneau Co., WI. He was 45, born in NY. His wife was Mary A., age 45, born in VT. Also in the home was Albert, age 8; Everline, age 5 and Henry, age 3, all born in WI. Also in 1860, a Henry Hartson, age 48, born in NY, lived adjacent to Amos Eastman in Elkhorn, WI. I scanned the census entries for 1860 in Mauston, but did not find Marcuis Roblee, who would have been about 23 at the time.

In 1870, Eubulius Hartson, age 57, born in NY lived in Marion, Juneau, WI with wife Mary Ann, age 55, born in VT. Also in the home were Albert, age 18; Ella, age 15 and Henry, age 13, all born in WI. By 1880, E. G and Mary A. Hartson had moved on to Grant, Clark, WI. Son Albert and family were also living there.

In 1900, Mary A. Hartson was living in Eaton, Clark, WI with son Henry and family in Eaton, Clark, WI.

Note that Marcius Rublee later lived in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI. Mary Ann Chamberlain's brother Amblias and his wife Cynthia Bolton settled at Kilbourn City as well.

He married (1) **Eliza Welch**, 7 Apr 1831 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1807 in VT, d. 23 Nov 1844 in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI.

Children:

- + 206 i. Francis Alberry⁴ Rublee b. cal 20 Feb 1832.
- + 207 ii. Marcius Altamont Rublee b. 11 Mar 1837.

He married (2) **Mary Ann Chamberlain**, 20 Feb 1845 in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI,¹³³ b. 13 Apr 1815 in Newbury, Orange Co., VT (prob),¹⁹⁸ (daughter of **Joseph Chamberlain** and **Nancy McAllister**), d. 1 Dec 1901 in Greenwood, Clark Co., WI,¹⁹⁸ buried in Greenwood Cem., Eaton, Clark Co., WI.¹⁹⁸

78. **Francis Manville "F. M."³ Rublee** (Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1816 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 19 Nov 1860 in Central City, Gilpin Co., CO,¹⁹⁹ buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.²⁰⁰ Francis M. Rublee, of Berkshire, is listed among the students for the fall term of 1835 at the Jericho [VT] Academy. Apparently, he left for Wisconsin within the next year. In the book "Historic Sheboygan County" by Gustave William Buchen, 1944, p. 99, is the following: "[Alvah Rublee's] cousin Francis Manville Rublee, had taught the first school in Sheboygan County in the winter of 1836-1837. It was supported by private subscription, and held in a private room, and had only a few pupils. After remaining here only a year, F.M. Rublee went out west."

"But, all on a sudden, it was discovered that everybody was out of money and that nobody had anything to do. This was in the winter of 1836-37. F. M. RUBLEE, now of LaCrosse, then a young man in his twentieth year, taught the first school in the county that winter." (Collections of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin: Early Times in Sheboygan County, p. 337)

"The first school in Sheboygan County was established in 1836 in the Village of Sheboygan. The struggling village was but a tiny cluster of 16 or 17 crudely built structures, neither painted nor plastered, as one traveler put it. The first teacher in Sheboygan, an educated man known as F.M. Rublee, taught five or six children in his home. As the population grew, one-room schoolhouses began to appear all over the county. Each township could proudly claim at least one schoolhouse, sometimes more."

http://www.wisinfo.com/sheboyganpress/news/history/local_14982270.shtml

Francis M. Rublee came from eastern Wisconsin to settle in La Crosse, WI in 1851. He and his wife Sarah were among the first members of the Congregational Church, formed in 1852. He owned and ran a store in La Crosse and was active in community and church affairs. He was the sergeant-at-arms- in the Territorial Assembly of 1840-1841 (History of Northern Wisconsin, Western Hist. Co, 1881)

"An Act authorizing Francis M. Rublee to construct a wharf or dock.

The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Francis M. Rublee is hereby authorized construct a wharf or dock at the foot of State street, in the village of La Crosse, of the full width of said street, and extending into the Mississippi river as far as may be necessary to make a good and safe landing for steamboats, and the convenient and safe landing of passengers and goods at the time of low water in said river, and of such height as he may deem necessary.

Sec. 2. Said Francis M. Rublee, his heirs and assigns shall have the sole right to said wharf or dock and the use thereof, except that the town and village of La Crosse shall be allowed to land upon and ship from said wharf or dock any of the corporation property, and allow the same to remain thereon for a reasonable length of time.

Sec. 3. The said wharf or dock shall not be so constructed as to obstruct the said street at or beyond the crossing of Front street; and the fee of said wharf or dock is hereby declared to be forever in the said Francis M. Rublee, his heirs and assigns.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. Approved April 2, 1825. [note: this is almost certainly a misprint. It should be 1852.](Private and Local Laws as Passed by the Legislature of Wisconsin in the Year 1855, Chapter 391, pp. 590-591)

A land patent was issued to a Francis M. Rublee on 3 May 1843 in Ozaukee County, WI. (Wisconsin Land Patents Database). The patent refers to him as Francis Manville Rublee of Milwaukee Co., Wisconsin Territory, and was for 80 acres.

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At the time of the 1850 census, Francis and Sarah lived in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI with an infant son Berry (Benny?), age 8 months. Also living in the home were Sarah's parents Henry and Abby Whitney, her brother Charles and sister Abby and one other female, Harriet Leonard, age 23, born in NY. "

Francis M. Rublee, most commonly referred to as F. M. Rublee in the records of La Crosse, WI, settled in La Crosse, having come there from Walworth County, WI in April of 1851 when just four families lived there. (LaCrosse DAR, 19??, page 69). He engaged in the mercantile business. Others from Walworth Co. also came to La Crosse at that time: Judge Gale, C. A. Stevens, W. McConnel, J. B. Crookston and John Burns. F. M. Rublee was elected one of the first supervisors of La Crosse County in 1851.

"F. M. Rublee, too, was an important factor in the early expansion and growth of the community. Arriving in 1851, he waited till the next year before starting his general merchandise business. At the time that he first came to La Crosse the entire population consisted of five families with a total of thirty people, and the retail business was carried on by two very small stores. The surrounding country was still very

unsettled, Indians frequently frightening the people by their hostile actions. However, the Indians soon left as the population gradually increased, the settlements following the valleys and coulees into the Interior." (History of the City of La Crosse, 1841-1871 / by Ray Monroe Keeler, 1915. Retrieved 2/6/2008 from: <http://murphylibrary.uwlax.edu/digital/lacrosse/HistKeeler/>

On 10 Nov 1852, Francis W. (M?) Rublee was granted 155 acres in La Crosse Co., WI. On 3 Jul 1860 and 3 Aug 1860, Francis M. Rublee bought patents of land in Buffalo Co., WI. He must have left for the west shortly after this.

"F. M. Rublee went to Colorado when the Pike Peak's excitement broke out and died at Central City." (Memoirs of La Crosse County) This refers to the Colorado Gold Rush of 1859. At the time of the 1860 census, F. M. Rublee was a miner counted at Nevada Gulch, Arapahoe Co., KS. He was then 44 years old with a state of birth listed as Vermont. The census date was 30 Sep 1860. This was just a few months before he died. A news item ran on 20 Nov 1860 from Central City: "F. M. Rublee, a prominent citizen of this district, died here last night. He was from La Crosse, Wis., and was much respected by the citizens of the gulch".

"Again, a death in Nevadaville or Nevada City, Mr. F.M. Rublee of La Crosse, Wis. Ill of Mountain Fever 2 months, was recovering, but suffered relapse and died. Long account, aged 44, wife and 1 child in La Crosse, was early settler in the city and very prominent. Long notice, Nov 29, 1860 - WM." (Colorado Portrait and Biography Index)

From the Probate Records of the La Crosse County Court: to Hon S. S. Burton of said court. "The petition of Sarah W. Rublee of the city and County of La Crosse and State of Wisconsin, respectfully represents that Francis Manville Rublee late of said city of La Crosse deceased on the 19th day of November at Pikes Peak, Kansas Territory, died intestate as your petitioner believes, no last will and testament having been found, or being known to exist, that said deceased left a widow (your petitioner) and one child viz. Francis Manville, age 4 1/2 years, who with your petitioner, constitute the family of said deceased.

That said deceased left good, chattels and personal estate within this county, to the probably amount of One Thousand Dollars, and real estate to an amount unknown to your petitioner, as your petitioner believes, that said deceased left debts due and unpaid to an amount unknown to your petitioner.

Your petitioner being desirous that the estate of said deceased be legally administered would pray that administration thereof be granted until James L. Batchelder of the City, County and State aforesaid, and that appraisers and Commissioners be appointed pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, and according to the rules and practice of this court. Dated at La Crosse this 23rd day of January 1861. [signed] Sarah W. Rublee.

"F. M Rublee came to La Crosse in April, 1851, and being pleased with the location, and entertaining a favorable opinion of its future prospects, he removed here the following May, and immediately engaged in business. When he arrived, he believes there were only five families, consisting of some thirty persons, and he says that the whole mercantile interest was engrossed by two small shops, neither of which appeared to be burdened with heavy customers. All the surrounding country was still uninhabited, except with here and there, perhaps, a single settler, who was ambitious of trying new fields; and, as the Indian trade was now removed there was but little to be done in the line of merchandize. It was a point of

transition between barbarism and civilization -a crisis experienced by every Indian trading post, whose position entitles it to any considerable importance among the stable arrangements of cultivated society. Even in the village of La Crosse, at that time, the very foundations of all those social, moral, literary and religious institutions, which are peculiar to Christian countries, were yet to be laid; and to a mind imbued with a love for these benign institutions, a residence here was still a most dreary existence-like making a home on islands of ice and amidst polar snows. Thus, as it appears, as late as 1851, the actual settlement of La Crosse was but just commenced, and only the nucleus of society was formed. From this period a rapid change was manifested in the entire aspect of things. The population steadily increased, and Mr. Rublee and wife, who were valuable members of the Congregational church, and S. T. Smith and wife, of the Baptist Church, combining their religious influence with others, soon after secured the labors of Rev. J. C. Sherwin and Rev. W. H. Card, in the village and vicinity, and Rev. Benj. W. Reynolds being also stationed here as a missionary, to supply destitute points, and different ministers coming in under the patronage of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Christian privileges were enjoyed, at least equal, if not superior, to those of any other western community of the same number of inhabitants. (Source: A Brief Sketch of La Crosse, Wisc'n; Showing the Location of the Place, its Surrounding Scenery, Commercial Advantages, Early History, and the Social, Moral, Literary, and Religious Character of the Inhabitants; and Various Other Interesting Items / Spencer Carr. La Crosse, W. C. Rogers, 1854.)

An M. M. Manville was also an early settler of La Crosse, WI. I have never been able to determine Francis's middle name Manville came from a family connection.

"RUBER, ---, had lot in Auraria Jan 1859 with --- Foster. There is note (obituary) of Francis Rubler, or Rublee, "late of Gilpin County," his estate advertised in Tri-Weekly Mining Register of that county in Apr 1863. The property was large, mining interests, tunnels, etc., Henry P. Cowenhoven being administrator. The similarity of name suggests that there may be a connection." (Source: Fiftyniners' Directory Colorado Argonauts 1858-1859 at <http://history.denverlibrary.org/research/fiftyniners/R.html>).

He married Sarah Whitney, 21 Jan 1845 in Racine, Racine, WI,, b. 24 Nov 1817 in Wicasset, York, ME?, (daughter of Henry Whitney and Nabby Fullar) d. 24 Oct 1889 in W. Salem, La Crosse, WI (prob), buried in Oak Grove Cem., LaCrosse, WI.

Sarah married second J. M. Hayes, and lived in West Salem, WI (Western Historical Company, 1880, page 564). In 1870, Sarah was living in Barre, La Crosse, WI with her husband Joseph Hayes, age 58. He was a Congregational minister, born in New York. In addition, son Francis Rublee, age 14, born in Wisconsin and Charles Whitney, age 50, born in Maine were in the home.

Sarah, age 62, born in Maine and husband Joseph M. Hayes, age 67, born in Connecticut were living in W. Salem in 1880. Also in the home were Henrietta Holstead, age 18, housekeeper and Oscar Miller, age 17, a gardener. Joseph Hayes was also a gardener.

"Information was received yesterday of the death of Mrs. J. M. Hayes, formerly Mrs. F. M. Rublee. Deceased was born in Maine and was 72 years of age. She came to Wisconsin in 1848 and became the wife of Mr. Rublee in Racine. They came to La Crosse in 1851 and Mrs. Rublee was as active and popular in society as her husband was in business up to the time of his death. She remained a widow for several years and on becoming the wife of Elder Hayes made her home in West Salem. Mrs. Walter Brown of this

city is her sister. Her son Frank who resides in Nebraska is on his way to attend the funeral. (La Crosse Chronicle, October 26, 1889).

Below is information from "The Lumbering Industry of La Crosse, Wisconsin 1841-1905" by Mrs. Selma Sather Casberg. A Thesis Submitted in Partial Fulfillment of the requirements for the Degree of Master of Arts in History at the University of Wisconsin, 1953" (<http://murphylibrary.uwlax.edu/digital/lacrosse/CasbergLumbering/text.html>) The John Rublee referred to is almost certainly F. M. Rublee.

"In 1841, the three Mormons who assisted Myrick to pole the heavy keelboat carrying goods to trade with the Indians, went to the Black river area. Strained relations between the Mormons and an early sawmill operator, Jacob Spaulding, led the latter to arm his men to guard his mill and claims. In 1843, however, he sold out to the Mormons for \$20,000 payable in lumber.

Meanwhile a large number of Mormons had settled at Nauvoo, Illinois in 1839. Some of their numbers were sent to the Black river area to get timber for a great temple. In 1844, Spaulding received word of the death of their leader at Carthage, Illinois. The Mormons then disposed of their buildings, transferring the property to Spaulding and departed for Nauvoo.

Among the early settlers on the Prairie La Crosse [now called La Crosse] were Nathan Myrick, H. B. Miller, John Levy, Timothy Burns, John Rublee and Chase Stevens. They were fully aware of the favorable position of their little settlement. Not so enthusiastic was Harvey Hubbard, a young attorney, who said, "I wouldn't give 25.00 for all the sand knobs on that prairie." (page 59)

"The mulay saw with a capacity of 15,000 feet daily as a maximum was used by Burns, Rublee, Simonton and Smith, first mill in LaCrosse. It was extremely slow and operated on an up-and-down motion, quitting only on the down motion." (page 61).

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Children:

- 208 i. Benjamin Sewell⁴ Rublee b. abt Apr 1850 in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI, d. 14 Jul 1852 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI,⁶⁴ buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.⁶⁴
- + 209 ii. Francis Manville Rublee b. 19 Jun 1856.

81. **Arial Parker³ Rublee** (Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. est 1828 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),²⁰⁶ d. Nov 1895 in Seagoville, Dallas Co., TX.²⁰⁷ Arial Parker Rublee was named after Arial Parker, who married Eloyce's sister Bathsheba Gray.

In 1850, Arial lived with his grandmother Eloyce Rublee in Sugar Creek, Walworth Co., WI. On 15 Nov 1854, Arial P. Rublee bought 54 acres in LaCrosse Co., WI, from the United States government. On 15 Jan 1858, he bought an additional 40 acres. The History of LaCrosse Co., WI (Chicago: Western Publishing Co., 1881, page 709) indicates that "Royal Rublee" settled in Barre, LaCrosse Co. in 1853. This is a likely Arial Rublee. The first settlement in Barre was made in 1850 by Martin Bostwick and his sons Jerome and John, natives of Vermont.

In 1860, A. P. Rublee lived in Barre, La Crosse, WI. He was 32; his wife Mary was 27. Both were born in VT. Their children were Sarah, age 8; Charles, age 7; Ada, age 3 and Andrew, age 2. Arial and Mary lived in Barre in 1870. Now Mary's place of birth is given as NY. At the time of the 1875 Wisconsin state census, Arial lived in Hamilton, LaCrosse Co., WI.

Friday, June 4, 2004: "MOTION made and approved unanimously to create a resolution for Hillview (archaeology), Schmaltz Road Bridge, Arial P. Rublee House, and Iron Overhead Truss Bridge." Historic Sites Preservation Commission, LaCrosse County, WI

By 1880 the Rublees had moved to Lawrence, Kaufman, TX. The household was as follows: Arial P. Ruble, age 52, born in VT, farmer; Mary A., age 45, born in NY; Charles, age 26; Andrew, page 21; Stella, age 19; Harriet, age 17; Sophronia, age 13; Fanny, age 11; Harmon, age 7 -- all born in Wisconsin -- and James Fredericks, age 19, not related. Presumably this is the James Frederick that Hattie later married.

"Died. At Seagoville, Tex. on the 3th ult., Mary Ann Rublee, wife of A. P. Rublee, formerly of La Crosse of this state." (The Milwaukee Sentinel, (Milwaukee, WI) Friday, August 09, 1895; pg. 3).

He married **Mary Ann Moulton**, 1 Jan 1852 in Jefferson Co., WI,¹³³ b. abt 1835 in NY or VT,¹⁷¹ d. 30 Jul 1895 in Seagoville, Dallas Co., TX.²⁰⁸

Children:

- + 210 i. Sarah Catherine "Kate"⁴ Rublee b. abt 1853.
- + 211 ii. Charles "Albert" Rublee b. Aug 1854.
- + 212 iii. Ada Eliza Rublee b. Nov 1856.
- + 213 iv. Andrew F. "Tink" Rublee b. 31 Mar 1859.
- 214 v. Estella "Stella" A. Rublee b. 3 Aug 1861 in La Crosse Co., WI,²⁰⁹ d. 6 Jan 1931 in Champaign, Champaign Co., IL,²⁰⁹ buried in Oak Woods Cem., Chicago, Cook Co., IL.²⁰⁹ As Stella married

DEP Watkins just a couple of months after the 1880 census was taken, I looked for a likely Watkins in the 1880 census for Texas, without success. When Stella married Edson G. Grant in 1897, her name was given Addie E. Cobb. It appears this is the same person. I am therefore assuming she married second a Mr. Cobb. Presumably her middle name was Adeline or Addie.

She married (1) D. E. P. Watkins, 27 Aug 1880 in Kaufman Co., TX,²¹⁰ b. est 1858.

She married (2) _____ Cobb.

She married (3) Edson Grant Burton, 30 Jan 1897 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,²¹¹ b. 20 Sep 1869 in Tolono, Champaign Co., IL,²¹² (son of David Lewis Burton and Sarah Beardsley), d. 14 Mar 1958 in Monticello, Piatt Co., IL, buried in Monticello Cem., Monticello, Piatt Co., IL.²¹³

- 215 vi. Harriett "Hattie" Ann Rublee b. 19 Aug 1863 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI (prob),²¹⁴ d. 5 Jun 1907 in Greenville, Montcalm Co., MI,²¹⁴ buried in Forest Home Cem., Greenville, Montcalm Co., MI.²¹⁵ Hattie's first husband James Frederick was the brother of Edna Frederick, who married Hattie's brother Charles A. Rublee. James lived with the Rublee family in 1880. Hattie's marriage to James may have been short-lived, as in 1885, the following newspaper item was published: "Miss Hattie Rublee, of Chicago was in Pipestone, MN visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Grunn in August of 1885." Hattie's sister Stella also moved to Chicago; they may have moved together.

I have not been able to find a marriage record for Harriet to James O'Neil. In 1900, James W. and Harriette A. O'Neil lived in Greenville Ward 1, Montcalm Co., MI where James was a farmer. They had been married for 6 years; Harriette had not given birth to any children. At the time of her death in 1907, she was Harriett O'Neill. She was married, but her brother A. F. Rublee of Chicago, IL was the informant on the death certificate.

James married again shortly after Harriet's death, on 12 Dec 1907 to Mary B. Decker, in Greenville. He continued to live in Greenville in 1910 and 1920. In 1940, he and Mary lived in Oakfield, Kent Co., MI.

She married (1) James Edward Frederick, 26 Oct 1881 in Tarrant Co., TX,²¹⁶ b. 20 Sep 1860 in Schenectady, Schenectady Co., NY,²¹⁷ (son of Elijah Pomroy Frederick and Emily Jane Ruland), d. 30 May 1924 in Chickasha, Grady Co., OK?, buried in Rose Hill Cem., Chickasha, Grady Co., OK.²¹⁷

She married (2) James W. O'Neil, abt 1894,²¹⁸ b. 9 Jul 1862 in Madison, Dane Co., WI (son of Bernard O'Neil and Mary B. Pepperman), d. 28 Feb 1945 in Oakfield, Kent Co., MI,²¹⁴ buried in Forest Home Cem., Greenville, Montcalm Co., MI.²¹⁵

+ 216 vii. Sophronia Rublee b. Jan 1867.

+ 217 viii. Frances "Fanny" Elizabeth Rublee b. 24 Jan 1871.

+ 218 ix. Harmon "Harmie" B. Rublee b. abt 1873.

89. **Myron³ Rublee** (John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 1 Jul 1806 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁶ d. 27 Jul 1868 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,^{219,35} buried in Chapel Corner Cem., Dunham, QC.²²⁰ In 1840, Myron Rublee lived in Berkshire, VT. With him, lived one female between 20 and 30. He apparently removed to

Quebec between 1840 and 1842. He is listed in the 1842 census in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., Quebec with 3 household members. He was a house carpenter. He was back in Berkshire by 1846, when he sent Herbert to School District No. 7. In 1850, Myron and Cordelia lived in Berkshire, VT with their two sons. The place of birth for all was Vermont. Myron's occupation is given as joiner.

Myron Rublee filed a protest of some kind on 18 Dec 1862 against A. Kemp in Bedford district, Missisquoi Co., QC. (McGregor Notary Records, <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~nancygcunningham/mcgregormisspt2/mcgregorR.htm>).

He married **Cordelia Williams**, bef 1840, b. 10 Jun 1813 in Stanbridge, Missisquoi Co., QC,^{220,35} (daughter of **Joseph Williams** and **Nancy** _____), d. 2 Sep 1878 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,²²¹ buried in Chapel Corner Cem., Dunham, QC.²²⁰ "Cordelia Daughter of Joseph Williams Farmer of the Township of Stanbridge and Nancy his wife was born the tenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirteen and was baptized on the tenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and thirty five in the presence of the subscribing witnesses by me <signed> Matthew Lang Minister Witnesses: Charles Miller, Edmund S. Ingall" (Drouin Collection)

At the time of the 1871 Canadian census, Cordelia lived with her son Herbert and Herbert's wife Alice, in Dunham, QC.

Children:

- + 219 i. Herbert Ashton⁴ Rublee b. 23 Feb 1842.
- + 220 ii. Manville Williams Rublee b. 24 Mar 1850.

90. **Clarissa A.³ Rublee** (John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 7 Feb 1809 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²²² d. 10 Dec 1853 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁷³ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴

She married **Stephen Burt**, est 1830, b. 23 Oct 1808 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ (son of **Joseph Burt** and **Phebe Crary**), d. 18 Jan 1893 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ buried in W. Berkshire Cem., W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁴ Stephen Burt appears as head of household for the first time in 1840, living in Enosburg. In the household were 2 people under 20, 2 people 20-49 and 5 people total. In 1850, Azro Burt, age 18, was living in Enosburg, VT with Seth and Polly Kendall.

I cannot find Stephen and/or Clarissa in 1850, anywhere in the US. I searched the Canadian collection as well. I cannot find Stephen in 1860.

In 1870, Stephen lived with son Azro Burt and family in Berkshire, VT. Daughter Caroline was also living in the home. Stephen continued to live with Azro in Berkshire in 1880. Clarissa's sister Sophia Rublee lived with them.

Also, was Marshall Burt a son? He named a son Azro.

Children:

- 221 i. Azro A.⁴ Burt b. 17 Feb 1833 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT, d. 9 Aug 1884 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³

He married Sybil Stanley, 28 Jan 1856,²²⁴ b. 30 Mar 1837 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,²²⁵ (daughter of Oliver Stanley [1798 - 1854] and Lois Hammond [1800 - 1865]), d. 2 Jun 1885 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³

- 222 ii. Caroline C. Burt b. 12 Nov 1837 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),²²³ d. 15 Jan 1897 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³ In 1860, it appears that Caroline Burt was a domestic living in the household of Eli Judd in Franklin, VT. In 1870, she was living with her brother Azro and family in Berkshire, VT. In 1880, Caroline was living with her husband Williams Wells in Sheldon, VT.

"Mrs. Caroline Burt Wells died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Wm. Noble, last Friday morning, January 15th, of Bright's disease, at the age of 59 years. The funeral was held Saturday forenoon at 1 o'clock at the house, the Rev. W. H. Atkinson, of West Berkshire, officiating. The remains were brought to this place, and interred in the family lot in the Main street cemetery." (The Enosburg Standard (Enosburg Falls, Vermont) 22 Jan 1897, Fri, page 3)

I have not been able to determine what happened to William Wells. He may be the William Wells who died on 4 Feb 1917 at the National Soldiers Home in Kennebec, ME. That William Wells was born 24 Aug 1844 in Fairfax, VT. He served in the Civil War, from Sheldon. He was admitted in 1910, from Brighton, MA.

She married William H. Wells, 4 Mar 1875 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1845 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² (son of Palmer Wells and Catherine Wilson).

91. **Harmon A.³ Rublee** (John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 1 Feb 1811 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT, d. 31 Mar 1876 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),² buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.² The only birth record for a Harmon A. Rublee is for one born 1 Feb 1802, of John Rublee, in Berkshire. However, census records for Harmon Rublee list him at age 39 in 1850 and 49 in 1860. This would put his birth about 1811. Either John Rublee's first son Harmon died young, and he had a second son named Harmon about 1811 or the year of birth is incorrect for the 1802 birth. I am inclined to conclude the latter. His age at death was 65 years 2 months, which would put his year of birth as 1811.

Laura Rublee's death record indicates she was the wife of Harmon A. Rublee. The only records for both daughters are cemetery records. They are both listed as the daughters of "H. A. and L. E. Rublee".

In 1840, Harmon Rublee was head of household in Berkshire. The household composition was 1 male 30-40; 1 female 20-30, 1 female 50-60. It seems probable that Harmon's mother Eunice, a widow, is the older woman who lived with him.

In 1850, Harmon A. lived in Franklin, VT. His sisters Harriet and Sophia lived with him. Note that their mother had died earlier that year. By 1860, Harmon has married Julia; they lived in Franklin with their 3 young daughters. Sophia continued to live with them. Harriet had subsequently married. The family lived in Franklin in 1870.

In 1882-3, Julia (Stanley) Rublee was a farmer in Franklin, with ten dairy cows (Child, 1883). By 1900, she moved to Illinois to live with her unmarried daughter Marcia. In 1900 and 1910, she lived in Pecatonica, Winnebago, IL. Marcia was still living in Illinois in 1920, but alone.

He married (1) **Laura E. _____**, bef 1840 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT?, b. abt 1818,⁶ d. 14 Nov 1844 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.² Is this possibly Laura Emila Johnson, born 10 Aug 1818 in Montgomery, VT to Levi and Lucy (Martin) Johnson?

Children:

- 223 i. **Adelaid⁴** Rublee b. 17 Mar 1842 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 30 May 1842 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.
- 224 ii. **Adelaid** Rublee b. cal 21 Aug 1843 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ d. 11 Jan 1844 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.

He married (2) **Julia A. Stanley**, 13 May 1852 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 4 Dec 1831 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,²²⁶ (daughter of **Samuel Stanley** [1802 - 1885] and **Eunice Hammond** [1803 - 1878]), d. 15 Feb 1911 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL,²²⁷ buried in Pecatonica Cem., Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁸ MRS. JULIA A. RUBLEE. Mrs. Julia A. Rublee died recently in Pecatonica, Ill. As Mrs. Rublee was a native of Franklin and until 23 years ago always lived here, her old friends will wish to hear about her. She had been remarkably well and active both physically and mentally for one of her years, until Monday evening, February 6 when she was taken ill with an acute attack of indigestion followed by acute bronchitis. After illness of eight days duration she passed away while sleeping so restfully and naturally that her nurse thought she was likely to be much better upon awakening. Julia A. Stanley was one of the two children (who grew to man and womanhood) of Samuel and Eunice (Hammond) Stanley, early settlers in the eastern part of our town. She was born on the old Stanley homestead, (now owned by Oscar Stanley) December 4, 1831, and died February 15, 1911, having passed her 79th birthday. May 13, 1852 she married Harmon A. Rublee, who owned the farm now owned and occupied by George H. Anderson and where Mr. Rublee died 35 years ago. Six children were born to them, of whom five survive and are Addie L. wife of Marvin Hammond of Rockford, Ill., Eunice L., wife of Orson Wright of this village, Miss Marcia Rublee of Pecatonica, ill., (with whom the mother has lived since going to Ill.), Ida M. wife of Charles Van Kirk of Pecatonica, Ill., and Harmon A. Rublee to Naugatuck, Conn. One daughter, Hapalona, died at the age of 15 years. Except Mrs. Wright, her children were all with her during her last illness. The funeral was held at her home on Fourth Street, Pecatonica at 10:30 a. m February 18, Rev. N. A. Porter of Winnebago officiating. Interment was in the village cemetery. Besides her children already mentioned, she is survived by her only brother Philo H. Stanley now living at West Berkshire, seven grandchildren and six great grand-children. It is said of her in the Pecatonica News, "Deceased was a noble woman, a loving mother and always a true and consistent follower of the Master's voice. She became converted at the age of 16 and joined the M. E. Church at Franklin and on moving here united with the church at this place. She was always a great reader and kept unusually well informed on the political and public questions of the day for a woman of her age. We wish to extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones. (Swanton Courier (Swanton, Vermont) 2 Mar 1911, Thu, page 8).

Children:

- + 225 iii. **Adda "Addie"** Laura Rublee b. 26 Feb 1853.
- + 226 iv. **Eunice Marion "Minnie"** Rublee b. 17 Feb 1855.

- 227 v. Marcia P. Rublee b. 15 Oct 1856 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,²²⁹ d. 3 Dec 1938 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL,²⁰⁹ buried in Pecatonica Cem., Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁸ In 1880, Marcia lived with her mother in Franklin, VT. In 1910, she was 53, living in Pecatonica, Winnebago, IL. Her mother Julia lived with her. In 1920 and 1930, she lived alone in Pecatonica; she worked as a milliner.
- + 228 vi. Ida M. Rublee b. abt 1862.
- 229 vii. Hapalona "Happie" Rublee b. Apr 1864 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 2 Dec 1879 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁰ Hapalona died of typhoid fever.
- 230 viii. Harmon A. Rublee b. Feb 1867 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),²³⁰ d. 5 Jan 1928 in Waterbury, New Haven Co., CT.²³¹ In 1894, Harmon A. Rublee was an employee of the City Ice Company in Waterbury, CT, according to the city directory.

In 1900, Harmon and Viola Rublee lived in Naugatuk, New Haven, CT where Harmon worked for a brewing company. They were 33 and 35. There were no children in the home, and the census indicates that none had been born to them. They continued to live there in 1910, when Harmon worked in a planing mill. By 1920 they had moved to Waterbury, CT. Harmon was working in a factory.

In 1930, a Viola E. Rublee lived in Franklin, VT. She was a widow, age 64, born in Canada East. She is listed as "aunt". The head of household was Roy Titemore, a widower. Roy's second wife Charlotte Wright was the daughter of Harmon Rublee's sister Eunice and her husband Orson Taylor Wright.

He married Viola Elizabeth Prairie, abt 1894, b. 11 Sep 1856 in St. Armand, Missisquoi Co., QC,⁶ d. 20 Mar 1949 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁶ At the time of her death, she is listed as Viola Elizabeth Prairie Rublee, a widow. Her father is given as "Alex Prairie". Even so, likely she was the daughter of John Abraham Prairie and Julia Allen. In 1871, Viola E. Prairie, age 10, lived in Saint-Armand West, QC in the household of Abraham (age 42) and Julia (age 52). Also in home were Charles A., age 18 and Marlin, age 22. In 1880, Viola E. Prairie lived in Highgate, VT where she housekeeper in the household of Horatio and Margrett Hogaboom.

Julia Allen Prairie died in 1902 and is buried in the Pidgeon Hill Cemetery, Pigeon Hill, QC. Her stone says her name was Julia Allen, and she was wife of John Abraham Prairie. Her son Charles Alexander is also buried there. Abraham and Julia spent some years living in Franklin, VT.

"FRANKLIN Mrs. Viola Rublee, 92, died Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lothian. Mrs. Rublee had lived in this vicinity for the past 25 years. She is survived by a sister-in-law, Mrs. Delia Prairie of Morses Line, and a nephew, Melvin Rublee of Franklin, Mass. Funeral services will be held at the Gibson Funeral Home, Enosburg Falls, Tuesday at 2 p. m. The Rev. Charles W. Saum will officiate." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 21 Mar 1949, Mon, page 5) Note: the nephew is probably Marvin Hammond, not Melvin Rublee, as she did not have a nephew Melvin Rublee.

93. **Harriet³ Rublee** (John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1824 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 17 Dec 1890 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,²³² buried in Egypt Cem., Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT.²³² In 1850, Harriet and Sophia lived with their brother Harmon in Franklin, VT in 1850. She later married Xenophon Wood. His unusual given name is spelled variously in the records. His gravestone gives his name as Zenophon.

1850 census - Franklin, VT - Joel P. Wood, age 40; Hannah, age 40; Henophen W., age 14; Havar (Zavior), age 11; Mary, age 5, Mary, age 55, all born VT.

1860 - Franklin - Exaver Wood, age 24; Mary, 65; Hannah, 49. Next door: Henophon, 22; Harriet, 30; Hattie M. 6; Mary J. 14. Next door: Harmon Rublee.

1870 -Franklin - Zenophan, age 35; Harriet, age 52 [sic]; Harriet, age 12; Heman, age 8;

The gravestone for Sophia Rublee was given by "her sister Harriet". Both died in 1890; Sophia in May and Harriet in December. Xenophan married again in 1891, to Lucy B. (Howes) Poor.

1900 - Fairfield, Franklin, Vermont - Xenophon Wood, born 1837. Wife Lucy B., born 1845, VT

1910 census - neither Xenophon nor Lucy are listed in Franklin Co., VT.

She married **Xenophon W. Wood**, bet 1850-1858, b. abt 1836 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (son of **Joel Wood** [1810 -] and **Hannah Hefflon** [1810 -]), d. 4 Jun 1900 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Egypt Cem., Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT.²³²

Children:

- 231 i. Harriet "Hattie" M.⁴ Wood b. 12 Oct 1859 in Jay, Orleans Co., VT,²³³ d. 14 Feb 1917 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Soule-Swamp Cem., Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁴

She married Martin Prindle, 19 Dec 1883 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 27 Apr 1855 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ (son of Marquis Prindle and Marcia A. Foster), d. 7 Aug 1922 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Soule-Swamp Cem., Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁴

- 232 ii. Herman Xenophon Wood b. 12 Apr 1861 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,²³⁵ d. 20 Jul 1929 in Sutton, Merrimack Co., NH,²³⁶ buried in Millwoods Cem., South Sutton, Merrimack Co., NH.²³⁷

He married Sadie May Gover, 27 Dec 1886 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 27 Nov 1869 in Fairfield, Franklin Co., VT,²³⁶ (daughter of John Gover and Ann Foster), d. 22 Feb 1933 in Sutton, Merrimack Co., NH.²³⁶

Generation Four

102. **Pliny S.⁴ Jeffords** (Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 1829 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 1902 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁸⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

In 1900, Pliny was living with his daughter Flora Perley and family in Enosburg, VT. According to a newspaper notice, he died in Berkshire, VT.

He married **Frances Ann Adams**, b. 1835 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁷¹ (daughter of **James Boutelle Adams** and **Mehitable Pope**), d. 5 Dec 1897 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

Children:

- 233 i. William H.⁵ Jeffords b. 14 Sep 1855 in Troy, Orleans Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 14 Jul 1935 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸

He married Ida May Hamlet, 22 Jun 1889 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. Jan 1867 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,²³⁸ (daughter of Alden Hamblet and Minerva Stetson), d. 4 Sep 1935 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{238,79} buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸

- 234 ii. Flora Jeffords b. 8 Mar 1857 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²³⁹ d. 15 Nov 1904 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{240,6} buried in Enosburg Ctr. Cem., Enosburg Ctr., VT.²⁴⁰

She married Eugene Perley, 29 Dec 1881 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 24 Feb 1851 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,²³⁹ (son of William Perley and Lydia Perkins), d. 1934 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT (prob),²⁴⁰ buried in Enosburg Ctr. Cem., Enosburg Ctr., VT.²⁴⁰

- + 235 iii. James Morrill Jeffords b. 21 Jan 1863.

- 236 iv. Eva E. Jeffords b. 14 Aug 1867 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²⁸ d. 12 Aug 1879 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸

- 237 v. Royden "Roy" Hawley Jeffords b. 25 Aug 1877 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?,²⁴¹ d. 1922 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.¹⁷² When he married in 1903, Roy Jeffords was a drug clerk. In 1910 and 1920, Roy and Mary E. Jeffords lived in Worcester, MA.

He married Mary E. Keenan, 30 Apr 1903, b. abt 1872 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., OH (daughter of Patrick Keenan and Ellen Conlon), d. aft 1920 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA?

103. **Merrill L.⁴ Jeffords** (Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 4 Mar 1832 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁷¹ d. 27 Apr 1899 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ In 1861, Merrill and Jane Jeffords lived in Brome, Missisquoi Co., QC. Also in the home were there 2 eldest daughters, both born in Quebec. By 1870, they lived in Berkshire, VT. They lived in Berkshire in 1880.

Merrill Jefford's estate papers state that he and his second wife Angeline entered into an antenuptial agreement that specified what portion of his estate she would inherit. However, after his death, Angeline relinquished her rights as heir, and the residue of the estate was divided equally among his four living children.

He married (1) **Jane Ann Horner**, est 1854, b. 3 Dec 1827 in Cambridge, Lamoille Co., VT,⁵⁵ (daughter of **Thomas Horner** and **Desire Davis**), d. 27 Aug 1892 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- 238 i. Edith D.⁵ Jeffords b. 22 Nov 1856 in Brome, Brome Co., QC (prob),⁵⁵ d. 20 Feb 1908 in East Burke, Caledonia Co., VT,⁵⁵ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ BERKSHIRE. The funeral of Miss Edith Jeffords who died at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. D. Webster, in East Burke, will be held at the home of her brother, B. S. Jeffords, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, and the burial will take place in the Berkshire cemetery. (St. Albans Daily Messenger, St. Albans, VT 21 Feb 1908)

Edith married, but her death record is under the name Jeffords. In 1900, she lived with her brother Burton and family in Berkshire as Edith Elder, married for 18 years.

She married John A. Elder, 7 Dec 1881 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. abt 1854 in Farnham, Missisquoi Co., QC.

- + 239 ii. Florence Bertha Jeffords b. abt 1861.
240 iii. Merrill Jeffords d. bef 27 Apr 1899.
+ 241 iv. Burton S. Jeffords b. 18 Jul 1867.
242 v. Ella Jeffords b. 28 Jan 1870 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 18 Dec 1940 in East Burke, Caledonia Co., VT.⁷⁹

She married Herman Dean Webster, 15 Jun 1891 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 24 Nov 1869 in Lunenburg, Essex Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of Judson Columbus Webster and Orvilla Rosette Field), d. 1932, buried in Woodmont Cem., E. Burke, Caledonia Co., VT.²⁴² "WEBSTER, HERMAN D., son of Judson C. and Orvilla R. (Field) Webster, was born at Lunenburg, November 24, 1869. Attended the public and high schools of St. Albans and Brigham academy at Bakersfield.

After completing his education he accepted a position as a clerk in a Bakersfield general store for a year, after which he went to West Enosburg and entered the employ of C. H. Bessey. At the end of a year's employment he entered the firm, remaining one year, and then sold his interest to Mr. Bessey, and together with J. A. Gibson bought out the drug business of A. A. Rublee at Enosburg Falls, the business being conducted under the firm name of Gibson & Webster. Two years later he sold out to C. L. Mason & Co., and together with A. J. Croft bought out the general store of G. V. Frasier at East Burke. A year later he purchased Mr. Croft's interest in the business and became sole proprietor. In 1897 he built the splendid building now occupied as store and residence.

Mr. Webster is a man of broad business experience, tact, sound judgment, and pleasing personality. He is treasurer of the Burke Creamery company; buys all its supplies and sells its products; is a stockholder and director of the Burke Granite company, and was postmaster of East Burke from 1892 to 1898, when he resigned to accept an election as representative of Burke in the general assembly of the state.

In 1891 he married Ella Jeffords of Berkshire, Vermont" (Source: Successful Vermonters, William H. Jeffrey, E. Burke, Vermont, The Historical Publishing Company, 1904, page 159-160.)

He married (2) **Angeline M. Beach**, 3 Mar 1894 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 25 Aug 1839 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²²³ (daughter of **Nathan Beach** and **Caroline Everett** [1816 -]), d. 10 Jul 1911 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{223,79} buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³ In 1910, Angeline (Beach) Jeffords lived in Enosburg, VT. She was 71 and widowed. Her daughter Ethel Bode [Beede], divorced, lived with her, along with Ethel's two daughter. Angeline had given birth to 4 children, all living.

105. **Harrison S.⁴ Jeffords** (Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. Jul 1839 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁵⁵ d. 15 Jan 1862 in service, buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Harrison Jeffords married on 4 Jul 1861 and enlisted for services in the Civil War, on 31 Aug 1861, from Enosburg. He died in service. On his gravestone, his date of death is given as 15 Jan 1861, which cannot be correct. His widow Sarah applied for a pension on 19 Feb 1863. It appears that Harrison actually died on 15 Jan 1862.

Sarah had a daughter Alice H. Jeffords, born in 1862; she received a pension on her behalf as well. Sarah married second in 1865, Erastus Baker Hunt.

He married **Sarah J. Wheeler**, 4 Jul 1861 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. cal 23 Jul 1839 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **Asaph "Asa" Wheeler** [1800 - 1883] and **Lephe Chaffee Birch** [1805 - 1857]), d. 25 May 1882 in Cambridge, Lamoille Co., VT.⁶

Children:

- 243 i. Alice⁵ Jeffords b. 19 Apr 1862 (cal) in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT, d. 30 Jan 1882 in Cambridge, Lamoille Co., VT.

106. **Orabelle Lucia⁴ Jeffords** (Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1844 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT, d. 6 Mar 1925 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹ In 1871 and 1881, Warren and Orabella Grice lived in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC. By 1900, they had moved to Richford, Franklin Co., VT.

She married **Warren Bowen Grice**, est 1860, b. abt 1839 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (son of **Roland B. Grice** and **Belva Randall**), d. 24 Jan 1913 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

Children:

- 244 i. Agnes Emeroy⁵ Grice b. 21 Feb 1862 in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC (prob), d. bef 12 Feb 1918.

She married Thomas Alonzo Chadburn, 24 Feb 1880 in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵ b. abt 1856 in Frelighsburg, Missisquoi Co., QC (son of George Curtis Chadburn and Sybil Cordelia Johnson), d. 21 Oct 1925 in Oshawa, ON, Canada,²⁴³ buried in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.

- + 245 ii. Elwin Harrison Grice b. 11 Dec 1864.
- 246 iii. Elizabeth Arvella "Libby" Grice b. 11 Jun 1866 in St. Armand East, Missiquoi Co., QC (prob),³⁵ d. 4 Jan 1958 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

She married Adelbert "Delbert" Mortimer Janes, 28 Aug 1888 in St. Armand East, Missiquoi Co., QC,³⁵ b. 23 Nov 1867 in Albany, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ (son of Isaac Newton Janes and Cynthia Diane Chaffee), d. 28 Feb 1946 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

- 247 iv. Ethel Chloe Grice b. 27 Jun 1876 in St. Armand East, Missiquoi Co., QC (prob),³⁵ d. 30 Oct 1881 in St. Armand East, Missiquoi Co., QC (prob).³⁵

108. **Polly⁴ Rublee** (Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 2 Apr 1818 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob),^{84,244} d. 3 Jan 1891 in Mayville, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ Lt. John Stafford was a carpenter and a well-respected member of his community. He was a lieutenant in the NY Militia. (Dilley, 1891, page 25).

In 1850, Polly (Rublee) Stafford was a widow with three children living in Ellington, NY. She lived with her sister Dorothy and Dorothy's husband Thomas Holland.

In 1850, Joseph Nestle/Nessle was still living with wife Loisa and others in Ellington, NY. By 1860, he had married Polly. He was 58 and she was 42. Children in the home were Rosa D. Nestle, age 7 and Homer A. Stafford, 17. The Nestles continued to live in Ellington in 1870. Joseph was 79 and Polly 53. Rosa, age 17, lived at home. By 1880, neither Joseph nor Polly appears in the census in Ellington. (Note: Joseph's age is wrong in either 1860 or 1870.)

Polly is shown as owning land in Ellington on an 1881 land ownership map.

She married (1) **John Austin Stafford, Lt.**, 1 Sep 1839, b. 1 Nov 1817 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ (son of **John Stafford** and **Sophia Randall**), d. 3 Aug 1844 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

Children:

- 248 i. Martin John⁵ Stafford b. 10 Apr 1840 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁸⁴ d. 2 Jun 1872 in Poland, Chautauqua Co., NY?,²⁴⁵ buried in Levant Cem., Poland, Chautauqua, NY.²⁴⁶ Martin Stafford enlisted in Company A, 112th regiment, NY Volunteers in July of 1862. He fought at Fort Sumter in the wilderness campaign and at Fort Fisher. He mustered out at David's Island NY Harbor on 1 July 1865. He died at home from the effects of exposure. (Dilley, 1891, page 25).

He married Sarah L. Dean, est 1861, b. 22 Nov 1840 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY? (daughter of Jesse Dean and Phebe Russell), d. 25 May 1872 in Poland, Chautauqua Co., NY?, buried in Levant Cem., Poland, Chautauqua, NY.²⁴⁶

- 249 ii. Joseph Corydon Stafford b. 28 Dec 1842 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁴⁷ d. 31 Oct 1925 in Midland, Midland Co., MI,²⁴⁷ buried in Midland City Cem., Midland, Midland Co., MI.²⁴⁸

In 1860, Joseph lived with his grandparents Rollie and Betsy Robblee in Ellington, NY. In 1870 and 1875, Joseph and wife Amelia lived in Ellington. In 1880, Joseph lived in Bradford, McKean Co., PA. His wife's name is now given as Laura A., but it may be the same wife. I cannot find him in the 1900 census.

In 1910, Joseph lived with his brother Austin and family in Jamestown, NY. The census indicates he was widowed. In 1918 and 1919, he had 3 admissions to the National Home for Disabled Soldiers in Marion, Grant Co., IN. His nearest relative was his brother A. H. Stafford of Jamestown, NY. In 1920, he was an "inmate" at the National Home for Disabled Soldiers in Jefferson, Montgomery Co., OH

CIVIL WAR VETERAN ANSWERS LAST CALL

Joseph C. Stafford Was First Volunteer From This County.
Dies at home in Michigan

The recent death of Joseph C. Stafford of Midland, Michigan, brings out the fact that he was the first man in Chautauqua County to volunteer in the Civil War.

He was a brother of A. H. Stafford of Jamestown, and a comrade in the same company in which our late townsman, Joseph McNeight, served.

Joseph C. Stafford was born in Ellington on December 28, 1841, and was the son of Austin J. Stafford and Polly Rublee Stafford. He had the distinction of being the first volunteer of the War of the Rebellion, from Chautauqua county; having enlisted in the Chamberlain Guards on May 1, 1861. Then on May 16, 1861, this company enlisted for two years in Company H, 37th New York Volunteer Infantry, from which regiment he was honorably discharged at the expiration of two years. Then on February 4, 1864, he re-enlisted for three years in Company K, Ninth New York Cavalry, and was honorably discharged on July 17, 1865, at Clouds Mills, Virginia.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. F. J. McConnell of Mayville, and one brother, A. H. Stafford of Jamestown. He was a member of James M. Brown post, No 285, and Encampment No. 95, Union Veterans Legion of this city." (Fredonia NY Censor, November 18, 1925).

He married Amelia _____, b. abt 1846 in Chautauqua Co., NY.

- 250 iii. Austin Homer Stafford b. 27 Aug 1843 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁴⁵ d. 28 Apr 1926 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{249,87} buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ Austin H. Stafford was an attorney, practicing in Jamestown, NY, a partner in the law firm Walter and Stafford. He served as clerk of the court in Chautauqua County and was post commander of the James M. Brown post, Grand Army of the Republic (Dilley, 1891, page 25). Austin was living in Jamestown in 1910, with wife Lousia M. Stafford. Austin's brother Joseph, a widower, was living with them.

An amusing anecdote, from the November 11, 1925 Buffalo NY Evening News:
REPORTED DEAD, HE SEES HIS FAMILY PHYSICIAN

JAMESTOWN, November 10--A. H. Stafford, 84 years old, 500 East Fifth Street, was greatly surprised to read Saturday in the newspapers that he had died. He immediately consulted his family physician, whom he says confirmed the fact that he was very much alive. Mr. Stafford, who is a Civil war veteran, requested the press to correct the report of his death, saying many friends in Buffalo and Western New York would wonder why they had not been invited to the funeral.

The error was due to the announcement of the death in Midland, Mich., of a brother, Joseph C. Stafford, who was the first volunteer from Chautauqua in the Civil war.

"AUSTIN H. STAFFORD, ex-clerk of the courts of Chautauqua county, commander of James M. Brown Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and a member of the reliable and successful pension attorney firm of Waiter & Stafford, of Jamestown, was born in the town of Ellington, Chautauqua county. New York, August 27, 1843, and is a son of Lieut. John A. and Polly (Rubblee) Stafford. Among the early settlers of the town of Ellington, this county, was John Stafford, the paternal grandfather of Austin H. Stafford. He was a carpenter and contractor and married Sophia Randall, who bore him nine children: Abel, Sophia, Electa, Isaac, Sally, Oriuda, Russell, Martin and John A. On the maternal side, Austin H. Stafford's grandfather was Rolli Rubblee, a native of Lanesboro', Massachusetts, who settled in the town of Ellington in an early day - 1823. When he first came he traded his horse on his land and then walked back to Lanesboro and brought out his family. His wife was Betsy Green. He was a farmer and one of the founders of the old Christian church of Ellington. Lieut. John A. Stafford (father) was born in 1817 and died in his native town of Ellington in 1844. He was a carpenter by trade, a well-respected citizen of the community in which he resided and was a lieutenant in the New York militia. His wife was Polly Rubblee, and they had three children : Martin J., who enlisted in Company A, 112th regt., N. Y. Vols., in July, 1862, fought at Fort Sumter, in the Wilderness campaign and at Fort Fisher, and died at home in 1872 from the effects of exposure ; Joseph, who was the first man in April, 1861, to enlist in Company H, 37th regt., N. Y. Vols., served two years, re-enlisted, became a member of Company K, 9th N. Y. Cavalry, served till the close of the war and now resides at Midland City, Michigan, where he is an oil producer; and Austin H. Mrs. Stafford, after her husband's death, married Joseph Nestle, and is now seventy three years of age.

Austin H. Stafford received his education in the common schools. When a boy he worked in a woolen factory until he was thirteen years of age. He then learned the carpenter and cooper trades, and in 1877 became proprietor of a butter-tub and cheese-case manufacturing establishment at Ellington. In 1877 he was unfortunate enough to have his left hand so badly crushed in the factory as to be unable to work any longer at that business. He then engaged in the produce business, which he followed until 1885, when he was elected county clerk by the Republican party of Chautauqua county, and ran 700 votes ahead of his ticket. He served very satisfactorily in that office, and at the end of his term in 1888 he took one year's vacation from business, which he spent in traveling. In January, 1890, he and Joseph I. Walter formed a partnership under the firm-name of Walter & Stafford, and became United States pension attorneys and notaries public in Jamestown. In a few months they have handled a large number of cases and have been very successful.

On February 17, 1869, he married Louise M., daughter of Warren Arnold, of Ellington. They have two children: De Leo and James P. The military career of Mr. Stafford commenced on August 1, 1862, when he enlisted in Company B, 112th regt., N. Y. Vols. He served in the Army of the James, Army of the Potomac and under Sherman in North Carolina. He participated in many battles and numerous skirmishes with his regiment. He was at the very front of the storming of Fort Fisher, and was honorably discharged June 13, 1865. When the Grand Army of the Republic was organized in the county he became prominent in the movement and has served as commander of three different posts. He is a member of the A. U. W., Royal Arcanum, Odd Fellows and Jamestown Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Stafford has always been a republican, is proud of the fact of casting his first vote for Abraham Lincoln in 1864 and has been chosen repeatedly by his party as a delegate to State and county conventions. In addition to his Jamestown agency Mr. Stafford has a controlling interest in a very profitable real estate business in the city of Buffalo, N. Y. Active, energetic and reliable in whatever he undertakes, he is now in the midst of a very successful business career". (Source: Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Chautauqua, New York)

Obituary: News Clipping Scrapbook of Jessie Rublee, presumably from the Jamestown Post Journal (posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com)

A. H. Stafford Dies At Home

Former County Clerk and Prominent Figure in Civil War Veteran Circles for Long Period of Years Passes Away at the Age of 82 Years
(From Wednesday's Evening Journal)

Austin H. Stafford of 500 East Fifth Street, a former county clerk of Chautauqua county, a former national commander of the Union Veteran legion and a former senior vice commander of the Department of New York, Grand Army of the Republic, died at his home this morning at 8 o'clock. He was 82 years of age and is survived by his widow, Mrs. Louisa M. Arnold Stafford; a son, James P. Stafford of this city, and a sister, Mrs. E. J. McConnell of Mayville. A daughter, DeLeo, wife of Frank W. Davis, died in December, 1904, and two sons, Homer and Bruce, and two daughters, Inez and Effie, died in infancy. The funeral will be held from the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. George L. MacClelland of the First Presbyterian church officiating, and the interment will be in Valley View cemetery, Ellington.

Mr. Stafford was born at Ellington on Aug. 27, 1843, a son of Lieutenant John A. and Polly Rubblee Stafford, and received his education in the common schools of that village. While still a young boy he worked in a woolen factory and later learned the carpenter and cooper trades. In 1862, he enlisted at Ellington in Company B, 112th New York Volunteer infantry, the regiment of volunteers being recruited in this country for service in the Union army, being transferred to Company K on October 12, and served thruout the remainder of the Civil war, being honorably discharged at Raleigh, N.C., on June 13, 1865.

Returning to Ellington after the war, Mr. Stafford operated a cooper shop and planing mill for several years, discontinuing his activities of this character after sustaining a severe injury to one hand in the mill. He then became engaged as a butter buyer for New York

commission merchants, still residing at Ellington. In 1882 and 1883 he represented the town of Ellington on the county board of supervisors, and in 1884 was elected county clerk on the Republican ticket, serving from 1885 to 1887, inclusive. After retiring from office he resided in Mayville for over a year and came to Jamestown with his family in the spring of 1889, forming a partnership with the late Joseph M. Walter under the firm name of Walter & Stafford, pension attorneys and notaries public, with offices in the First National Bank building, where he was located up to the time of his death. A few years later he acquired the interest of Mr. Walter in the firm and continued the business alone with his son, James P. Stafford, formed a partnership with him under the firm name of A. H. Stafford & Son, to engage in the insurance business in 1911, this firm continuing up to the present.

Mr. Stafford and Miss Louisa M. Arnold were united in marriage at Ellington on Feb. 6, 1869 and they celebrated the 50th anniversary of that event at their home in this city in 1919. Mrs. Stafford had several ribs fractured when she fell at her home a short time ago and Mr. Stafford's death was doubtless hastened by the fact that, while in a weakened condition, he assisted her to her feet.

Always interested in the affairs of the Civil war veterans and all patriotic movements, Mr. Stafford was long prominent in the Grand Army of the Republic and in the Union Veteran legion and received high honors from both of these organizations, serving as senior vice commander of the Department of New York, G.A.R., and as national commander of the U.V.L. He held practically every office in James M. Brown post, No. 285, G.A.R., of this city at one time or another and at the time of his death was senior vice commander of the post, also quartermaster of Encampment 95, U.V.L. He enjoyed the unique distinction of having served as commander of three Grand Army posts, H. C. Sturdevant post of Kennedy, Elial F. Carpenter post of Mayville, and James M. Brown post of Jamestown. He had also served as president of the Chautauqua County Veterans' union, which holds an annual reunion at Chautauqua, and was a familiar figure at state and national encampments of the G.A.R., frequently attending these gatherings of old soldiers as a delegate.

In the activities of the veteran association of his own regiment, the 112th New York Volunteer infantry he was always deeply interested, serving as president of the association and being general chairman of the committee which had charge of the arrangements for the reunion of the 112th on the 50th anniversary of the departure of the regiment from Jamestown for the front on Sept. 12, 1862, held in this city in 1912 with veterans in attendance from several states. When the national encampment of the Union Veteran legion was held here several years ago he was serving as national commander and was in general charge of all the arrangements. Not only in social gatherings of Civil war veterans and their families did Mr. Stafford take a deep interest, but in him the spirit of comradeship took the form of practical assistance to those in need and it is safe to say that no man in Chautauqua county has ever done as much along the line of relief for the suffering and the distressed and the needy as he. He devoted a great deal of time to visiting the sick and the afflicted, giving substantial assistance without ostentation, and was known among the old soldiers thruout the county for his many deeds of charity. He was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal church of this city and a regular attendant at its services.

For the past year or more, Mr. Stafford had been in poor health, and for the past 14 weeks he had been unable to attend to his business duties, being confined to his bed for the past month.

He married Louisa Mariah Arnold, 1870, b. 10 Nov 1849 in Fredonia, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ (daughter of Warren Arnold and Harriet _____), d. 30 Mar 1940 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ "Obituary: Jamestown NY Evening Journal, April 1, 1940

MRS. LOUISA M. STAFFORD

Widow of Austin H. Stafford, Long Active in Patriotic Work, Dies at East Fifth Street Home. Mrs. Louisa M. Stafford, 90, widow of Austin H. Stafford and for many years prominently identified with the activities of Civil war veteran organizations, died at the family home, 500 East Fifth street, Saturday at 5:45 p. m. She is survived by a son, James P. Stafford and a granddaughter, Margaret Stafford of Jamestown, and two nieces, Mrs. Belle Chatley of Jamestown and Mrs. Edna Frisbee of Conewango Valley.

Mrs. Stafford was born at Fredonia Oct. 10, 1849 and had been a Jamestown resident for 51 years. Her husband, a former county clerk, was a veteran of the 112th New York Volunteer infantry (Chautauqua regiment in the Civil war), and she was for a long period a leader in the affairs of the Women's Relief corps and the Ladies of the Union Veteran legion, serving one term as national president of the latter organization. She was also a member of the First Methodist church, being active in its affairs in her younger years and of the King's Daughters.

She was always deeply interested in patriotic work of various kinds, attending regimental reunions of Civil war veterans and conventions of veteran organizations and their auxiliaries, and, on the morning when Company F, 74th New York infantry left for the Mexican border in 1915?, she pinned a small silk flag on the uniform of each of the 136 officers and enlisted men, giving each a brief greeting, just before the company marched out of the state armory.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Powers funeral home. Rev. Dr. John E. Roberts of the Brooklyn Heights Methodist church officiated. The bearers were James P. Stafford, John A. Peterson, J. Howard Peterson and Glenn C. Swanson. Interment was in the Ellington cemetery."

She married (2) **Joseph B. Nessel**, abt 1852 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY?, b. abt 1801 in NY (son of **George B. Nessel** and **Hattie Boutin**), d. 13 Mar 1897 in Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Allegany Cem., Allegany, Cattaraugus Co., NY.⁹⁷ Names is spelled variously in different records: Nestle, Nessell, Nessle.

Children:

- 251 iv. Rose Adel Nessell b. May 1857 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁵⁰ d. 16 Dec 1931 in Mayville, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Mayville Cem., Mayville, Chautauqua Co., NY.²⁵⁰ "MAYVILLE, Dec. 16--Mrs. Rose Nessel McConnell, nearly 79 years old, wife of Emerson J. McConnell, former clerk of Chautauqua county and assistant manager of the Chautauqua

Abstract company, died at the family home in Elm street, Mayville, at 2 o'clock this morning. Surviving besides the husband are four sons, Carl G. McConnell, New York city; Harold O. McConnell, Steubenville, Ohio; Virgil M. McConnell, Jamestown, and Austin J. McConnell, Newton, N. J. Funeral services will be held at the First M. E. church, Mayville, Saturday at 2 p.m.

Mrs. McConnell had been ill since early last autumn, but in her younger days she was one of the most active members of the Mayville Community life. She was a member and active in the First Methodist Episcopal church and its various societies. She was also a member of the Tuesday club and the W. C.T.U. and in both of these organizations she was an energetic worker." (Jamestown [NY] Evening Journal, 16 Dec 1931 posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com)

MAYVILLE, Dec. 21. - Funeral services for Mrs. Rose N. McConnell, wife of Emerson J. McConnell, were held at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon. The officiating ministers were her pastor, Rev. A. Lynn Pardee, and a former pastor, Rev. Harvey H. Bair of Salamanca. Music was furnished by Mrs. Edward Livingston and Mrs. Ernest C. Booth, with Miss Lena M. Chapman at the organ. The ushers were William Livingston and Edward L. Wilber. Three sons, Virgil M., Harold O. and Austin J. McConnell, and a nephew, James P. Stafford, were bearers. Interment was in the Mayville cemetery. One son, Carl O. McConnell of New York, who, with his wife, recently spent two weeks with his mother, was unable to return for the funeral. Mrs. McConnell was nearly 79 years of age. Up to within a few years she was one of the most active workers in the church and kindred organizations in this community. Among those from out of town who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. Harold O. McConnell of Steubenville, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Austin J. McConnell of Newton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil M. McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Nelson, Mrs. Austin H. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Holland, Miss Mary Mather, and E. H. Patterson of Jamestown; Frank Carpenter and Miss Minnie Carpenter of Silver Creek; Mrs. Roy Rublee and Miss Jessie Rublee of Ellington; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holbrook, Mrs. L. W. Swain of Westfield; Mrs. Tamer Haynes, Miss Browner of Chautauqua; Rev. and Mrs. Harvey H. Bair and Herbert Bair of Salamanca. (Jamestown [NY] Evening Journal, 21 Dec 1931 posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

She married Emerson Jay McConnell, b. Jun 1852 in Locke, Cayuga Co., NY,²⁵⁰ (son of Owen McConnell and Susan Sabin), d. 1943 in Mayville, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁵⁰ buried in Mayville Cem., Mayville, Chautauqua Co., NY.²⁵⁰

109. **Betsy S.⁴ Rublee** (Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. Apr 1820 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA, d. 8 Sep 1904 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² In 1850, Betsy was already widowed. She and Albert lived with her parents in Ellington, NY. By 1860, she was head of her own household in Ellington. She continued to live in Ellington in 1870, and Albert lived with her. In 1880, her mother Betsy Rublee had joined the family. Betsy was 60, her mother was 83 and Albert was 38. In 1900, she continued to live with son Albert in Ellington. The census report indicates that Betsy had given birth to only one child. Apparently, Albert did not marry.

She married **Joseph B. Bates**, est 1840, b. 16 Apr 1805 in Chesterfield, Hampshire Co., MA (prob),⁸² (son of **Abner Bates** and **Nancy Blake**), d. 20 Apr 1845 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸²

Children:

- 252 i. Albert L.⁵ Bates b. Nov 1842 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,¹⁷¹ d. 14 Jul 1906 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{82,87} buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵
Obituary: Jamestown NY Evening Journal, July 17, 1906. Ellington, July 16 -- The death of Albert Bates occurred at his home in this village Saturday, July 14, after a short illness, at the age of 63 years and 8 months. Funeral services were held from the home Sunday at 2 p.m., conducted by Rev L. J. Leonard, pastor of the F.M. church. Music was rendered by Harry A. Sprague, Herbert M. Rublee and G. R. Potwin. Interment in Ellington cemetery. Deceased, a son of Joseph and Betsey Rublee Bates, pioneer settlers in the town of Ellington, was born in November, 1842, and his entire life was passed in this village. Relatives from away were a sister, Mrs. Wendover of Union City, Pa., and son George Wade of Cambridge Springs, Pa, and A.H. Stafford of Jamestown.

110. **Lydia⁴ Rublee** (Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 5 Feb 1822 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA (prob),⁸⁴ d. 31 Aug 1875 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² At the time of the 1850 census, Lydia was single and living with her parents in Ellington, NY.

She married **Stephen Day Mather**, 20 Sep 1852 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² b. 21 Aug 1818 in Jefferson Co., NY,⁸² (son of **Andrew A. Mather** and **Betsy Stebbins**), d. 3 Dec 1863 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸²

Children:

- 253 i. Luman Rollin⁵ Mather b. 16 Nov 1853 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² d. 12 Aug 1910 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹
"Luman Rotia Mather, only son of Stephen Day and Lydia Rublee Mather, died at his home in Clear Creek, Friday, Aug. 12, after many months of suffering with cancer, aged 56 years, 9 months. He leaves a son. His wife, Mrs. Etta Wilber Mather died of paralysis July 19, 1910 aged 56 years, ? months. The funeral services were held at the home Saturday, Aug. 13. Interment in Valley View cemetery. Deceased was born and passed his life in Ellington." (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, August 15, 1910).

He married Etta Lucy Wilber, b. 15 Nov 1856 in OH,⁹¹ (daughter of Horatio Nelson Wilber and Emaline Colburn), d. 24 Jul 1910 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

- 254 ii. Rose Malvina Mather b. 15 Aug 1855 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ d. 4 Jul 1861 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

111. **Dorothy⁴ Rublee** (Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 8 Jan 1823 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸² d. 12 Dec 1880 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁵ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² In 1850, William T. and Dorothy Holland lived in Ellington, NY.

Dorothy's sister Polly Stafford and family lived with them. They still lived in Ellington in 1860, 1870 and 1880. Dorothy's husband is listed as William in 1860 and Thomas in 1870 and 1880. It appears that his name was William Thomas Holland. By 1900, Thomas Holland was a widower. He was a boarder in Ellington, in the household of Nancy Sweet.

She married **William "Thomas" Holland**, bef 1850 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), b. Feb 1823 in Oneida Co., NY,⁸² (son of **Abram Holland** and **Eleanor** _____), d. 25 Jul 1905 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² The funeral of William Thomas Holland, whose death occurred Tuesday, July 25, aged 82 years, 5 months, 11 days, was held from the M. E. church July 27. The sermon was by Rev. J. Elams, pastor. Interment in Ellington cemetery. Mr. Holland was born in Oneida county, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1823. His parents were among the pioneers of Chautauqua county, settling in Ellington late in the year 1827, which has since been his home. He has been a member of the F. W. Baptist church the past 50 years. He was married to Dorothy E. Gates April 20, 1846, who died Dec. 12, 1846. December 5, 1849 he married Dorothy Rublee, daughter of Rollin and Betsey Green Rublee, whose death occurred Aug. 12, 1880. He leaves two sons and three daughters, Horace Holland of Rochester and Hiram Holland of Ellington, Mrs. Ellen White of Cherry Creek, Mrs. Alice White of Canada, and Mrs. Mary Mather of Ellington. Mr. Holland was a veteran of the Civil war, having served in company L, First New York artillery. Another old soldier has heard the heavenly roll call and is united in the ranks of those who offered their lives to defend their country." (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, August 1, 1905 posted by Donna Markey on Findagrave.com).

Children:

- 255 i. Ellen S.⁵ Holland b. 21 Sep 1850 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ d. 29 May 1929 in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

She married George L. White, b. 1850 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹¹ (son of John N. White and Sarah _____), d. 1932 in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co. NY?,⁹¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

- 256 ii. Horace R. Holland b. 11 Jan 1853 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), d. 27 Nov 1909 in Rochester, Monroe Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Mount Hope Cem., Rochester, Monroe Co., NY.²⁵¹

He married Mary "Mae" Bronson, 1880, b. Aug 1859 in IL (daughter of George V. Bronson and Melissa Mathews), d. 27 Jan 1920 in Rochester, Monroe Co., NY,²⁵¹ buried in Mount Hope Cem., Rochester, Monroe Co., NY.²⁵¹ "HOLLAND-- Entered into rest, in this city, Tuesday, January 21, 1920, Mary Bronson, widow of Horace Holland, aged 60 years. She was a member of Clara Barton Tent No. 22. Funeral will be held from the parlor of E. A. Timmerman, No. 472 Monroe street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mt. Hope cemetery." (Rochester [NY] Democrat Chronical, 28 Jan 1920, posted by Donna Markey on Findagrave.com)

Her death record gives her date of death as 27 Jan 1920.

- 257 iii. Alice "Allie" E. Holland b. 1855 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), d. aft 25 Jul 1905 in Canada?

She married _____ White, aft 1875.

- 258 iv. Hiram Holland b. Apr 1857 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁵ d. 22 Mar 1948 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{85,251} buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵ "Hiram Holland, 90, died early today at Jamestown General Hospital. He resided at 914 Jefferson Street. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Clair Anderson, Falconer, and several grandchildren. Funeral service will be held at 2 P.M. Wednesday at the Boyd Funeral home. Interment will be in Ellington cemetery." (Jamestown NY Post Journal, March 22, 1948).

He married (1) Charlotte _____, 1872 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), b. Jul 1859 in NY.

He married (2) Edith May (Underwood) Fisk, 1 Apr 1922 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁵² b. abt 1885 in Sheffield, Warren Co., PA,²⁵² (daughter of Miller Underwood and Delia Buhl).

- 259 v. Mary Holland b. Jun 1859 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁹¹ d. 23 Jan 1939 in Ellery, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{91,87} buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ "MRS. MARY MATHER. Mrs. Mary Mather, widow of Henry Mather, died this morning at 3:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lena Ingerson, at North Ellery, aged 79 years. Surviving also are a son, George L. Mather of Lakewood and a grandson Curtis G. Mather of St. Petersburg, Fla. Mrs. Mather was a former resident of South Dayton, and a member of the Queen of the Valley Rebekah lodge there. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at the Henderson & Lincoln chapel. Interment will be in Pine Hill cemetery at Ellington." (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, January 23, 1939).

She married Henry E. Mather, 1885 in Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹¹ b. Oct 1860 in MI,⁹¹ (son of John Wesley Mather [1828 - 1908] and Eliza Hogg), d. 11 Jan 1936 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ HENRY E. MATHER. Henry E. Mather, 832 North Main street, died at the Jamestown General Hospital at 11:20 o'clock Saturday evening, aged 76 years. He had lived in Jamestown for about 10 years. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Holland Mather; a daughter, Mrs. Lena Ingerson; a son, George L. Mather of Lakewood; a grandson, Curtis G. Mather of Lakewood, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Alice G. Smith, with whom he resided. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. at the Henderson & Lincoln funeral home with interment at Ellington. (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, January 13, 1936).

113. **Homer Phelps (twin)⁴ Rublee** (Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 14 Jul 1828 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁹ d. 9 Jul 1890 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² In 1855, Homer and Jane lived next door to Homer's parents, with their two children Alston and Frank.

"A farmer who resides near the village of Ellington was drawing hay out of a barn on the Gates farm when the wagon tripped over. He tried to jump in the opposite direction and was thrown on his head, neck broken and died instantly. About age 60 years, leave wife and three sons" (Item in Fredonia Censor of 23 Jul 1891 reprinted in Barris, 1992, p. 465).

He married **Jane Saxton**, est 1851 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), b. 25 Sep 1827 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{253,89} (daughter of **Seymour Saxton** and **Faith Cone**), d. 18 Nov 1920 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹ In 1900, Jane Rublee lived with her son Hiram "Leroy" Rublee and family in Ellington, NY. In 1910, she lived alone in Ellington. In 1920, she was the 94 year old head of household. She had a 72 year old servant, Belle Fuller, living with her.

"The funeral of Mrs. Jane Saxton Rublee was held Saturday afternoon from her late home at Ellington. Rev. Mr Kauffman, pastor of the Congregational church officiated. Music was furnished by George Wilts and Mrs. Eva Waith Benedict. The bearers were Melvin Saxton, Frank Rublee, Alston Rublee, Leroy Rublee, Bert Rublee and Lynn Rublee. The interment was in the Pioneer cemetery. Among those present from away were Perry Saxton and Mrs. Belle Fuller of Kennedy; Mrs. Charles Manton of Westfield; Melvin Saxton and Fred Green of Jamestown, Mrs. Mary Mather of South Dayton; Miss Nora Lake and Mrs. Guy Milspaw of Cherry Creek." (Jamestown Evening Journal, 23 Nov 1920).

Children:

- + 260 i. Alston⁵ Rublee b. 29 Dec 1852.
- + 261 ii. Frank Rublee b. 2 May 1853.
- + 262 iii. Hiram "Leroy" Rublee b. 16 May 1859.

115. **Rollin "Rolly" Luman⁴ Rublee** (Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. Jan 1831 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY?,²¹⁸ d. 1 Jun 1905 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI? . In 1860, Roly L. and Armina Rublee lived in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY with their son Milton, age 5 months.

On 2 Apr 1872, the Deputy Coroner of Mower Co., MN announced a public sale of the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of R. L. Rublee. It appears that this may have been to satisfy debts owed by R. L. Rublee to George W. Bray and Edwin French. (Mower County Transcript, 11 Apr 1872)

In 1875, the "Rubblees" lived in Ellington, NY with children Martha and William. In 1880 R. L "Rubler" and wife Armina lived in Poland, NY. R. L. was 48 and Armina was 42, both in New York. Their children were Maud M., age 11 and William, age 9. All were born in New York except for Maud, who was born in Minnesota. They apparently returned to Minnesota, as an 1894 history of Chautauqua Co., NY indicates the Rolli Rublee was then living in Austin, MN.

By 1900, they had moved to Thorpe, Clarke Co., WI, where Rollin is listed as "Rolla" Rublee. He was born in Jan 1833 and she in Dec 1838, both in New York. Rolli and Armina Rubelee lived in Thorpe at the time of the 1905 Wisconsin state census. No others lived with them.

In 1910, Armina Rubelee lived with son William Walter and family in Leonard, Rolette, ND. She is listed as widowed, the mother of three children, two of whom were living. She still lived with them in 1920 at age 81. Now they lived in in Crookedereck, Boone Co., AR.

The spelling on Armina's gravestone is Rubelee.

He married **Armina "Mina" Porter**, bet 1855 - 1860 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY?, b. Dec 1838 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),²¹⁸ (daughter of **Abner Porter** and **Mary Holland**), d. 1920 in Crookedereck, Boone Co., AR (prob), buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.²⁵⁴

Children:

- 263 i. Milton⁵ Rublee b. abt Jan 1860 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob), d. aft 1865 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob). Milton was 5 months old when the 1860 census was taken. He apparently died young.
- + 264 ii. Maud Martha Rubelee b. Aug 1868.
- + 265 iii. Walter "William" Rublee or Rubelee b. 24 May 1871.

117. **Martha "Mattie" Catherine⁴ Rubblee** (Homer Phelps³, William², William¹ Robblee), b. 13 Jun 1847 in Lanesborough, Berkshire Co., MA,⁸⁶ d. 28 Mar 1926 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² "MRS. MARTHA C. BOYD - Mrs. Martha C. Boyd died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Shaw at Ellington Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, aged 79 years 9 months and 13 days. Beside the daughter with whom she resided she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Carrie George of Mountain Grove, Mo., six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Mrs. Boyd moved to Ellington with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer P. Rublee from Lanesboro, Mass., 72 years ago, where she had always resided. The funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Shaw Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be in the Pioneer cemetery at Ellington." (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, 29 Mar 1926).

She married **George C. Boyd**, 20 Feb 1866 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{255,86} b. 7 Dec 1843 in Pittsfield, Berkshire Co., MA,²⁵⁶ (son of **Andrew Boyd** and **Rachel _____**), d. 30 Nov 1918 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² In 1850, George Boyd lived with his mother Rachel Boyd in Ellington, NY. The household was Rachel Boyd, age 26; Elison Boyd, age 16; Jane W Boyd, age 15, Robert Boyd, age 12; Andrew Boyd, age 9 ; George Boyd, age 7; J Stafford, age 22. All were born in MA, except farm laborer J. Stafford, who was born in NY.

In 1860, George lived with Isaac G. and Rachel Stafford in Ellington. Children in the home was Jane Boyd, age 24; Andrew Boyd, age 18, George Boyd, age 16 (born in Mass) and Emma Stafford, age 16. Isaac was George's stepfather and Rachel his mother.

In 1870, George and Martha Boyd lived in Ellington, NY with their two-year-old daughter Carrie.

In 1875, the Boyds lived in Ellicott, NY, where they were counted in the New York State census. George was 31, born in Wyoming Co., NY. He was a farmer. Martha was 27, born in Massachusetts. Their children were Carrie, age 7 and Early (male), age 2, both born in Chautauqua Co., NY. A hired hand, Frank Shaw, age 17, was living with them. By 1880, they had returned to Ellington. George was listed as 35, this time his state of birth was given as Massachusetts. Martha was 31; Carry was 12 and Earl was 7. Mabel was 3.

In 1900, George and Martha lived in Ellington. Martha's sister "Lou" lived with them. In 1910, they still lived in Ellington, but now alone.

In 1920, Martha (Ruble) Boyd was a widow, age 73, living in Ellington with her sister Lydia H. Rublee, age 75.

"Bates, Dec. 4 - George C. Boyd died November 30, at the age of nearly 75 years. Besides his wife he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Shaw of Bates, and Mrs. Carrie George of Missouri; one brother, Andrew Boyd of Colorado; five grandchildren, two nephews, Clayton Bagg of Ellington, and Edwin Bagg of Conewango Valley. He was born in Massachusetts and came with his mother to Ellington when one year old and has always lived in the town. He leaves a host of friends to mourn his death." (Randolph NY Register, 6 Dec 1918 posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

Children:

- 266 i. Carrie White⁵ Boyd b. 10 Feb 1868 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{86,257} d. 31 May 1960 in Mountain Grove, Wright Co., MO,²⁵⁸ buried in Hillcrest Co., Mountain Grove, Wright Co., MO.²⁵⁷ In 1900, Joseph H. and Carrie W. George lived in Stratton Park, Larimer Co., CO. In 1910, they lived in Tie Siding, Albany Co., WY. In 1920, they lived in Mountain Grove, Wright Co., MO. Joseph died in 1929, and Carrie continued to live in Mountain Grove. They owned a hotel.

She married Joseph Hoskins George, 7 Nov 1895 in Fort Collins, Larimer Co., CO,¹⁰⁷ b. 9 May 1844 in Eng.,²⁵⁷ (son of Joseph George and Elizabeth Haskins), d. 10 Mar 1928 in Mountain Grove, Wright Co., MO,²⁵⁸ buried in Hillcrest Co., Mountain Grove, Wright Co., MO.²⁵⁷

- 267 ii. Mattie Clyde Boyd b. 25 Jan 1871 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁶ d. 2 May 1872 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁶ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁵
+ 268 iii. George Early "Earl" Boyd b. 16 Feb 1873.
269 iv. Mabel Alice Boyd b. 6 Jan 1877 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁶ d. 20 Nov 1957 in Clear Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY (res),^{82,259} buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² In 1900 and 1910, Willis and Mabel Shaw lived in Ellington, NY. In 1930 and 1940, Mabel was a widow living in Ellington.

"Mrs. Mabel Shaw. Mrs. Mabel Alice Boyd Shaw, 80, a lifelong resident of Ellington, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Wakefield, 150 East Elmwood Avenue, Falconer, at 10:40 P.M. Wednesday. Mrs. Shaw was born Jan. 6, 1877 in Ellington, the daughter of George C. and Martha Rublee Boyd. She was a member of the Ellington Grange. Besides her daughter, she is survived by two sons. Wilbert Shaw, Randolph, and Lloyd Merle Shaw, Cherry Creek; one sister, Mrs. J. H. George, Norwood, Mo.; three grandchildren and one great grandchild. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 P.M. Saturday from the Mattison Funeral Home, Kennedy. Burial will be in Pioneer Cemetery, Ellington." (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, 21 Nov 1957.

She married Willis Shaw, abt 1897, b. 5 Nov 1873 in Algansee, Branch Co., MI,²⁶⁰ (son of George Harrison Shaw and Julia A. Christie), d. 11 Jul 1918 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Pioneer Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸² "DEATH OF WILLIS SHAW. Ellington, July 12 -- Willis Shaw died at eleven o'clock last night following a long illness of arteriosclerosis, aged 44 years, 8 months and 6 days. Surviving him are his family, Mrs. Mabel Boyd Shaw, and three children, Katherine, Wilbert and Merle Shaw, and a sister, Mrs.

Mary Anderson. Mr. Shaw was a member of Ellington grange and was highly respected. The funeral will be held Sunday from the home at 2 o'clock p.m., and the interment will be in the Pioneer cemetery. (Jamestown NY Evening Journal, 12 Jul 1918 posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com)

His birth record gives his year of birth as 1873; his gravestone as 1874.

127. **Chauncey Moore⁴ Rublee, M. D.** (Luman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 25 Nov 1821 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 26 Jan 1870 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Green Mount Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT. There are two birth records for Chauncy Moore Rublee in the Vermont Vital Records Index. One states his father as Luman Rublee; the other states he was Chauncy Rublee. Both give his mother as Bathsheba. There is no question that Luman was his father.

Chauncy Rublee was a physician and surgeon in Montpelier, VT. His death record is listed under the name Rubilee. In various documents his given name is spelled Chauncy or Chauncey.

"Dr. Chauncy Moore Rublee, father of Dr. [Charles] Rublee, was born at Montpelier, Vermont, November 25, 1821, the son of Luman and Bertia (Burbank) Rublee, the latter having died when he was only three years old. He acquired his education in the district school and academy at Montpelier, and at that age of fourteen began his business career in the capacity of clerk in a drug store, remaining there for six years. He then took up the study of medicine with Dr. Charles Clark at Montpelier, and later attended lectures at the Woodstock Medical College, from which institution he was graduated. The following year he practiced his profession in Montpelier, and in 1847 went to New York in order to attend lectures and visit the hospitals, but soon after going there was induced by acquaintances to take a trip to Europe, where he spent considerable time and attention in the eye and ear infirmary clinics. He landed at Havre, France, in 1848, and went direct to Paris, where he became quite versed in the French language. After spending quite a length of time in medical study in European cities he returned to Montpelier and resumed his private practice, which he disposed of to Dr. Mulliken in 1855. He then removed to Boston with the idea of locating there in practice, but after two years residence in the city his health began to fail, and he returned to Montpelier, where he continued to practice up to the time of his decease, also holding the position of pension examiner, to which he was appointed some years previously. He also received from Governor Holbrook a commission, with others, to examine all persons enrolled in the militia in the several towns to of the county. He acquired a valuable library, and a large stock of surgical instruments for that day; he was much interested in surgery, but disliked to prescribe for patients who were in better health than himself. He reported for the medical journals, and was for many years a member of the Vermont Medical Society, reading papers frequently before that body. In business he was bold, sharp and shrewd, and accumulated a large amount of property. His life shows how much of success may be attained by a resolute, sagacious, and persevering mind, even though it may be imprisoned in an infirm body, for he was for many years a sufferer from severe physical affliction, which to the ordinary person of less courage and perseverance would have precluded a success in any profession. The winters of 1859-60 he spent in Paris, France, with beneficial results as far as his health was concerned. In politics he was formerly a Whig and later a Republican, in his religion he was a member of the Congregational Church. At home he was quiet, reserved, pleasant, and very fond of music. In 1849, he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah P. Clark, eldest daughter of Dr. Charles Clark, who was born in what is now called East Montpelier, March 19, 1827." (Carlton, 1903)

"No apology will be attempted for this imperfect and hastily prepared sketch of the life of the late Dr. Rublee. It is sufficient to say that I was appointed by the president of the society in place of another, whose acquaintance with the deceased had been longer, and whose intimacy was greater.

Chauncey Moore Rublee was born in Montpelier, Vermont, November 25th, 1821. His father, Luman Rublee, moved to Montpelier in 1818, and is now residing here, at the advanced age of 79 years. His mother (before marriage Miss Burbank) died of consumption when he was about three years of age. His only sister is living with her father, and from whom I have obtained most of the information contained in this sketch. His early education, (that of the district school and a short time at the academy in this village,) must necessarily have been somewhat limited, for at the age of fourteen years he began life in the drug store of E. H. Prentiss, son of Samuel Prentiss, afterwards United States Senator. He remained in the store for six years, when Mr. Prentiss sold out to a new firm, Messrs. Clark & Collins. Though still retained by the new owners, he began the study of medicine with Dr. Charles Clark, then in practice in the village. He came to this decision on account of a lameness in his knee, from which he never completely recovered, and which at that time he thought possibly might disable him, even if amputation did not become necessary.

His lectures were attended at Woodstock, Vt., at which place he graduated. He commenced practice in Montpelier, where he remained about a year, when, in the fall of 1847, he went to New York, intending to spend the winter there, hearing lectures and visiting the hospitals. After having been there a few days, an opportunity offered to go to Europe in company with Mr. James R. Spaulding and Mr. Henry Isham, active young men, both acquaintances of his, and residents of Montpelier. Mr. Spaulding, who went out as correspondent of a prominent New York journal, was son of Dr. James Spaulding, then in practice in Montpelier. Mr. Spaulding was in Europe about two years and afterward became editor, I think, of the paper, for which he corresponded.

In Dr. Rublee's letters from New York, I find among other things the following criticism: "Most of my time is spent at the Eye and Ear Infirmary clinics. In most of the cases they use ether, and not in a single case has it done any harm. I attend the clinics of Valentine Mott, the great American surgeon, and he is an egotistical, vain man, so much so, that it is perfectly disgusting to hear him talk."

After considering well the matter of going to Europe, and deciding to go mainly from advice given him by Prof. Alonzo Clark, and receiving some pecuniary assistance from an uncle in Montpelier, he embarked, December 27th, 1847, from New York, on board the French Packet ship, "Silvie de Grasse."

Of this passage, he writes: "We had but two storms, and I assure you I never wish to witness another. It was during these storms I wished myself in Vermont. When I was in New York and saw the noble ship in which I was to sail, lying at the dock, it did not seem possible for it to be blown about by the wind, but after getting out to sea, and I saw what the wind could do with its thousand waves, it was then the ship appeared to me as it was a mere egg shell as it were, dancing upon the water. I would as soon think of dressing myself in a flour barrel, when it was rolling down hill. From the rattling of tin kettles, pails, and dishes, one would suppose a whole tin shop and crockery store had been shot from a gun."

He landed at Havre, January 24th, 1848, and the same day, at 10 o'clock P. M., was in the city of Paris, 160 miles, in seven hours by rail, having been three and one-half weeks on the voyage. Of that city he writes: "New York, the largest of American cities, when compared with this seems like a retired country village. There are in Paris fourteen hundred thousand inhabitants and about fifty thousand soldiers. In New York two hospitals, here there are forty, and each one larger than five of those in New York. There are over eighty thousand sick people in these hospitals every year. Physicians from all parts of the world can visit them free. I have not visited them yet as much as I shall, but I spend two or three hours every day in some of them, and have learned enough already in my profession to well pay me for coming.

I devote considerable of my time at present to learning to speak French, and am able to talk a little." [He was said to have learned to speak it faster than either of the others who were with him, though one had quite an extensive education in the language here.] "I hired a room, furnished with bed, chairs and everything necessary, and & famme, as they are called here, to take care of it, for which I pay \$6.00 per month, and I get my food where I please.

I am obliged to be at the hospital at 7 in the morning. For breakfast, nothing but a roll of bread and bowl of coffee. For dinner, at 6 in the evening, meat and wine, or water, just which you please, one as cheap as the other. I have heard much about French coffee before I came here, but it cannot be described. It is the most delicious drink I ever tasted. I drink a pint every morning and can taste the flavor all day. French bread is beautiful, and when you have said this you have said all, for I would not give a snap for any other dish they make. Their beds are luxurious, full as good as the one I had in my old office. I could put all the fire a Frenchman has in his room in a pint cup. Good to look at. Most of the wood is made of little round sticks as large as a broom-stick, and wet as water; sold by the pound at 55 cts. per 100, or about 30 dollars per cord. Old women carry it about through streets on their backs for sale. Stores and shops are kept by women. Thousands in the streets all day long drawing little wagons having for sale bread, butter, pies, cakes, apples, cabbage, potatoes and everything to eat one can imagine." Postage at that time was 36 to 40 cents on each letter.

Of the Revolution May 9th, 1848, he writes: "The Frenchmen have accomplished a great work, drove Louis Phillip from his throne, compelled him to seek refuge in another land, with one blow annihilated the Chamber of Peers and Deputies of France, proclaimed Provisional Government, cast their votes for a National Assembly, which commenced their session last Thursday, and on the same day this National Assembly (chosen by the Freemen of France,) numbering about 900 men, together with the Provisional Government proclaimed in the presence of 700 thousand people, France a Republic. It was worth a trip to Europe to see such a scene. I hope the new republic can stand, but that it is in danger there can be no doubt. I had the pleasure of shaking hands with the venerable Arazo Lamartine. He is regarded as one of the most learned men in Europe. One hundred and eighty of us Americans marched into the Assembly and were introduced to the members of the Provisional Government. An American lady, Mrs. Wicliffe, from Kentucky, stopping in Paris presented the Americans with a beautiful flag to be carried in the procession to the Hotel De Ville. We gave three cheers and shouted on the way, 'Vive la Republique' until we were hoarse.

I received a letter from uncle with the draft, and was lucky, as many of the travelers had drafts on houses that had failed and lost heavily."

Of the Hospitals and Professors at same date, May 9th, 1848, he says: "In the fore part of the day I am either at the lying-in hospital with Paul Dubois, or in the surgeons hospital with Velpeau, in the fever hospital with Louis, or at the venereal hospital with Ricord. Paul Dubois is considered the most able man in his hospital in Paris. I had a letter of introduction from Dr. Gardener, of New York, to him. He speaks English very well, received me very kindly, and offered me any assistance he could render. Thursday morning I attended three cases of midwifery." Writing of France as a home he says: "Vermont is the place to live. I would not give one foot of its glorious soil for all France."

"The number of American students is about fifty I am told, but I have not become acquainted with more than a dozen. Prof. Marsh, of the Albany Medical school, is here, and a very fine man. I see him every day at the hospital. I have visited all over the city, public gardens, picture galleries, palaces, and shall bring home books and maps that will give you an idea of them. Pencillings (by the way) by N. P. Willis, of New York, will give you a good idea of Paris. Paintings are very fine, the largest number at the Royal Museum of the Louvre. This gallery is in a building once occupied by the king for a palace, one-fourth of a mile long, walls all covered with paintings, which are very beautiful, and some of immense size. Many portraits and paintings of scenery. Weather warm as July in Vermont. Evenings very fine, and as I am in the hospitals for part of the day, in the afternoon either reading or talking bad French with some one. I usually take a walk in some of the public gardens in the evenings, three of which I like much to walk in. Garden of Tuilleries, the Luxembourg and the Garden of Plants - this containing 200 acres. I see thousands of people from all parts of the world, Turks, Greeks, and every nationality, yet am quite lonely. Most of the churches are Catholic, though there are three or four Protestant; the one I have attended is always well filled, the singing is congregational and very good"

Writing again August 6th, 1848, of the insurrection of June 22d, 1848, he says: "That of February was mere boys play in comparison, and had the government been in the same hands the insurgents would surely have triumphed. The leaders of these are bad. Socialists, infidels, or communists, the great mass a set of ignorant creatures, fighting for pay. No doubt of this, for large sums of money were found on the persons of numbers of those who were killed. Firing commenced about noon. The city was declared immediately under martial law by the general in command, and no one could pass without a permit from him.

Several piece of cannon were stationed near the street where I live, and it was one continual roar. After each shot a load of wounded would be carried by my window to the hospital. A cloud was over the city as if it was on fire. Poor fellows, as they passed by my windows, hands tied behind them, on their way to the Garden of the Luxembourg where they were to be shot.

Next morning I went into the dead-house, where the killed soldiers and insurgents were deposited before burial - a sad picture - fathers and mothers after their sons, sisters for their brothers, and when they found them it would seem as if they would die with sorrow; of 400 in one command all killed but 30." In the same letter, August 6th, 1848, he writes: "I have an opportunity to go as surgeon on a ship which sails from Liverpool next month, and get my passage for my services, and it is my intention to buy my instruments here and accept the appointment, hoping to reach you in October, if a good voyage."

After his return he again commenced practice in Montpelier. June following he was married to Miss Sarah E. Clark, eldest daughter of Dr. Charles Clark, with whom he studied. With her he lived four or five years, when she was taken from him by the disease that takes nearly one-sixth of all our people.

His only son, Charles Clark Rublee, is now in New York, to complete this winter his medical education. In the autumn of 1855, Dr. Rublee sold his practice to Dr. Mulliken and went to Boston, intending to stay, but his health beginning to fail after about two years, he returned to Montpelier, where he remained in practice as long as he lived. He had haemoptysis [coughing up blood] several times while in Boston, and his constitution, not the strongest, was never so well afterward. The winter of 1859 and 1860 he again spent three months in Paris, mainly for his health, and returned more fleshy than ever before.

He received the appointment as examining surgeon for pensions, a position held by him till his death. He also received from Gov. Holbrook a commission with others as surgeon to examine all persons enrolled in the militia of the several towns in the county. In politics, always a whig and republican. He was a member of the Congregational Church in this village for over 25 years. He loved music, and was, in early life, a correct singer, though his voice, not heavy, was better adapted to the social circle than the choir.

His library was much better than the average, and he had accumulated a good many surgical instruments. He liked surgery, but disliked to prescribe for patients who were in better health than himself, and it is reported that he sometimes told them to go about their business, as there was nothing the matter with them. His faith in drugs was expressed in one of his letters written home from Europe, which says: "I knew something before I came here of what could be done in the way of curing people. I have learned in Paris what can be done without drugs. The French give but little medicine."

He reported cases occasionally for the medical journals, and was, for many years, a member of this society, reading papers as occasion required. One upon cataract I see is published in the transactions for 1867 and 1868.

At home, quiet, reserved, pleasant. In business, bold, sharp and shrewd. He accumulated a fair amount of property, the final disposition of which, I am told, showed his usual sagacity.

In the fall of 1865, he was attacked with dysentery, which confined him to his house for 9 weeks, during which time he was watched by Dr. Clark. After this sickness he never went to his office, which was some distance from his house, without riding. For the last two or three years he was unable to dress or undress himself on account of stiffness in his joints, which, prevented his stooping, though he was seen daily both fore and afternoon at his office, until Jan. 2d, 1870, when he went for the last time. His cough increased and he gradually failed till he passed away quietly about seven o'clock in the morning of Jan. 26th, 1870, his mind remaining clear to the last.

Of his own sickness he seldom ever complained, and at his funeral sermon it was said "he went to his home from his place of business to become the invalid." Few, so sick and infirm as he, would so long have ventured to perform even the business of an office.

Dr. Rublee's life shows how much of success may be attained by a resolute, sagacious and persevering mind, even though it be imprisoned in an infirm body."

Chauncey M. Rublee left a will dated 20 Jun 1859. All of his estate went to his son Charles C. Rublee, except for \$1,000 to his father Luman for his support and \$3,500 to his sister Eliza B., which included their late mother's estate. Dr. Charles C. Clark was the executor.

He married **Sarah Elizabeth Clark**, 5 Jun 1850 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,³² b. ca 8 Mar 1827 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **Charles Clark, M.D.** and **Clarissa Boyden** [1803 -]), d. 14 Feb 1855 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Green Mount Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.

Children:

+ 270 i. Charles Clark⁵ Rublee, M.D. b. 31 Oct 1852.

133. **Mary Ann⁴ Rublee** (Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. Jul 1824 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT (prob), d. aft 2 Jul 1913 in Oakland, Alameda Co., CA? . Mary Ann's name and identity is known from her brother Charles' 1913 estate records, where she is referred to as Marianne R. Ellis. There is no Vermont birth record for her. Given her year of birth of 1824, she was a child of Norman Rublee and Sophronia Wilder.

Mary Ann married first in 1849 in Manchester, NH, John C. Badger. This explains her absence from the family constellation at the time of the 1850 census. At the time of their marriage, John resided in Concord, NH and Mary Ann in Montpelier, VT. John C. Badger was well enough known as an artist that there is internet content regarding his career. He painted portraits and wildlife paintings. A biography of Thomas Waterman Wood, an artist born in Montpelier, VT in 1823, refers to John C. Badger, as follows: "Before the introduction of daguerreotypes Montpelier was accustomed to receive an occasional visit from some peripatetic portrait painter and it was such a painter who first influenced Wood and started him in his career. The painter has been described as a "harum-scarum" character, but also as a "dashing painter", who was able to seize quickly and firmly upon a likeness. There was also a boy friend, John C. Badger, who brought from Boston tubes of oil colors, brushes, palettes and some books about art. With these in hand the boys began with enthusiasm to develop their resources. There remains nothing of these first efforts; but when the furniture shop of John Wood was destroyed by fire in 1875 there could yet be seen on its plastered walls a number of figure pictures, drawn with dry paints, a sort of rude pastel".

In 1850, they lived in Philadelphia. John C. Badger, age 28, artist born in NH and Mary A. Badger, age 25, born VT were living in the household of Isaiah and Mary Bryant at that time. In 1860, the Badgers in Charlestown, MA. John was 39, born in NH. Mary A. was 36, born in VT. They had a son Charles H., age 9, born in Pennsylvania. John's occupation is not given.

In 1870, Mary A. Badger and son Charles Badger lived in Township 6 (post office in Pescadero), San Mateo Co., CA with Mary Ann's sister Cornelia Hayward and her family. Apparently the Badgers divorce between 1860 and 1870 and Mary Ann married William Ellis after 1870. By 1880, she was a widow. Mary A. Ellis, age 55, was living in San Francisco, San Francisco, CA. She was born in Vermont, as were her parents. She was a boarder in the home of Steven and Caroline Gilmore who do not appear to have been related.

In 1900, Marianne R. Ellis, age 75, was an inmate at the Ladies' Relief Society Home for Aged Women in Oakland, Alameda, CA. She was born in July 1824 in Vermont. She was a widow. The census indicates that her father was born in Vermont and her mother in New Hampshire. She had one child, who was not living.

In 1910, a Mary A. Ellis, age 85 (dob est 1824) was an inmate at the Ladies' Relief Society and Children's Home in Oakland, Alameda, CA. This time the census says she was born in Vermont, as were both of her parents. Husted's Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley directory for 1910 lists a Mary R. Ellis, widow of William, residing at 393 45th St., which is the address for the Ladies' Relief Society. This is the first time I have been able to ascertain her husband's name.

There is no Mary Ellis in the 1920 census who seems like the right one. A Mary A. Ellis died on 5 Aug 1912 in Sacramento, CA with an approximate year of birth of 1836, but this location seems unlikely (but not impossible) for the Mary Ann given that she lived in Alameda county in 1900 and 1910.

She married (1) **John Curtis Badger**, 21 May 1849 in Manchester, Hillsboro Co., NH,^{62,261} b. 21 May 1821 in Sanbornton, Belknap Co., NH (son of **John Emerson Badger** and **Irene Gilman Carter**), d. 16 Oct 1894 in Muscotah, Atchison Co., KS, buried in Muscotah Cem., Muscotah, Atchison Co., KS.²⁶² "John Curtis Badger, son of John Emerson Badger and Irene Gilman Carter, was born May 21, 1821 in Sanbornton, Belknap Co., New Hampshire and died at the home of his brother, W.P. [William P.] Badger in Muscotah on Tuesday morning, Oct. 16, 1894 where he had resided for the past seven years. Early in his life chose for his life work the profession of crayon artist. He studied under good masters and soon opened a studio in Montpelier, Vermont. It was there that he married in 1846 to Marianna Publee [sic]. There was a son born to them but he died a few years ago at the age of 23. (The 1850 census shows a 9 year old Charles H., born in Pennsylvania.) After his marriage he moved to Philadelphia, where he was quite successful in his profession until 1857, when he became a victim of the westward fever and came to Kansas. From here he went to Colorado, where he mined with poor success, and about ten years ago, returned to Kansas. At the beginning of the Civil War, he enlisted with the 2nd Kansas Cavalry and remained with it during the war. He was in five battles and the injuries he received during his service had much to do with hastening his death. The last four years of his life have had much to do with church work and while he was not a member of any church, he was a regular attendant of the Methodist church in Muscotah, and an active member of the Epworth League, of which he was an honorary member. His brother, W.P. Badger of Muscotah and his sister, Mrs. Mary Keith of St. Louis, are the only remaining members of his family. After the funeral ceremony at the M.E. Church, the G.A.R. Took charge and with the mellow strains of the fife and muffled beat of drums, escorted the remains to their final resting place. A contingent of the G.A.R. From Effingham was present, including Mr. Furgason, who was a comrade in the same company with Mr. Badger." (from John C. Badger's memorial on findagrave.com)

Note that a bio about John's brother William P. Badger states that he was apprenticed to a hatter in Montpelier, VT. Perhaps Mary Ann's father?

Children:

- 271 i. Charles Henry⁵ Badger b. abt 1851 in PA, d. 10 Feb 1874 in San Mateo Co., CA (prob), buried in Mount Hope Cem., Pescadero, San Mateo Co., CA.²⁶³ Charles H. Badger appears on the voter registration lists for San Mateo Co., CA in 1872.

She married (2) **William Ellis**, bet 1870-1880 in San Mateo Co., CA (prob), b. est 1820, d. bef 1880?

134. **Henry Francis⁴ Rublee** (Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Dec 1826 in Plattsburgh, Clinton Co., NY,²⁶⁴ d. 2 Feb 1900 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,²³⁶ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.^{264,265}

In 1850, Henry F. Rublee was counted as a resident of a large establishment in Hooksett, NH with a large number of men who were stonecutters. The census was taken on 23 Sep. Mahala Robinson was still living with her parents, is this marriage date in error? By 1860, the Rublees lived in Gilford, NH with their children Alson F., age 8 and Sophronia W., age 3. In 1870, children in the home were Alson F., age 18 and Emeline T., age 9. Sophronia had died by then. Henry Rublee was a blacksmith.

"At Lake Village, H. F. Rublee & Son had "taken orders for 22 carriages during the winter and are at the present time finishing them up for delivery as soon as the travelling is good. If you wish to see some nice buggies give them a call. They now have quite a number of unsold ones in process of construction." (Our Yesterdays by Warren D. Huse 125 YEARS AGO (1885) Saturday, April 17, 2010)

In 1880, the Rublees lived in Gilford, NH. Henry was 53, and was a carriage dealer. He was born in New York, his father was born in Vermont and his mother in New Hampshire. Mahala was 54, born in New Hampshire. Emaline T. was 19, born in New Hampshire.

From The Laconia Democrat, 1880: "At Lake Village, H.F. Rublee & Son were "doing a rushing business at the present time in carriages, and are turning out some very nice ones commanding high prices. They have orders enough to last until snow comes, for wagons alone, aside from their sleigh trade."

Note that the census consistently gives Henry's state of birth as NY.

"Henry F. Rublee, born in Plattsburg, N. Y., December 6, 1826, died at Lakeport, February 2, 1900.

When a young man he located in Manchester, but removed to Laconia in 1850, and in 1852 established himself in the general blacksmithing business at Lake Village now Lakeport, or Ward Six of Laconia. Subsequently, with his son, Alson F., he did a large and lucrative business in the manufacture of carriages.

Mr. Rublee was a public-spirited citizen, strongly interested in the general welfare of the community and was honored with the esteem and confidence of the people, being elected to nearly all the offices which it was in the power of the citizens to bestow. He was selectman of the town of Gilford for several terms, was a member of the school board and represented the town in the legislature of 1885 and 1886.

He was a devoted member of the Baptist church, having been a deacon since 1857, and had sung in the choir for forty-eight years. He is survived by a widow, a son, and a daughter." (Source: The Granite State Monthly, Vol. 28, 1900, edited by Henry Harrison Metcalf, John Norris McClintock)

"Suncook family donates artifact to Laconia Historical and Museum Society

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LACONIA — Throughout the latter part of the 19th century, a thriving carriage business flourished in Lakeport. Now, one of the company's creations is coming home for the enjoyment of future generations here.

Thanks to a generous donation from a family in Suncook, the Laconia Museum and Historical Society has acquired an original Rublee horse-drawn phaeton carriage as part of its collection for display.

The 10-foot long, wooden four-seat carriage was produced in Lakeport by the HF Rublee and Son Carriage Company during the late 1800s.

Henry F. Rublee was born in Plattsburgh, N.Y. on Dec. 6, 1826. As a young man, he moved to Manchester and then on to Laconia in 1850 where he became a blacksmith at Lake Village, which is now called Lakeport.

Rublee opened a shop to manufacture carriages and sleighs in 1852 and eventually brought his son, Alson F. Rublee, into the business in 1876.

At the onset of the 19th century, the primary form of transportation in America was the horse-drawn carriage.

It wasn't until the last part of the century that the railroad came to change people's lives and habits. Even after railway transportation gained widespread acclaim, many areas of the nation and New Hampshire still relied on horses and carriages for local trips across town.

Eventually motorized transportation in the form of streetcars and automobiles gained the acceptance of the public as the 20th century dawned. It spelled the end of the carriage industry as a profitable enterprise in Lakeport.

But as his carriage business prospered, Henry F. Rublee was elected as a Gilford town selectman, held a seat on the school board and served as a state representative in 1885 and 1886.

He died Feb. 2, 1900 in Lakeport, which had officially become part of Laconia in 1893. His son then became head of the business.

Alson Rublee was born Dec. 24, 1851 in Lake Village and was an accomplished musician and band leader who studied the flute at the Boston Conservatory of Music.

He was a natural-born musician and in the early 1880s, he began a musical career with the Highland Brass Band, which changed its name to Rublee's Band in the early 1890s.

Under Alson Rublee's leadership, the Rublee Band became well-known and toured the eastern part of the United States, playing in New York and Washington and many other large cities before his death on May 15, 1928 in Lakeport.

The HF Rublee and Son manufacturing plant was at 168 to 172 Mechanic St. in Lakeport opposite from the old Crane Manufacturing Company. The site of the former business is now where the drive-up Lakeport Post Office currently can be found.

How the Rublee carriage came to be given to the Laconia Historical and Museum Association is a quite a story itself.

At some point in the early 1970s, Ed Rousey of the Concord Coaches Association became friendly with the Boucher Family of Suncook.

The Bouchers raised Morgan horses. They ended up purchasing a Rublee phaeton, a light four-wheeled carriage with open sides, from Rousey for use on their farm.

"Our intent was to restore it and to use it and have the Morgan horses pull it," said Tim Boucher.

He said that when he was young, his father spent time restoring the carriage and upgraded the fenders and the wheels, but wasn't able to fully complete the project.

The carriage sat unused in a barn on the Suncook farm for decades until three years ago.

"At that time our family sold the farm and the carriage was moved to my garage," Boucher said. "It's been in my garage since and I wanted the space back. I knew what it was and who made it, so I reached out to the historical society and wanted to see if they wanted it."

Boucher said the Laconia Museum and Historical Society was happy that he wanted to donate the carriage to them, but it had no way of bringing it back to Laconia.

"So I brought it to them on a flatbed trailer in November," he said. "My family is thrilled that the carriage will someday be put on display. We'll enjoy coming to see it again when that happens and we're pleased to be able to bring this important artifact back to Laconia to be enjoyed by future generations there."

The carriage will be stored by the historical society until a suitable venue for exhibition can be found." (http://www.citizen.com/news/2015-12-28/Local/Antique_Rublee_phaeton_carriage_returns_home.html).

He married **Mahala A. Robinson**, 9 Mar 1850 in Meredith, Belknap Co., NH (prob),^{266,267} b. 23 Jan 1826 in Meredith, Belknap Co., NH,²⁶⁴ (daughter of **Nathaniel Robinson** and **Mahala Moses**), d. 28 Feb 1900 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,²³⁶ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵

Children:

- + 272 i. Alson Francis⁵ Rublee b. 24 Dec 1851.
- 273 ii. Sophronia W. Rublee b. abt 1856 in NH,²⁶⁸ d. 1862 in Gilford, Belknap Co., NH (prob), buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵
- 274 iii. Henry N. Rublee b. 1860 in NH,²⁶⁵ d. 1860 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH (prob),²⁶⁵ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵
- 275 iv. Emeline Taylor Rublee b. Jun 1861 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH (prob),²⁶⁸ d. 23 Mar 1925 in Norwood, Norfolk Co., MA,¹⁷² buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.¹⁷² During the period 1883-1886, Emeline taught music at the Tilton School. An Emeline Rublee is listed as a teacher at the South Jersey Institute in 1891-92 in Boyd's Cumberland County, N. J. Directory 1891-92. Also in 1896-97 and 1897-98. In 1900, Emeline lived in Laconia, NH with her brother Alson and his family. An Emeline T. Rublee is listed in the city directory for Rutland, VT in 1913 and 1916. She was music teacher. In 1919, she is listed in the city

directory for New Haven, CT as "removed to Pennsylvania". In 1920, she was boarding in Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland Co., PA where she was a teacher.

135. **Frances Harriet⁴ Rublee** (Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Mar 1829 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²⁶⁹ d. 13 Mar 1913 in Seattle, King Co., WA,²⁷⁰ buried in Lake View Cem., Seattle, King Co., WA.²⁷¹ -- Funeral notice, Lake View Cemetery Scrapbooks, 1913

SANFORD -- In this city, February 9, 1913, Francis Harriet Ruby Sanford, in her 84th year, widow of the late George P. Sanford and mother of George O. Sanford, of 1205 East Seventieth Street. Funeral services to be held at 1:30 p.m., February 11, 1913, at Green Lake Congregational church. Interment Lake View cemetery. Manning & Bryne, funeral directors, 914 Howell Street. [Next day, February 11th, name corrected to Frances Harriet Rublee Sanford]

NATIVE OF VERMONT. Mrs. Frances Harriet Sanborn Dies at Seattle, Wash. Aged 84 Years.

Mrs. Frances Harriet Sanborn, widow of George Perkins Sanborn, a G. A. R. veteran, died in the home of her son, George O. Sanborn, 1203 East Seventieth street, Seattle, Wash., of pneumonia, February 9.

She was born March 6, 1829, at Berkshire, Vt, and her parents were Norman Rublee of Berkshire and Sophronia Wilder of Montpelier, who were married Feb. 5th, 1822. It was a large family of twelve children, of whom four are still living, three sisters; sisters; Mrs. Marianne R. Ellis, 88 years, Oakland, Cal., Mrs. Barzillai (Cornelia S.) Hayward, 81 years, Redwood Redwood City, Cal., and Mrs. Artemas (Julia) Skinner, 70 years, Worcester, Mass., and brother John H. Rublee, 72 years, Boston, Mass.

She also leaves four grandchildren and three great-grand-children. She was related to several prominent public men, among whom were United States Senator Justin Morrill, Horace Rublee, ambassador to Switzerland, William A. Rublee, ambassador to Austria, Cuba and China and Marshall P. Wilder, horticulturist of Wilder medal fame. Other relatives were Luman Rublee, Dr. Chauncy Rublee, Eliza Rublee, Joseph and George Howes of Montpelier, and Mrs. G. G. Benedict, Burlington and M. P. Walton, Montpelier.

Her husband was born in Sanbornton, N. H., moved to East Hardwick when a child and they also lived at Middlesex and Cabot, Boston, Mass. and Oakland, Cal., until the great earthquake 1906, when they removed to Seattle. Mr. Sanborn died in Seattle July 5th, 1911 at 91 years.

Mrs. Sanborn and her husband were both very musical, and she and her father, brothers and sisters sang in Bethany Church choir prior to 1850. As Miss Rublee and later she was quite a soprano soloist in the New England States, in well-known churches and in music festivals conducted by Prof. L. O. Emerson.

She was a member of Green Lake Congregational Church, Seattle, when she died, where the funeral services took place, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Charles F. Clarke. Burial was in Lake View cemetery. Her husband is buried in the G: A. R. Circle, a few hundred feet away, in the same cemetery. (Montpelier Morning Journal (Montpelier, Vermont), 19 Feb 1913).

She married **George Perkins Sanborn**, 20 Oct 1854 in VT,²⁷² b. 29 May 1819 in Sanbornton, Belknap Co., NH,²⁷² (son of **Jeremiah Gilman Sanborn** [1777 - 1827] and **Abigail "Nabby" Perkins** [1785 - 1878]), d. 5

Jul 1910 in Seattle, King Co., WA.^{272,270} George and Francis (Ruble) Sanborn went west with their only child, George about 1892 (Marilyn S. Gwartney, personal communication, 1/97).

In 1850, George lived in Hardwick, VT, where he was a farmer. His mother Abigail Perkins lived with him, as did Abigail G. Sanborn, age 33 and Israel F. Sanborn, age 13.

In 1870, the Sanborns were living in Boston. George Sr.'s occupation is listed as "canning fruit". George Jr., only age 14, was already occupied as a clerk in a store. He was born in Vermont. Frances H. Sanborn was keeping house. It appears that in 1875, the Sanborns lived in Brooklyn, NY where George was a broker.

They returned to Boston by 1880. Both George Sr. and George Jr. were canning pickles while Frances continued to keep house. Both wife and son were born in Vermont. In 1900 they lived in Oakland, Alameda Co., CA where son George was head of household.

"OLDEST GRAND ARMY VETERAN HERE DIES

After living to the ripe age of 91, George P. Sanborn, the old Grand Army man in the city, and for years an esteemed resident, died at his home, 1205 East Seventieth Street, at 9:55 o'clock last night. His demise was due to a complication of heart disease and Bright's disease, followed by dropsy.

During the Civil War he served in the Fifteenth Vermont Volunteers, Col. Redfield S. Proctor, late senator from Vermont, commanding. Mr. Sanborn was in the musical corps as a fifer. He was present at the battle of Gettysburg and several other important engagements. He has held numerous posts in Grand Army circles, among others that of chaplain of the Petaluma, Cal., post.

A year ago he celebrated his ninetieth anniversary, and there were present at that time four generations, all bearing the name George Sanborn. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Frances H. Sanborn; one son, George Otis Sanborn, president and manager of the Saxony Knit Goods Company, and four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Sanborn was a cousin of Charles E. Tilton, of Ladd & Tilton, bankers, and also first cousin of Gen. George P. Foster, who captured O'Neil, leader of the Fenian raid about 1870, and who afterwards was mayor of Burlington, Vt.

He came from a long-lived family. His mother died when 93, two uncles at 97 and 89 respectively, two sisters at 91 each, one sister at 89 and a cousin at 97 years. His widow, Mrs. F. H. Sanborn, is still living and is 81 years old.

For ten years previous to 1850 he was leading tenor soloist in a number of Boston churches under Lowell Mason and George F. Root, both well-known composers. Together with his wife and son, he sang in the Boston Peace Jubilee in 1872. His mother was considered the leading soprano in New Hampshire and was soloist with Prof. E. C. Emerson, of Boston, from 1850 to 1860. His brother was director of the old Boston Brass Band and played before Queen Victoria in England at one time.

The funeral will be held from the Green Lake Congregational Church Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will follow in the G. A. R. Cemetery. The Rev. Charles F. Clark, pastor of the Green Lake Church, will officiate, and the Green Lake Post, G. A. R., will take an active part." (Seattle Times, Wednesday, 6 Jul 1910).

Children:

- 276 i. George Otis⁵ Sanborn b. 13 Nov 1855 in Middlesex, Washington Co., VT,²⁷³ d. 15 Feb 1929 in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁷⁴ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵ George O. Sanborn lived in Chelmsford and later Boston, MA where he and his father ran G. P. Sanborn, dealers in canned goods and pickles. In 1892, father and son moved with their families to California, settling in Petaluma where they had a knitting mill. They lost the mill in 1906, when it was blown up in an effort to stop the San Francisco fires. They went to British Columbia, where Mr. Sanborn also had a knitting mill. Eventually, they settled in Seattle, WA (Marilyn S. Gwartney, personal communication, 1/97).

He married Annie Maude Winter, 29 Apr 1881 in Cambridge, Middlesex Co., MA,¹¹² b. 17 Sep 1859 in Fredericton, NB, Canada,²⁷⁶ (daughter of Richard S. Winter and Rebecca S. _____), d. 10 Oct 1935 in Oakland, Alameda Co., CA,²⁷⁴ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵

136. **Cornelia S.⁴ Rublee** (Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. Aug 1831 in Washington Co., VT, d. 18 Aug 1913 in Santa Clara, Santa Clara Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Pescadara, San Mateo Co., CA. Cornelia Hayward is listed as sister to Charles Rublee in his 1913 estate records. She is not listed as a member of her father's household in 1850, nor is her brother Charles, nor is Mary. The two of them would have been very young when their mother died. Were they raised by another family? The scholars list for 1844-45 for the Washington County Grammar School included Hiram, Henry and Cornelia S. of Montpelier. In 1847, Cornelia S. of Montpelier was a scholar. I have looked extensively for Cornelia in the 1850 census, with no success. She married in California in 1859. How did she come to be that far from Vermont?

In 1860, Cornelia and Barsillai Hayward lived in San Francisco. They did not have children. In 1870, they lived in Township 5, San Mateo, CA with the children listed. However, they are listed as Bazell and Jesse. Was Cornelia's middle name actually Jesse? This does not seem unlikely, given the name of her youngest daughter. Cornelia's sister Mary A. Badger and Mary's son Charles lived with them. Note that MA is listed as the state of birth for "Bazel", "Jesse", Mary and Charles, but none of them were born there.

In 1900, they lived in San Mateo. Daughter Jessie, age 30, lived with them. They continued to live there in 1910, when just the two of them were in the household.

"He married Cornelia S. Rubles sometime after his arrival in California, and from this marriage had four children. Clarence Decatur, Mary S., George Norman, and Jessie Cornelia". [Frank M. Stranger, History of San Mateo County. 1838]

VIGILANTE CELEBRATES HIS GOLDEN WEDDING

B. Hayward and Wife of Half a Century Observe Day

REDWOOD CITY, Jan. 23. — Mr. and Mrs. B. Hayward of Pescadero, pioneers of the state, and county, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their Pescadero home Wednesday, surrounded by

all the members of their immediate family. Hayward arrived in California on the steamer Golden Gate in 1851, and was married to Cornelia Rublee in 1859, immediately following her arrival. Hayward was a member of the second vigilance committee and acted as superintendent of the steam paddy, used in grading Market street for six years. In 1865 he bought a ranch at Pescadero, where he has since resided. There are three children living— Mrs. D. E. Moore of Redwood City, Mrs. W. L. Ray of Pescadero and C. D. Hayward of San Carlos, county assessor. (San Francisco Call, Volume 105, Number 55, 24 January 1909).

She married **Barzillai or Barzilla Hayward**, 20 Jan 1859 in Sacramento, Sacramento Co., CA (prob),²⁷⁷ b. 30 Oct 1831 in Goshen, Sullivan Co., NH,²⁷⁸ (son of **Arza Hayward** and **Mary Gilmore** [- 1897]), d. 27 Jan 1916 in San Mateo Co., CA.¹⁴⁷ Barzillai Hayward had a lumber mill in Pescadero, San Mateo Co., CA.

"B. Hayward. The subject of this sketch is one of the oldest settlers of this coast, and is at the present time a prominent millman of this county. He was born in Sullivan county, New Hampshire, October 30, 1831, and with his parents moved to Ohio. He came from New Hampshire to California, via the Isthmus, landing in San Francisco November 18, 1851. He was a resident of that city until he came to San Mateo county, with the exception of two years spent in mining, in Placer county. While a resident of San Francisco, he was, for six years, foreman of the steam excavator which graded Market, Powell and other contiguous streets. He came to this county in 1864, and located on the Honsinger ranch, where he was engaged in dairying and farming for three years. He then purchased what is now known as Hayward's sawmill, and is its present proprietor. He married Cornelia S. Rublee, and has four children; Clarence Decatur, Mary S., George Norman and Jessie Cornelia." (History of San Mateo County, California. B.F. Alley, 1883 - San Mateo County (Calif.), p. 275).

Children:

- 277 i. Clarence Decatur⁵ Hayward b. 8 Dec 1861 in San Mateo Co., CA,²⁷⁹ d. 21 Jan 1916 in San Mateo Co., CA,^{279,274} buried in CMD. "Next the Saunders brothers bought the Eugene Froment property. But when both brothers died within a month of each other, Clarence Hayward took over the shingle and sawmill. Hayward, whose father, Barzillai, operated a mill on Pescadero Creek, cleared out all the remaining timber, including one huge tree with twisted grain that other lumbermen had rejected. From this tree, which measured 16 or 17 feet in diameter, Hayward made more than one million shingles.

When Hayward completed his work, he sold the shingle mill to Borden and Hatch, who moved the operation into the Purisima Canyon. After fire destroyed the sawmill in 1907, the sounds of lumbering in the nearby Tunitas Canyon ceased—and all the inhabitants of "Grabtown" vanished, leaving no memories of their life there behind." (Lumbering Legends: Grabtown & Gordon's Chute by June Morrall. (<http://www.halfmoonbaymemories.com/?p=9510>))

"Mr. Clarence Decatur Hayward was serving his sixth term as Assessor of San Mateo County when his sudden and entirely unexpected death on January 21, 1916, deprived the county of one of its most trusted and highly respected servants.

Mr. Hayward was born in 1863, and spent the early part of his life at the home of his parents in Pescadero, San Mateo County. Part of his youth was spent working in his father's lumber

mill where he acquired a knowledge of the lumber business. He was elected Assessor of San Mateo County In 1894, and has held that office ever since.

Mr. Hayward is the son of B. and Cornelia S. Hayward, and is survived by Mrs. Maud Merrill Hayward, Mrs. A. S. Kelenborn, and Mrs. David Moore. He was a member of Redwood Lodge of Masons, San Mateo Elks Club and Redwood City Native Sons. The Hayward home is located in Redwood Highlands, Redwood City, San Mateo County." (Source: History of San Mateo County)

Clarence died of a gunshot wound to his head, "while temporarily insane". His brother George also died by suicide.

In 1918, Maud went to Peru to assist in the household of a daughter. In 1920, she lived with her brother Charles Merrill in Berkeley, Alameda Co., CA. In 1930, she was head of her own household in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., CA. In 1940, she lived in Palo Alto, Santa Clara Co., CA.

He married Maud Merrill, 2 May 1884 in Alameda Co., CA,²⁸⁰ b. 28 Dec 1862 in Methuen, Essex Co., MA,¹¹² (daughter of Sylvester Merrill and Emma Smith), d. 23 Oct 1943 in Santa Clara, Santa Clara Co., CA.^{279,281}

- 278 ii. Mary S. Hayward b. 12 Aug 1863 in San Mateo Co., CA,²⁸¹ d. 31 Jan 1945 in Alameda Co., CA,^{263,281} buried in Mount Hope Cem., Pescadero, San Mateo Co., CA.²⁶³ In 1900 and 1910, David and Mary Moore lived in San Mateo Co., CA. In 1920, they lived in Redwood City, San Mateo Co. Mary, now a widow, continued to live in Redwood City in 1930. In 1940, Mary was an "inmate" Masonic Home for the Aged in Washington, Alameda Co., CA. The census notes she had lived there in 1935 as well. Presumably she died there.

"PIONEER PASSES TODAY AT HOME IN REDWOOD CITY. David E. Moore, for many years chief janitor of the county court house at Redwood City and said to have been one of the first children born of American parents in San Mateo county, died today at his home. He was the son of one of the first pioneer families of Pescadero, brother of Eli, William and Joseph Moore, and Mrs. Charles Steele of Pescadero. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Moore, a son Harold E., and a daughter, Mrs. Maude Witherly. Funeral services under auspices of the Redwood City Lodge of Masons will be held at 10 o'clock Monday morning. Interment will be in the family plot at Pescadero."

She married David Eugene Moore, 24 Feb 1884 in San Mateo Co., CA,²⁸² b. 26 Mar 1858 in Pescadara, San Mateo Co., CA,²⁶³ (son of Alexander Moore and Adaline Spainhour), d. 29 Oct 1927 in San Mateo Co., CA,²⁷⁴ buried in Mount Hope Cem., Pescadero, San Mateo Co., CA.²⁶³

- 279 iii. George Norman Hayward b. Mar 1867 in San Mateo Co., CA,²⁶³ d. 8 Nov 1891 in Haywards Mill, San Mateo, CA,²⁸³ buried in Mount Hope Cem., Pescadero, San Mateo Co., CA.²⁶³ "The husband of Miss Lizzie Pringle, at one time teacher of the Ryans Slough school in this county, suicided recently at Pescadero. His name was George Hayward, and he was insane,

caused by the loss of sleep and worry over his wife's serious illness. He cut his throat with a razor." (Ferndale Enterprise (Ferndale, California) 20 Nov 1891, Fri, page 1)

Lizzie married second, Will H. Nichol, in 1894.

He married Lizzie Bell Pringle, 1 Jul 1891 in Pescadara, San Mateo Co., CA,²⁸² b. 7 Jun 1866 in CA,²⁸¹ (daughter of William Pringle and Sarah Dunn), d. 27 Jan 1953 in Alameda Co., CA.²⁸¹

- 280 iv. Jessie Cornelia Hayward b. Feb 1870 in San Mateo Co., CA, d. 21 Jun 1934 in San Mateo Co., CA.²⁷⁴ In 1900, Jessie lived with her parents in San Mateo Co., CA. In 1910, she lived with her husband Walter Ray and 4 year old Eleanor in San Mateo Co., CA. In 1920, they lived in Santa Clara, Santa Clara Co., CA. In 1940, they lived in Redwood City, San Mateo Co., CA. Eleanor still lived at home. Later, she married Brenton B. Werder.

She married Walter L. Ray, bet 1900-1910 in San Mateo Co., CA (prob), b. 25 Apr 1863 in San Mateo Co., CA (prob),²⁸¹ (son of Richard T. Ray and Martha Powers), d. 4 Mar 1949 in Santa Clara Co., CA.²⁸¹

141. **Julia C. Rublee aka⁴ Hubbard** (Norman³ Rublee, Dea., Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 2 Apr 1843 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,¹¹⁴ d. 22 Mar 1915 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹⁴ buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴ Julia is placed as a child of Norman Rublee's because she is listed a sister to Charles A. Rublee in his 1913 estate records. Her name at that time was Julia Skinner. She is also mentioned as a sister of Francis Rublee Sanborn's extensive obituary.

In the History of Princeton, Mass. section on the Skinner family, Julia's surname is given as Hubbard. Apparently after Mary (Hubbard) Rublee died in 1845, her first cousin Simon Hubbard and his wife Caroline (Bennett), who were childless, adopted Julia, then just under two years old. By 1850, she lived with them in Holden, MA. Simon was then 45; Caroline was 42 and Julia was 7. The place of birth for all three was given as Massachusetts. They continued to live in Holden in 1860. Julia's place of birth was now given as Vermont.

In 1860, Artemas Skinner, age 24, lived with his parents in Princeton, Worcester Co., MA. In 1880, Artemas and Julia Skinner lived in Holden, Worcester, MA with the children listed. Artemas Skinner served in the Civil War as a musician in the 22nd Massachusetts Volunteers.

In 1900, Art and Julia Skinner lived in Worcester, MA. Fred, Annie [Wentworth], Sadie, George, May and Philip all lived with them. Julia's birth is given as April 1843, in Vermont. Both of her parents' place of birth is given as Massachusetts. The Skinners were the parents of seven children, six living. Artemas was employed as a pattern maker. Also in the home were sons and daughters Fred, age 31; Sadie L., age 26; George F., age 20; Mary L. age 18 and daughter Annie Wentworth, age 28, who was a widow.

In 1910, Artemas' name is given as Amos in the census. He and Julia continued to live in Worcester. Marion L. (age 27), Philip (age 24) and Annie [Wentworth] (age 38) lived with them. Now Julia's father's place of birth is given as the United States and her mother's as Vermont.

In 1920, Artemas lived with daughter Sarah L. and her husband Elmer J. Preston in Shrewsbury, MA. He was 83 years old and a widow.

Julia's death certificate gives her place of birth as Barre, VT and her parents as Simon Hubbard and Caroline Bennett. On her gravestone, Julia's name is given as Julia C. Hubbard Skinner.

She married **Artemus Howe "Art" Skinner**, 25 May 1867 in Holden, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² b. 1 Aug 1836 in Princeton, Worcester Co., MA,²⁸⁵ (son of **Harlow Fisher Skinner** and **Sarah Lucinda Howe**), d. 15 May 1921 in Shrewsbury, Worcester Co., MA, buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴

Children:

- 281 i. Frederick Artemas⁵ Skinner b. 22 Oct 1868 in Holden, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 1952 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.¹⁷²

He married Georgia "Georgie" D. (Ford) Dodge, 25 Nov 1903 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² b. 1 Dec 1867 in Grafton, Worcester Co., MA,²⁸⁶ (daughter of Amherst J. Ford and Sarah A. Hall), d. aft 1940 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA?

- 282 ii. Robert Winthrop Skinner b. 25 Feb 1870 in Millbury, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 7 Jul 1872 in Holden, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² buried in Evergreen Cem., Leominster, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁷

- 283 iii. Annie Gertrude Skinner b. 11 Feb 1872 in Millbury, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 11 Aug 1918 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,²⁸⁸ buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴

She married Harry Benning Wentworth, 23 Mar 1893 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² b. 4 Feb 1872 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² (son of Charles William Wentworth and Sarah J. Blodgett), d. 14 Aug 1898 at sea. Harry Wentworth served in the 2nd Massachusetts Infantry Co. G during the Spanish American War at Santiago Cuba.

- 284 iv. Sarah Louise "Sadie" Skinner b. 26 Jan 1874 in Holden, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 1942 in Shrewsbury, Worcester Co., MA,^{289,172} buried in Mountain View Cem., Shrewsbury, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁹

She married Elmer Julius Preston, 1 Jan 1902 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² b. 27 Jul 1862 in Groton, Middlesex Co., MA,¹¹² (son of Julius Preston and Charlotte A. Sanderson), d. 1932 in Shrewsbury, Worcester Co., MA,^{289,172} buried in Mountain View Cem., Shrewsbury, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁹ Elmer J. was a widower when he married Sarah Skinner. She was his third wife.

- 285 v. George Francis Skinner b. 24 Jun 1879 in Holden, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 1935 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹⁷² buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴ George and Jennie lived in Worcester, MA in 1910, 1920 and 1930. In 1940, a widowed Jennie still lived in Worcester.

He married Jennie Alton Ward, 3 Jan 1905 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² b. abt 1878 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA (prob) (daughter of Samuel W. Ward and Sarah A. Alton), d. aft 1940 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA?

- 286 vi. Marion "May" Lucinda Skinner b. 14 May 1882 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 1951 in Shrewsbury, Worcester Co., MA,¹⁷² buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴ Marion lived with her parents in Worcester in 1910. In 1920, she boarded in the home of Edward and Cora Bostwick in Worcester. She was a bookkeeper at a mill. In 1930, she lived with her sister Sarah and husband Elmer Preston in Shrewsbury, MA.
- 287 vii. Phillip Howe Skinner b. 13 Dec 1885 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,^{290,291} d. Oct 1964 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA?,²⁸⁴ buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴ In 1910, Philip lived with his parents in Worcester, MA, at age 24. By 1920, he was married and living in Worcester.

He married Laura A. Giddings, 1917 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,²⁹² b. 15 Mar 1888 in Worcester, Worcester Co., MA,²⁹¹ (daughter of James E. Giddings and Anna Newcroft), d. 1980,²⁸⁴ buried in Hope Cem., Worcester, Worcester Co., MA.²⁸⁴

144. **Calvin "James"⁴ Hall** (Almira³ Rublee, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Oct 1824 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹²⁰ d. 11 Jan 1868 in Cheyenne City, Dakota Territory, WY,¹²⁰ buried in Cheyenne, Laramie Co., WY? . Calvin J. Hall's marriage to "Clarisa" Rublee is recorded in the Quincy Hall family bible. Where they lived in 1850 is unclear. Son James' place of birth is consistently given as New York. I could not find them in the 1850 census in New York or elsewhere. The Halls apparently moved around a bit, given the various places of birth for their children.

The Halls were counted in Little Falls in the 1857 Minnesota Territorial Census. Places of birth for both was Vermont. Their children were James, Josephine and John who were ages 6, 3, and 6 months. In 1860 James and Clara continued to live in Little Falls. Children were James, Josephine, Edward and Charles J. who were ages 9, 5, 3 and 8 months. Their places of birth were given as VT.

"The pioneer attorney was James Hall, who came to Little Falls in 1856. He practiced until 1863, when he caught the Pike's Peak fever and went to that famous spot in the Rocky mountains, where it is related he became quite wealthy from his gold mining and other operations. He returned to St. Cloud, Minnesota, and again entered the practice of his chosen profession. Again in 1871, having property interests in the vicinity of Pike's Peak, he went there and on his return trip died at Cheyenne. At the first state election he was elected as district judge, but soon thereafter resigned in favor of Hon. E. O. Hamlin." (History of Morrison & Todd Counties, Minnesota, Illustrated, Volume 1, by Clara K. Fuller (1915))

"Died. To-day about noon. Judge James Hall, a member of the firm of Hall and Ford. Judge Hall was formerly judge of the Sixth Judicial District in Minnesota, and at one time a prominent candidate for Congress in that state. He was one of the early pioneers of Colorado and occupied many prominent positions there and was one of the founders of the city of Denver. To his friends in the East and in Colorado, we can say, few men have made a more favorable impression in the community during his short residence in Cheyenne than Judge Hall. His family lives in St. Paul, Minnesota. A meeting of the members of the Bar was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at City Hall, to give expression of their appreciation of a good man."

"Sad News. A telegram on last Monday brought the painful and unexpected news of the death of Judge James Hall, of this city, at Cheyenne, Colorado, on Saturday. No particulars are given further than that

the remains have been forwarded to this place. This intelligence caused a feeling of sadness to pervade the entire community, Judge Hall having been esteemed as one of our best citizens. When he left he was in his usual robust health. He leaves a wife and several young children." (The St Cloud Journal (Saint Cloud, Minnesota) 16 Jan 1868, Thu, page 3

In 1870, Clara, whose name is given as C. H. Hall, was head of household. She lived in St. Cloud, Stearns Co., MN. Her place of birth is given as Canada West. James A., Cary A, Edward S., Frank E. and Harrie [Henry?] W. Hall lived with her. Their states of birth are as given here. In the 1875 MN Territorial Census, it is given as VT. In 1880, Clara was a widow living in Saint Cloud, Stearns Co., MN. Her place of birth is given at Canada, and her parents VT.

Clara appears in the City Directory for St. Paul, MN in 1886, 1890, and 1891.

He married **Clarissa "Clara" H. Rublee**, 29 Oct 1845 in WI?, b. abt 1830 in VT or Canada (daughter of **Alvah Rublee** [1802 - 1844] and **Martha "Patty" Kent** [1804 - 1886]), d. aft 1891 in St. Paul, Ramsey Co., MN? Clara is placed in this family as a placeholder. However, Calvin James Hall reportedly married his childhood playmate. This absolutely fits with her being a previously unknown daughter of Alvah Rublee.

Children:

- 288 i. James O.⁵ Hall b. 1851 in NY, d. 7 Sep 1919 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co., CA,²⁷⁴ buried in Woodlawn Mem. Park, Colma, San Mateo Co., CA.²⁹³

He married Charlotte C. Chance, M.D., 1876 in MN, b. 6 Jun 1857 in Rochester, Olmstead Co., MN,^{293,294} (daughter of Thomas Chance and Elizabeth Tintsman), d. 1 Dec 1921 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co., CA,^{293,294} buried in Woodlawn Mem. Park, Colma, San Mateo Co., CA.²⁹³ Charlotte was a graduate of the University of Minnesota Medical School, Minneapolis, in 1899. She practiced medicine in St. Paul, MN and San Francisco, CA.

- 289 ii. Clara "Josephine" "Carry" Hall b. abt 1855 in IA, d. aft 1880.
290 iii. John Hall b. abt 1856 in Little Falls Village, Morrison Co., MN, d. bef 1860 in Little Falls Village, Morrison Co., MN.
291 iv. Edward Soltice Hall b. 28 Dec 1857 in Little Falls Village, Morrison Co., MN, d. 27 Aug 1935 in Elbowoods, McLean Co., ND, buried in Immaculate Conception Cem., Raub, McLean Co., ND.²⁹⁵ Ed Hall was the first white settled of Mountainrail C., ND. His wife was Native American. Peppermint was her tribal name.

EDWARD S. HALL, 78, DIES AT ELBOWOODS Frontiersman, Trader, Rancher Was One of State's First Settlers. Edward S. Hall, frontiersman and colorful characters, died at Elbowoods Aug 27, according to word received here. He was was 78 years old. Hall Journeyed with his parents from Minnesota to Fort Laramie, Wyo., in 1861, when still a child and since had lived in the west. When a boy of 12 in 1869, he arrived at Fort Union with a bull train and in 1873-78 he served with both the American and Canadian boundary commissions. Alter serving as a mule-whacker for Benteen's pack train on the way to the Little Big Horn In 1876, he carried mail from Bismarck to Fort Buford, The year 1881 saw him operating a woodyard for river steam boats along the Missouri in McKenzie county and later he started a trading

post at the mouth of White Earth Creek. He has long been regarded the first permanent white settler in Mountrail county.

In 1893, the Indians having moved out of the country, Hall became a horse rancher and in 1902 moved his family to Elbowoods where he since had resided. During his early days at the trading post he was married to Celestial Malnorie, daughter of Charles Malnorie and a Gros Ventre woman. Six children were born to them, including Ed Hall, Jr., and "Pem" Hall at Elbowoods; Mrs. M. M. Danks; James of Dunn county; Celestial and Mattie of Lodge Grass, Mont., and Mrs. Anna White, Lawrence, Kansas. Hall was buried at Elbowoods beside the grave of his wife, Father Reinhardt officiating. (The Bismarck Tribune (Bismarck, North Dakota) 10 Sep 1935, Tue, page 2).

He married Celestial "Peppermint" Malnourie, b. 1863 (daughter of Charles Malnourie), d. 1933.

- 292 v. Charles J. Hall b. abt 1859 in Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN, d. bef 1880?
- 293 vi. Frank Edward (or Everett) Hall b. abt 1862 in Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN, d. 23 Oct 1943 in Little Falls Morrison Co., MN,²⁹⁶ buried in Oakland Cem., Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN.²⁹⁶

He married Emma Bahr, 24 Apr 1907 in Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN,²⁹⁶ b. 9 May 1893 in Germany,²⁹⁶ d. 26 Mar 1967 in Knife River, Lake Co., MN,²⁹⁶ buried in Oakland Cem., Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN.²⁹⁶

- 294 vii. William Henry Hall b. 29 Jul 1863 in Denver, Denver Co., CO, d. 29 Jan 1954 in Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN,²⁶ buried in Oakland Cem., Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN.²⁹⁶ "Morrison County Legislator Dies Little Falls, Minn. William H. Hall, 90, former Morrison county register of deeds and a state legislator, died Thursday. He was register of deeds from 1900 to 1906 and a state representative from 1934 to 1940. Hall was assistant postmaster of Little Falls from 1893 to 1898. Retiring from his grocery business here in 1912, Hall served with the internal revenue department in St. Paul from 1913 to 1933. Born at Denver, Colo., Hall moved with his parents to the St. Cloud area in 1865." (St. Cloud Times (Saint Cloud, Minnesota) 30 Jan 1954, Sat, page 5).

He married Minnie Alice Farnam, 29 May 1888 in Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN,²⁹⁶ b. 1 Oct 1872 in Two Rivers, Morrison Co., MN,²⁹⁶ (daughter of William Lewis Farnam and Maria Anna Lambert), d. 28 Jan 1957 in Otter Tail Co., MN,²⁹⁶ buried in Oakland Cem., Little Falls, Morrison Co., MN.²⁹⁶

- 145. **Chauncy Moore⁴ Hall** (Almira³ Rublee, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 25 Nov 1827 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,^{297,120} d. 23 Jan 1899 in Chehalis, LeSueur Co., MN,^{298,299} buried in Lake Gorman Cem., Cordova, LeSueur Co., MN.²⁹⁹ Chauncey Hall removed to WI with his parents in 1840. In 1860, Chauncy and Olive lived in Buffalo, Marquette Co., WI. In 1867, they settled in Minnesota. In 1870, they lived in Carlos, Douglas Co., MN. Chauncy's father Quincy Hall lived with them. In 1880 and 1885, they lived in Kilkenny, Le Sueur Co., MN.

He married **Olive Thurber**, 29 Jan 1852 in Kingston, Green Lake Co., WI,³⁰⁰ b. 15 Mar 1833 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁰⁰ (daughter of **Russell Thurber** [1799 -] and **Lucy Kendall** [1806 - 1876]), d. 15 Apr 1900 in Waterville, Le Sueur Co., MN,^{300,26} buried in Lake Gorman Cem., Cordova, LeSueur Co., MN.²⁹⁹

Children:

- 295 i. Orin J.⁵ Hall b. 16 Jul 1854 in Buffalo, Marquette Co., WI,³⁰⁰ d. 18 Oct 1934 in Waterville, Le Sueur Co., MN,²⁶ buried in Lake Gorman Cem., Cordova, LeSueur Co., MN.²⁹⁹ Orin Hall lived on his farm near Waterville, MN (Elliot, 1911, page 93) He was living in Waterville in 1920, a widower. I do not find him in 1930.

He married Mary Anna Maether, 19 Nov 1877 in Ellsworth, Pierce Co., WI,³⁰¹ b. 24 May 1862 in IL,³⁰¹ (daughter of John Maether and Julia Rupert), d. 24 Jun 1908 in Waterville, Le Sueur Co., MN,³⁰¹ buried in Lake Gorman Cem., Cordova, LeSueur Co., MN.²⁹⁹

- 296 ii. Henry Ova Hall b. 15 May 1862 in Buffalo, Marquette Co., WI,³⁰⁰ d. 12 Jul 1865 in Portage, Columbia Co., WI,³⁰⁰ buried in Fuller Cem., Marcellon, Columbia Co., WI. Henry Hall died at age 3 at Portage City, WI (Obituary for Chauncey Hall, The Waterville Advance, February 1, 1899).
- 297 iii. Infant Son Hall d. bef 1870. This child died in infancy (Elliot, 1911, page 52).

147. **Ova Hoyt⁴ Hall** (Almira³ Rublee, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 3 Dec 1836 in Champion, Jefferson Co., NY,¹²⁰ d. 27 Dec 1921 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA.¹⁴⁷ Ova Hall's place of birth is consistently given as New York in the census.

He married **Hannah or Anna Rublee**, 11 Feb 1868 in WI (prob), b. May 1833 in VT (daughter of **Alonzo Rublee** [1805 - 1870] and **Lucy Chadsey** [1805 - 1842]), d. 4 Nov 1913 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁴ In 1850, Hannah Rublee was 16 and living in Racine, Racine Co., WI with the Isaiah F. Parker Family. Anna's mother had died in 1842, when she was about 9 years old. Perhaps she went to live with the Parker family after that time. Isaiah Parker was related to the Rublees by marriage. Hannah's grandmother Eloyce (Gray) Rublee was a sister of Isaiah's mother Bathsheba (Gray) Parker. Bathsheba's husband was Ariel Parker.

Francis Manville Rublee, son of Francis and Eloyce (Gray) Rublee married in Racine Co. in 1845. He was born in 1814.

In 1850, George Vantine lived in Racine with his parents. He was a grocer, age 30, born in NY. In 1860, G. H. and Hannah Vantine lived in Rushford, Winnebago Co., WI with their two children Kate and Mattie. George was 39, born in OH (probably an error. He appears to have been born in NY) and Hannah 26, born in VT. Kate was 7 and Mattie 1, both born in WI.

George Van Tine served in the Civil War. Anna Hall applied for a pension in 1908, from California.

By 1870, Hannah/Anna married her second cousin Ova Hall. Ova and Anna Hall lived in Carlos, MN in 1870. Ova was 33, born in NY and Anna was 35, born in VT. In the home was Mattie Vantine, age 11, born in WI. Hannah's older daughter Catherine did not move to Minnesota. She was living with William and Martha (Powell) Chipman in Burlington, Racine, WI. See notes for Catherine for more information.

In 1880, an O. H. Hall (or A. H.?), age 42, born in NY, lived in Gunnison, Gunnison, CO. His wife Anna, age 42, was born in VT (as were both of her parents). Children were Mattie, age 20; Leffie, age 9; both born in WI; and Edith, age 6; Hoyt, age 5, both born in MN. This was a mining town. O. H. Hall was a freighter. They continued to live there in 1885.

In 1900, Ova Hoyt Hall and wife Hannah lived in Montrose, Montrose, CO. Ova was born in Dec 1835 in NY. Hannah was born in May 1836 (she was age 64) in Vermont. Her parents were also born in VT. Hannah had borne 8 children, 6 living. Ova was a farmer. Also in the home was daughter Edith Eversole, born Oct 1873 in MN. She was divorced. Ova and Hannah had been married for 33 years, which would put their marriage about 1867.

In 1910, Ova H. and Anna R. Hall lived in Santa Ana, Orange, CA. They were 73 and 75. They had been married for 42 years. It was Ova's first marriage and Anna's second. Anna had 8 children, 5 living. Ova was born in NY; his parents were born in VT. Anna was born in VT, as were her parents. Daughter Edith H. Eversole was living with them. She was 36, divorced.

"In the death of Mrs. Hannah Rublee Hall, wife of O. H. Hall, senior, on Tuesday, Nov. 4, her family and a wide circle of acquaintances and friends suffered the loss of devoted wife, mother and friend. Born in Burlington, Vermont, Mrs. Hall died in Los Angeles at the age of 78 years. She had lived in New England, the Middle West and in Texas before traveling westward to the Rocky mountains, where for many years she was a resident of the western slope of Colorado in the towns of Gunnison and Montrose, coming from the latter place to Santa Ana, where she resided with her husband for about five years. Two years ago the Halls removed to Los Angeles. Mrs. Hall leaves her husband, O. H. Hall; two daughters, Miss Kate Van Tine of Burlington, Wisconsin, and Mrs. M. M. Mather of Los Angeles; two sons, L. F. J. Hall and Hoyt Hall of Los Angeles. To all who knew her, Mrs. Hall was a model of gentleness, patience and sweetness of character. Practically an invalid for over thirty years, and a "shut-in" for the last few years of her life, she set a beautiful example for others in cheerfulness and serenity. Ever uncomplaining, she comforted others far more fortunate in health and strength than herself. Refined in manner, she exerted a wonderful influence over all with whom she came in contact; of much intellectual and moral strength her leading was always towards the higher things of existence. She will long be lovingly remembered by family and friends. On Thursday last funeral services for Mrs. Hall were held in W. A. Brown's undertaking parlors, Los Angeles, Rev. Chas. H. Seecombe conducting the impressive rites. A funeral car conveyed the remains, the family and close friends to Evergreen Cemetery, Los Angeles, where after a tender prayer said over the [casket covered with lovely flowers sent by many friends, the body of this well-loved woman was cremated in accordance with her wish." (Santa Ana Register (Santa Ana, California) 11 Nov 1913, Tue, page 5

In 1920, Ova was a widower living with daughter Edith Eversole in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., CA.

Children:

- 298 i. Lafayette "Laffie" J.⁵ Hall b. abt 1871 in MN, d. Nov 1914 in Gold Roads, AZ. DEATH OF L. J. HALL AT GOLD ROADS, ARIZONA. News was received here recently of the death of L. J. Hall, eldest son of O. H. Hall and the late Mrs. O. H. Hall, and brother of Hoyt Hall and Mrs. Edith Eversole, all of whom resided here till within the past two years. The deceased young man spent several months here three years ago and made a number of acquaintances who will

regret to hear of his death. Mr. Hall died suddenly on the desert, at Gobi Roads, Arizona, where he had operated in mines off and on for several seasons. His brother, Hoyt Hall, formerly bookkeeper for A. N. Zerman, but now of the Globe Mills, Whittier, was notified by telegraph of the death, and went to Arizona at once to take charge of the funeral arrangements. The body of the deceased was taken to Kingman, Arizona, for burial, and after a funeral service that was attended by a large concourse of the mining men he had known and fraternized with so long. "Fay" Hall, as he was best known to Colorado and coast friends, was laid to rest in the desert where he had spent so many years of his later life. Big hearted, a friend true as steel and liked by all who knew him best, Fay Hall will be mourned by scores of friends in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado and on the wide spaces of the desert country in California and Arizona." (Santa Ana Register (Santa Ana, California) 18 Nov 1914, Wed, page 5)

Gold Roads or Goldroad was a mining town that is now a ghost town in Mohave County, AZ, located near the town of Oatman.

- 299 ii. Edith Hall b. 12 Oct 1873 in St. Cloud, Stearns Co., MN,²⁸¹ d. 30 Jun 1975 in Alameda Co., CA.²⁸¹ In 1900, Edith (Hall) Eversole lived with her parents Ova and Anna R. Hall in Montrose, Montrose, CO. She was divorced. She continued to live with her parents in 1910, now in Santa Ana Ward 4, Orange, California. In 1920, she lived with her father in Pasadena, Los Angeles, CA. She was a clerk in a post office. In 1940, Edith lived in Los Angeles, CA. She was a boarder, age 66, and was not working.

"Mrs. Edith Eversole. Family services were held today for Mrs. Edith H. Eversole, who died here Monday at age 102. Born in St. Cloud. Minn., Mrs. Eversole came to California shortly after the turn of the century and lived a long while in Los Angeles before moving to Berkeley about 25 years ago. She was active in the Mother Church of Christ, Scientist. Despite her advanced years, she was alert and interested in the life around her up until her final illness. She is survived by a niece, Mrs. Milton L. Selby of Orinda." (Oakland Tribune (Oakland, California) 3 Jul 1975, Thu, page 36)

There is a memorial for an Edith H. Eversole, ashes interred 2 Sep 1984, in the Mountain View Cemetery in Oakland, Alameda Co., CA. This is probably the same person, even though her ashes were interred so long after her death. David Johnson, who transferred the memorial to me said: "So many of the niches at Mountain View had a solid cover with last names only. I discovered a 3x5 file cabinet available to the public so I transcribed the information from the files. The only date on the cards was the date of placement which, I thought, was better than nothing. Besides, in most cases, that date is proximate to the date of death anyway. The "Memorial Sanctuary" is closed to the public and, apparently, was sold as an economical way to store the ashes at the cemetery in the 80's & 90's. Maybe relatives had the best intention of buying a niche at a later date, but never did."

She married W. H. Eversole, 13 Jan 1895 in Montrose Co., CO,³⁰² b. abt 1865.

- 300 iii. Ova "Hoyt" Hall b. 14 Mar 1874 in MN, d. 27 Jun 1945 in Alameda Co., CA.²⁸¹ In 1910, Hoyt and Pauline lived with Pauline's parents in Santa Ana Ward 2, Orange, CA. In 1920, they were living in Los Angeles. In 1930, they lived in Montebello, Los Angeles, CA.

He married Pauline Roberts, 14 Jan 1902 in Montrose Co., CO,³⁰³ b. 23 Mar 1878 in Colorado Springs, El Paso Co., CO (prob),²⁸¹ (daughter of Abe Roberts and Kate Kennedy), d. 8 Oct 1940 in Riverside Co., CA.²⁸¹

154. **Clarissa "Clara" H.⁴ Rublee** (Alvah³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee) (See marriage to number 144.)

155. **Horace⁴ Rublee** (Alvah³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 19 Aug 1830 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,¹²⁷ d. 19 Oct 1896 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co., WI,^{304,305} buried Ashes interred in Forest Hill Cem., Madison, Dane Co., WI.³⁰⁶ Horace Rublee first engaged in journalism in 1852, when he was a legislative reporter for the Madison Argus. In the spring of 1853, he became editor of the Madison Journal. He bought a half-interest in the paper in 1854, and continued his association with the paper until 1869. From 1856-58, he was the Wisconsin State Librarian and served as chairman of the Wisconsin Republican party from 1858-69. He represented the state at the Republican National Convention held in Chicago in 1868 and was member of the committee that prepared the platform. The following year, he was appointed minister to Switzerland. He resigned this post in 1876 and returned to the United States. He was again chairman of the Wisconsin Republican party from 1877-79. He assumed the job of editor of the Republican and News on 1 Jan 1881 (Western Historical Company, History of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 1881, p. 631).

In 1880, Horace Rublee (age 44, born in VT) lived in Madison, WI with his sister-in-law Martha (Hopkins) Flank, her husband Augustus Flank, in a household that included Martha's father as Ervin Hopkins, age 93, born in NY. Were were Kate and his children?

"Unfortunately, a few years ago one of the most interesting old landmarks in Sheboygan county was torn away and demolished. This was an old frame cabin which stood on the hill on the east side of the river a short distance north of the interurban tracks, and which was the first school house built in Sheboygan county. In this small building, Horace RUBLEE taught the first class of children, and until the district was organized several years later, some of the most prominent men in the later life of the community received their early educational training in this school house." (Sheboygan Press April 29, 1927)

In 1859, Horace Rublee sent this letter to Abraham Lincoln:

Madison, Sept 25, '59.

Dear Sir: You have many friends in Wisconsin who want to see you & hear you. As you will visit the state this week, we have hoped that it might be convenient for you to spend a few days here, & address the people at some principal points on political subjects. We need all the help we can have to keep Wisconsin firm in her adhesion to Republican principles this fall.

A Young Men's Republican Club has just been formed in this city here, & will extend to you an invitation to address them on Saturday or Monday evening next. I earnestly hope that you will make such arrangements on leaving home as will permit you to accept the invitation.

Very truly yours,
Horace Rublee,

Chrmn. Rep. State Central Committee.

[Endorsed on Envelope by Lincoln:]

Horace Rublee

<http://memory.loc.gov/mss/mal/maltext/rtf_orig/mal005f.rtf>.

"A pleasant ride of five hours on the steamer north from Milwaukee, brings one to Sheboygan. It is nineteen years ago, this very month of June, since, one sultry summer night, we say, from the deck of a little schooner - the only craft that then visited the place - the hill which forms the site of the present city loom dimly through the dark. The fireflies that gleamed intermittently along the bushy shores were the only lights visible. The schooner anchored some distance from the land. A scow boat came out and took the half dozen passengers on shore, the writer of this being then a boy of ten. We have always had a vivid memory of that night, or rather morning - for the day was just beginning to dawn in the east - of warm air of the shore, the black piled masses of a thunderstorm gathering in the west, the glittering fireflies more brilliant than we had ever seen before, the scent of the wild roses and strange flowers that loaded the light breeze, and the feeling of awe which the idea of the almost interminable forest that stretched on all sides of the lake, impressed upon us. There were then but two families on the site of the present city. A number of houses had been built in 1837, and subsequently deserted. There was no wagon road that extended more than ten mile back into the country. The mail came once a week from Milwaukee on horseback, over an Indian trail. Eleven families comprised the population of the county. " (Historic Sheboygan County, page 100. From a newspaper article by Horace Rublee originally printed in the Evergreen City (Wisconsin) Times, July 9, 1859.)

Mr. Rublee's Reminiscences

"On occasions like the present one, reminiscences are the order of the day. I, therefore, propose to do a little raking among the embers of the past. I can justly claim to be one of the early settlers of Sheboygan County. My father came here in the autumn of 1839, his family following in June, 1840. The second ten years of my life were mostly spent here. Coming from Milwaukee, on a schooner, no steamer landed at Sheboygan in those days. I vividly remember the transfer from the little craft which anchored off the mouth of the river, in the star-lit quiet of a lovely June night, just before daybreak, to a large scow, which was then rowed into the river, the warm breath of the land wind scented with odors of the forest and of wild flowers, the brilliancy of the fire-flies, the sense of strangeness and romance imparted by the silence of the night and the consciousness of the vast and almost unbroken wilderness into which we were entering, the short walk up a soft, sandy roadway to a square framed building which then served as a lodging house to the seldom coming stranger.

A few hours later, we returned to the scow, and, with our goods and chattels, were rowed up the river to what was known as the "Follett place," the head of river navigation, and about half a mile below a saw mill, in the management of which my father was then interested, and where there was a fairly comfortable, indeed a large house for that period, which we occupied. At that time, I believe, there were but eleven families in the county. Only one, that of Joshua Brown, was to be found at Sheboygan. A mile and a half up the river lived John Johnson, an Englishman with a large family of sons and daughters, who cultivated the adjacent flats, which had long been cleared and used as corn fields by the Indians. Between the mill referred to, now gone, and the Falls, was a unbroken forest with the exception of an

acre or two on a knoll now occupied by a cemetery, where Chas. D. Cole had made a clearing, and planted corn between the stumps.

At the Falls were Chas. D. Cole and Albert Rounsiville with their families, and David Giddings, then unmarried, occupied the only house on the right bank of the river. There was a saw mill on the left bank. A mile or more up the river Deacon Trowbridge with his stalwart boys had begun the farm occupied now by his son. Five miles to the south, John and Benjamin Gibbs had settled and begun clearing farms, and about the same distance to the west, Dye, Firmin, Hoffman and Upham had reared their log habitations and made a small opening in the primitive forest. A road had been cut through the woods to Port Washington the previous winter, by which, once a week, the scanty mail was brought on foot or on horseback. Westward to Fond du Lac and north to Manitowoc the wilderness was traversed only by Indian trails. On the lake shore south of Sheboygan, a few fishermen from Ohio and Michigan lived in summer, returning to their home for the winter. Among them was the Wilson family, who have given their name to the town of Wilson.

During the season of 1840, Col. B.H. Mooers and family came to Sheboygan, and kept the hotel there. A lighthouse keeper named Woolverton, came also that year with his family. He was a florid-faced, middle aged man from Maryland. It denotes the general condition of the colony to recall the fact that Woolverton, with his government salary of \$365 a year, was probably the most affluent person in the county, and regarded as a sort of capitalist who could afford to dress and live in a more sumptuous manner than the others. With the exception of the lighthouse keeper the settlers were all people who earned their daily bread by daily toil. The style of living was plain. Most of the flour used was unbolted wheat and corn ground in a little run of stones set in one corner of the saw mill. Salt pork and salt whitefish were the staple articles of animal food. There was hardly a horse owned in the county except the ponies belonging to the Indians who remained here in considerable numbers. There were few cattle except oxen, and hardly any domestic fowls. The second year my father obtained a pair of fowls. I remember the intense interest with which I watched the growth of the first brood of chickens. They were the most remarkable chickens ever seen, each one had a name, and I can still recall their names and personal appearance of each.

Nearly all the settlers were from the New England states and New York. There was neither clergyman, doctor or lawyer among them. Almost all were under middle age, active, hardy young people. No gray haired men were seen. Deacon Trowbridge was the patriarch. He was about fifty, and regarded as an old man. You all remember him in his serene and beautiful old age for he lived to be a veritable patriarch. Then he was not only a farmer, but the blacksmith of the county, and he occasionally assumed the office of a clergy man and preached on Sundays.

Other arrivals during the same year were a family named Russell and two young men, Worthy McKillip and Starke. Another, William Ashby, better known as "Sam," who had previously spent some time in the county. He and McKillip are still with you, holding places of honor among the pioneers.

The little colony received from year to year some accessions, but the growth was slow until about 1844 or 45 when a plank road was constructed to Fond du Lac. Then steamers began to land at Sheboygan, and settlers to arrive in greater numbers. The German immigration soon followed and land began to be taken and clearings made in all directions.

The pre-plank road period was the true pioneer period in our history. In those days Sheboygan was of little consequence. The Falls was the business and intellectual center. Here was the only post office. Here the elections were held. Here Chas. D. Cole, who was the postmaster and general advisor and business man of the little community, lived. IN the winter at the Falls a debating society held weekly meetings, and the debates were sometimes preceded by an original essay or poem. Nearly everybody took the New York Tribune then edited by Horace Greeley in the heyday of his power. A smattering of phronology had been acquired by some of the citizens and several had read "Combe on the Constitution of Man," a book then much in vogue. Greeley and Combe produced no little mental fermentation, and the social movement known as "Fourierism," which led to the Brook farm experiment, broke out with a good deal of virulence right here in those primitive days.

In the earlier period my father was living on the "Johnson place," Johnson having gone into the wilderness to make a farm in the Gibbs neighborhood, and our relations were with the duller and more conservative region of Sheboygan. Little intellectual stimulus was found there, but the neighborhood of the fishermen and frequent presence of sailors from the little schooners that carried lumber to Milwaukee and Chicago, led during the second year to the opening at Sheboygan, then always spoken of as "The Mouth," of an establishment which was a combination of a very small retail shop and a rather mild type of saloon. It was kept by Mrs. Glass. She was a buxom, apple-cheeked woman of perhaps 45, and wore a white muslin cap with a ruffled border. Her hair and eyes were dark, she was a voluble talker, and a kind hearted but resolute and self-possessed female. Mrs. Glass' stock consisted of a box of crackers, a bladder of snuff, some plug tobacco, a jar of striped peppermint candy, pins and codfish. She also had somewhere on the premises a barrel of whiskey and a decanter filled from it was exposed to the view of the thirsty wayfarer. Occasionally she had a keg of what was known as "strong beer" on tap. Though a business woman Mrs. Glass had a decidedly sentimental side to her character, and possessed a small but very select library of romances including "The Scottish Chiefs," "Thaddeus of Warsaw," "The Romance of the Forest," "The Children of the Abbey" and a blood curdling story entitled "The Three Spaniards." These are books not much read at present, but Mrs. Glass loaned them to me with warm commendations, and I read them with great delight. Mrs. Glass had a husband John, a small quiet person, whom she sometimes required to advance and allow her to smell his breath, when he was suspected of surreptitiously visiting the whiskey barrel. John preferred to keep well in the background.

The third winter, that of 42-43, I profited a little by indirect communication with the intellectual center here at the Falls. It was determined to have a school for three months at "the mouth," and a young man from the Falls, but a new comer was employed as teacher. This young man was Samuel Rounseville, then early in the twenties, an active, bright-eyed, hopeful man. For the most part the school consisted of another boy and myself. Of course, the teacher's duties were not very laborious. He read and smoked a good part of the time. He went to the Falls on debating nights and Sundays, and besides teaching me some arithmetic he loaned me Scott's "Lady of the Lake," "Nicholas Nickleby," "Oliver Twist" and several of Bulwer's novels, which helped to pass the school hours: and wonderfully shortened the long winter evenings. Among my school teachers, I remember none with more kindly feelings than Samuel Rounseville. A year or two later, after a visit east, he brought back a diamond edition of Byron, the first copy of that author's work without doubt ever brought in to the county, and that also he loaned me. Books were scarce here in those days. I had long had my curiosity excited respecting Shakespeare by references to him and quotations prefixed to chapters in novels, before I ever saw a copy of his works. The first one brought in to the county was, I think, by W.W. Kellogg, a lawyer who settled at Sheboygan about 1845. Benjamin Trowbridge was the only man who had a copy of Milton in the pre-plank road era.

I could supply further information of this sort if it were desirable but have already exceeded the limits I had intended to observe.

The grown up men and women of the period referred to have nearly all passed away. But their works remain. By them and those who came a little later, the wilderness has been transformed into one of the richest and most productive districts in the whole country, studded with comfortable homes where dwelled a happy and prosperous people. Only those who saw the beginnings, and who know the hard and straitened lives of the first settlers, can fully appreciate the strenuous toil, the wear and tear of human muscle, the self-denial, the stubborn endurance, the persistent energy required to clear away the tangled forest, to break up the soil filled with stumps and interlacing roots, to build roads and fences while maintaining themselves and their families, and to bring the great work on to its present stage of advancement. If he who causes two blades of grass to spring where but one grew before is a public benefactor, what shall we say of those to whose strenuous toil is due the broad meadows and pastures and productive fields that have supplanted the wilderness? The pioneers of Sheboygan county accomplished a great work. Their names may not be inscribed on monuments, or preserved in history; but the work they accomplished will remain a permanent benefit to succeeding generations.

The poet of Faust makes his hero begin with an insatiable craving for all knowledge and all delight, to end, after sounding every depth of learning and philosophy and after exhausting all the phases of earthly pleasure, by finding his final and supremest satisfaction in reclaiming the waste places of the earth and fitting them to become the habitation of his fellow men and the seats of civilization and culture: Such was the work performed by the pioneers of this county, and their successors will do well to cherish and honor their memory and to strive, like them "To plant the great hereafter in this now."

He married **Katherine "Kate" Hopkins**, 8 Oct 1857 in WI (prob),^{130,307} b. 8 May 1832 in Granville, Washington Co., NY,^{307,306} (daughter of **Ervin Hopkins** [1787 - 1880] and **Catherine Campbell**), d. 21 Apr 1921 in Lakewood, Ocean Co., NJ,³⁰⁶ buried in Forest Hill Cem., Madison, Dane Co., WI.³⁰⁸ Kate (Hopkins) Rublee was from Washington County, NY, where her family was prominent. When her brother Judge James Campbell Hopkins died in Madison, WI, an informative article about the family was published. Kate's parents originally lived in Pawlet, VT. They moved to Hebron, NY - and were living there at the time of the 1830 census. Presumably, Kate was born there. Then then moved to Granville, NY and finally to Wisconsin.

Katherine is listed as a graduate of Emma Willard's Troy [NY] Female Seminary, in the history of the school. (Emma Willard and her pupils, or, Fifty years of Troy Female Seminary: 1822-1872. New York: Mrs. R. Sage, 1898, 962 pgs.)

After her husband's death, Mrs. Rublee lived in Princeton, New Jersey (Newspaper article reprinted in Berger, 1974, unpagged). In 1910, she lived in Lakewood, Ocean, NJ. She was then 65. She was head of her own household, which included a female servant, Elizabeth Bagel. She was born in NY, and was the mother of 3 children, only 1 living.

In 1914, she lived in Princeton, NJ.

Children:

- 301 i. Katherine "Kate"⁵ Rublee b. 18 Oct 1858 in Madison, Dane Co., WI,³⁰⁷ d. 14 Jul 1876 Dresden, Saxony, Switzerland,³⁰⁷ buried in Forest Hill Cem., Madison, Dane Co., WI. Katherine Rublee died of diphtheria at age eighteen, in Switzerland, while at school. (Newspaper article reprinted in Berger, 1974).
- + 302 ii. William Alvah Rublee b. 16 Mar 1861.
- 303 iii. George C. Rublee b. 7 Jul 1868 in Madison, Dane Co., WI,³⁰⁹ d. 26 Apr 1957 in Manhattan, New York, NY,³¹⁰ buried in Chase Cem., Cornish, NH.³¹¹ "Draft for American National Biography (1996)

Rublee, George (7 July 1868 - 26 April 1957), corporate and international lawyer, and advisor to Presidents Theodore Roosevelt, Woodrow Wilson, and Franklin D. Roosevelt, was born in Madison, Wisconsin, the son of Horace Rublee, editor and publisher of the Milwaukee Sentinel, and Kate Hopkins Rublee. Rublee made a variety of contributions to public affairs between 1910 and 1940, the most noteworthy of which include his role in the creation of the Federal Trade Commission, his work as American delegate to the Allied Maritime Transport Council during World War I, and his role as director of the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees from Germany in 1938-1939, the object of which was to reach agreement on a plan for the resettlement of Germany's Jews.

George Rublee's first seven years were spent in Geneva where his father served as U.S. minister to Switzerland. Rublee graduated from Harvard with an A.B. in 1890, spent two years in Europe, and graduated from the Harvard Law School in 1895. Between 1895 and 1897 he worked at law firms in New York and Chicago and taught contract law at the Harvard Law School for one semester in 1896. Rublee's career significantly improved when he became the assistant of Victor Morawetz, an astute Wall Street financial lawyer, in January, 1898. While working with Morawetz on the formation of the U.S. Steel Company, Rublee gained an in-depth knowledge of corporate and anti-trust law which was important to his later work establishing the Federal Trade Commission.

Rublee married Juliet Barrett, the independent-minded daughter of a wealthy Chicago manufacturer, in January, 1899, and by 1901 he had made a substantial fortune in the stock market. The Rublees spent the majority of 1903-1906 in Europe, with intermittent work in New York. While living near Stockholm during much of 1903, Rublee became a regular tennis partner of the crown prince of Sweden, later Gustav V. In 1906, Rublee studied diplomatic history in Paris at the Ecole Libre des Sciences Politiques.

The Rublees returned to America in 1906 and purchased a home in Cornish, New Hampshire, an artist and literary community whose residents included the sculptor Augustus Saint Gaudens, the etcher Stephen Parrish and his more famous son Maxfield Parrish, Norman Hapgood publisher of Collier's Weekly, and Herbert Croly editor of the New Republic. In late 1909, Hapgood invited Rublee to attend a strategy meeting with Louis Brandeis concerning the wrongful acquisition of coal under public land that later came to be known as the Ballinger-Pinchot affair. Rublee soon began assisting Brandeis at the Congressional hearings in Washington and he eventually wrote much of Brandeis's brief of the case. Rublee's private work on this highly publicized case marked the beginning of his behind-the-scenes influence in public affairs.

During the height of the progressive insurgency, Rublee served as an advisor to Robert Perkins Bass's successful campaign for Governor of New Hampshire, and advised Theodore Roosevelt throughout his Bull Moose campaign in 1912. Rublee moved to Washington in 1913 when Brandeis asked him to help draft President Woodrow Wilson's anti-trust legislation. Rublee's version of the Federal Trade Commission, the center piece of which was the provision to outlaw "unfair methods of competition" rather than enumerated specific practices, was adopted by Wilson and Brandeis in 1914, and Rublee was appointed an original member of the commission in 1915. Rublee's confirmation, however, never passed the Senate because Senator Jacob Gallinger of New Hampshire denounced Rublee, who had supported the senator's rival in 1914, as "personally obnoxious" and thus blocked the nomination by what was termed Senatorial Courtesy. Rublee nevertheless served on the commission through December, 1916, by recess appointment.

Rublee made a series of important contributions to Wilson's administration during World War I. He helped organize the Commercial Emergency Board of the Advisory Council of National Defense, served as counselor to the Emergency Fleet Corporation, and was the United States Shipping Board representative on the priorities committee of the War Industries Board. In January, 1918, Rublee traveled to London with former congressman Raymond B. Stevens, where they served as America's delegates on the Allied Maritime Transport Council throughout the remainder of the war. This council allocated all available tonnage between the Allied powers in such a way as to make the most economical use of ships and their cargo. Rublee remained in Europe during the armistice period and was a member of the staff of the American Commission to Negotiate Peace.

In 1921, Rublee became a partner in Edward Burling's and Harry Covington's recently established law firm in Washington, D.C. Rublee's public work resumed in 1928 when he went to Mexico to serve as advisor to Ambassador Dwight Morrow. Rublee was instrumental in helping Morrow reconcile the bloody rift between the Mexican government and the Catholic church. Rublee next assisted Morrow at the London Naval Conference on disarmament in 1930, where the two succeeded in obtaining France's and Italy's agreement to much of the disarmament proposals that were completely accepted by the United States, Britain, and Japan. Finally, Rublee served as Morrow's political advisor during his successful campaign for U.S. Senator in 1930.

From 1931 to 1933, through the recommendation of the United States Department of State, Rublee served as special advisor to Columbian president Enrique Olaya Herrera. Rublee successfully arranged an agreement between the Columbian government and American oil companies over the Barco oil concession, and he gained United States support for Columbia's retention of the Letician province of Columbia after Peru seized it in 1932. In 1933, Rublee served as arbitrator opposite Frank Morrison in a labor dispute in the anthracite coal industry, and from 1935 to 1938 he represented the International Committee of Bankers in the restructuring of Mexico's foreign debt.

Rublee's final and most important international appointment came in August, 1938, when President Franklin Roosevelt appointed Rublee to serve as the director of the

Intergovernmental Committee on Political Refugees Coming from Germany, which was created out of the international Evian Conference in July, 1938. Rublee, then seventy, had the very difficult task of trying to formulate an agreement with Germany for the orderly emigration of German Jews, an agreement that could not be formally recognized by either Germany or the Western Powers. Rublee was particularly suited for the task because of his extensive work with European governments from 1918 to 1930 and because of his popularity among Latin American countries; the latter being the most likely area of resettlement for Germany's Jews. After four months of diplomatic maneuvering and a month of negotiation, Rublee reached an agreement with the Nazi government for the immigration of 400,000 German Jews over a five year period. Some efforts to comply with this agreement were carried out until the war began in Europe in September, 1939.

Rublee returned to his law practice in Washington in 1939, but continued to take an active interest in public affairs. In January, 1940, Secretary of State Cordell Hull appointed Rublee as chairman of a subcommittee on the Advisory Committee on Problems of Foreign Relations, on which he served throughout the war. From 1938 to 1944 Rublee was a member of the Board of Overseers of Harvard, and was president of the Harvard Alumni Association in 1947-1948. Rublee received honorary doctorates in law from Dartmouth College in 1931 and from Amherst College in 1940, and was chevalier of the Legion of Honor, France, and a commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy. Rublee died in New York City on April 26, 1957.

The distinguishing characteristic of George Rublee's career was that he carried out his public service without thought of personal gain. Dwight Morrow described Rublee as "a hard working fellow, without any thought of 'blue ribbons'" and the New Republic noted that Rublee was "not a politician nor an office-seeker" but rather "an ideal public servant." Rublee's low profile approach to public affairs coupled with the breadth and depth of his involvement have resulted in his contributions being generally overlooked by historians." <http://www2.lmc.edu/FacultySites/McClureM/biography.htm>

"George Rublee, Former U. S. Aide
Advisor to Presidents from Wilson to Roosevelt Was First Groton Graduate

George Rublee, a Presidential advisor from the administration of Woodrow Wilson to that of Franklin D. Roosevelt, died yesterday afternoon in New York Hospital. His age was 88. He had complained of feeling ill when he returned with his wife, Juliet, from a vacation in Mexico several weeks ago. He had been hospitalized for about two weeks. The Rublees resided at 1158 Fifth Avenue.

Mr. Rublee held high Government posts under President Wilson. Under Presidents Calvin Coolidge and Herbert Hoover between 1928 and 1930 he helped to bring about better relations with Mexico. In the Roosevelt Administration he directed the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees, negotiating with Nazi Germany in 1938-39 for permission for German Jews to emigrate.

He was born in Madison, Wis., on July 7, 1868, the son of Horace and Kate Hopkins Rublee. He attended Groton School, which had just been founded in 1884, and was the only member of its first graduating class, in 1886.

Half a century later, when Mr. Rublee arrived for a reunion at the school, sitting beside Dr. Endicott Peabody, its founder, was a somewhat younger graduate, Franklin Delano Roosevelt. The President of the United States insisted on rising to yield the place of honor to the senior graduate.

Mr. Rublee was graduated from Harvard College in 1890 and from its Law School in 1895, remaining there for a year to teach. After practicing law briefly in Chicago, he moved to New York in 1898 to practice.

Opposed Senator

He took part in politics in New Hampshire, where he had a residence in Cornish. In 1914, as a "Bull Moose" Republican, he had opposed the re-election of Jacob H. Gallinger, Republican leader of the United States Senate.

Mr. Rublee was appointed to the Federal Trade Commission by President Wilson on March 5, 1915, but Senator Gallinger successfully fought confirmation on the ground that Mr. Rublee was "personally obnoxious." Mr. Rublee performed his duties as a commission member for eighteen months, though he was ineligible to receive any salary. President Wilson showed his continued esteem for Mr. Rublee by appointing him to the commission to report on the operation of the Adamson Eight-Hour Law. Shortly after the United States entered World War I in 1917, he was appointed to the Commercial Economy Board of the Advisory Council of National Defense.

Other wartime appointments were as special counsel to the Treasury Department and representative of the United States Shipping Board and Emergency Fleet Corporation on the priorities committee of the War Industries Board. In 1918-19 he was an American delegate to the Allied Maritime Transport Council in London.

Returned to Law

In 1921 Mr. Rublee joined the Washington law firm that became Covington, Burling, Rublee, Acheson & Shorb, now Covington & Burling. But he remained on call for Government service.

The late Dwight W. Morrow, who became Ambassador to Mexico in 1927, was seeking to resolve disputes over Mexican oil rights that clouded relations between the United States and Mexico. In 1928 Mr. Rublee became his legal advisor and worked closely in the negotiation of a settlement. In 1930, when Mr. Morrow was American delegate to the London Naval Conference, Mr. Rublee again accompanied him as legal advisor.

Mr. Rublee's last major public service, begun in 1938, was as director of an intergovernmental committee to assist in the emigration and resettlement of German Jews.

The outbreak of World War II prevented the fulfillment of any plan." (New York Times, April 26, 1957)

Biography of George Rublee: Earnest Endeavors: The Life and Public Work of George Rublee, by Marc Eric McClure, Marc (Westport: Praeger, 2004) "George Rublee (1868-1957), was an eastern establishment lawyer and corporate liberal who made a significant contribution to economic reform legislation on the state and national levels during the progressive era. He was also involved in a number of important international events from 1917 to 1939. Despite his achievements, he has been largely overlooked. In this first biography of Rublee, McClure contends that any understanding of the history of the Federal Trade Commission and of U.S. foreign relations in World War I and the interwar period is incomplete without an understanding of Rublee's experiences.

Rublee's influence on domestic policy includes his role as advisor to New Hampshire governor Robert Bass, his influence in the development of Theodore Roosevelt's 1912 New Nationalism platform, and his conversion of Woodrow Wilson to a Bull Moose approach to antitrust with the creation of the FTC in 1914. His contribution to international relations ranges from his participation on the almost forgotten Allied Maritime Transport Council; to his success in bringing the US into a consultative pact with Great Britain and France at the 1930 London Naval Conference, to his courageous role as director of the controversial Intergovernmental Committee, created at the 1938 Evian Conference to deal with the German Jewish refugee crisis."

He married Juliet Barrett, 12 Jan 1899 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,²¹¹ b. 2 Mar 1875 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³¹² (daughter of Samuel Eddy Barrett [1835 -] and Alice Delia Brush), d. 20 May 1966 in New York City, NY,³¹¹ buried in Chase Cem., Cornish, NH.³¹¹ Juliette Barrett Rublee was a close friend of Margaret Sanger's and closely involved in the birth control movement. She was a dancer and a patron of the arts. She was a friend of Isadora Duncan's. Her brother Robert Barrett and his wife Katherine Ruth Ellis and her sister Adela Barrett also lived in Cornish, NH. All three were part of the Cornish Colony, devoted to the arts. Adela was a sculptor. The Robert Barretts eventually moved to California. Juliet also had a sister Allice.

In 1930, Julia Barrett Rublee lived alone in Manhattan, NY.

157. **Emeline Julia⁴ Rublee** (Alvah³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 16 Feb 1836 in St. Armand, Missisquoi Co., QC,¹²⁷ d. Jun 1920 in Plymouth, Sheboygan Co., WI, buried in Sheboygan Falls Cem., Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI. "At a meeting of the G.G.G.'s, a woman's club of Plymouth, held on October 26, 1909, Mrs. Otto Gaffron read some reminiscences about the Rublee family, which was one of the earliest to settle in this county. The facts were given Mrs. Gaffron by Mrs. Emmeline Cole, whose maiden name was Emmeline Rublee, and who was a sister of Hon. Horace Rublee. Although very young when she first came her with her family, she recalls many events which took place in those early days. She kindly furnished the Biographical Record with a paper read by her brother February 22, 1894, at a Pioneer meeting at Sheboygan Falls, and which is printed herewith. The reminiscences follow:

Reminiscences by Mrs. Gaffron

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Rublee came to Sheboygan county in 1840, when Mrs. Cole was four and her brother Horace eleven years of age. They came from Vermont by way of the Great Lakes, taking a steamer as far as Milwaukee, where they were obliged to change to a schooner. There being no harbor at Sheboygan, steamers could not make a landing.

For a short time, the Rublee family lived at the Farnsworth mill, near the Ashby farm, two and a half miles from Sheboygan, but soon moved to a farm on the site of the present Wildwood cemetery. This place had been an Indian burying ground, but with the Poet Campbell, the early settlers thought:

"What's hallow'd ground? Has earth a clod
It's maker mean'd not should be trod
By man?"

In their opinion, if there was, it wasn't an Indian cemetery and they trod it, plowed it and grew their harvests on it.

Mr. Rublee, when tilling the soil, uncovered old gun barrels, flints, arrow-heads, silver ornaments and other articles, which had been buried with the Indians and which were to be used by the deceased on their journey to the "happy hunting grounds." For some time the Rublee children had an Indian skull as a plaything. The silver ornaments referred to were articles something like large belt buckles with which the braves fastened their shirts together across their chests.

Among the gruesome recollections of Mrs. Cole's early days was that of the sight of two Indian bodies placed on scaffolds high up on poles near the Ashby farm. The bodies probably of the members of some wandering tribe, whose custom it was to dispose of their dead in that manner, as the red men who lived in this part of the state buried their dead.

Indians were about the only neighbors the Rublee family had; the little copper colored girls and boys were the playmates of the younger members of the household and during the first summer in Wisconsin, Mrs. Rublee saw but one white woman and she came from Vermont with them.

The squaws carried their papposes strapped on boards on their backs, the boards held in place by thongs across their forehead. The Rublee daughters of course, adopted the same manner of carrying their dolls.

The Indians were very friendly to the whites, but great beggars and always hungry. When they came to a house, they never rapped at the door, but came silently and looked in at the windows. Mrs. Rublee often looked up from her work to see an Indian face at each pane of glass. If they wanted to come in, they opened the door and walked in single file. If it were evening, they spread their blankets on the floor around the fire and slept there all night. The settlers had not the least fear of them.

On one occasion after they had been here several years, some Indians who had spent the night at their place, became drunk and killed another. The body was buried in the Firmin cemetery in the town of Lyndon. The family of the murdered Indian claimed all of the property of the family of the murderer and got it, as that was the way the red men settled such trouble.

The Indians and white men traded with each other. Mrs. Cole remembers of an Indian stopping at the house with honey which he had in two kegs about as large as beer kegs, hung on either side of his pony. The honey splashed like water and upon being questioned, he informed them that he had strained it through his blanket. The Rublee family never knew whether the blanket improved the flavor of that honey or not.

Of course "fire water" sold readily to the Indians and the dealer, who had gotten an Indian drunk, pretended that he was doing a virtuous thing by adding more and more water to the whiskey he sold him thereafter, until the Indian was again sober.

When there was any trouble or when the redmen wished to know of the future, they held a pow wow. At one time, a vessel with supplies for the settlers was overdue. The people were almost in want. The Indians told the whites they would find out when the boat was coming. They held a pow wow and informed the settlers that the boat would be in at sunset the next evening. To the surprise of the settlers, the vessel came at the time their primitive neighbors had set for its arrival.

William Farnsworth, who owned much of the land on which the present city of Sheboygan now stands, had for a wife a squaw named Marinette. Her home was where the present city of Marinette stands, that place being named after her. It seems that Marinette played quite an important part in the early history of Marinette and vicinity. She spent part of her time at Sheboygan. Some act of Mr. Farnsworth having angered the Indians, they gathered with the intention of killing him. Being apprised of their coming and knowing that only heroic measures could save his life, he seated himself upon an open keg of powder with a lighted candle in his hand. A man that could do such an act as that must be under the special protection of the "great spirit," the Indians thought and they departed nor ever molested him after.

There is only one person in the county who came here earlier than Mrs. Cole did and that is Mrs. William Jones of Sheboygan Falls, who came in 1836. There was but one horse in the county when the Rublee family landed at Sheboygan. Their family was among the first to keep cows. They also had one hen and a rooster which was something very few of the early settlers had. When the hen had a brood of small chickens, a skunk killed her; the rooster took it upon himself to care for the orphans. He found them food, hovered them at night and gave them every care that a mother could.

One day while milk and cream were so scarce that they were luxuries, the Rublee children were alone and they tipped over a churn of cream. It was a problem to them to know what to do with the cream. Horace, who at that time was twelve or thirteen years of age, hit upon the idea of boring holes in the floor and letting the cream run through. There was no cellar under the house. The cream being disposed of the next things was to meet their mother. Horace however, sat down and wrote a poem upon the mishap, which was so funny that when he read it to his mother, she could not refrain from laughing and the children escaped reproof.

Horace was a natural poet and had he been encouraged might have been another Reilly, but his family looked upon his poetry as so much foolishness, none of it was ever saved and he was told to write prose. As far as known not one of his early rhymes can now be found, although Mrs. Cole can remember a line or two of some of them whose humor appealed to her childish fancy. One dark, stormy night, a young man staying at their place went quite a distance through the woods to visit the lady of his choice. That a

young man could be so foolish as to go a long distance in such weather to see a girl was too much for the young Horace, it set his muse working and in a most humorous way, he recited the difficulties and trials he met on his lonely walk. The only line Mrs. Cole can remember is: "Around his head the boughs do bend," When it was repeated to the young fellow in the morning, he could see nothing humorous about it, but for a number of days manifested an extreme coolness toward the author. The young man referred to has been dead for many years, but his son is known over most of the county.

Another rhyme ridiculed a very pompous and conceited man. The man got hold of the rhyme and although it did not take the ego down it made the ire rise.

It took much work to suppress the poet in Horace Rublee, so that he could write in anything besides rhyme. He would start to write a letter, it would soon be rhyming and many a bitter tear he shed over what he considered a fault."

"Mrs. E. J. Cole County Pioneer Buried Today. Mrs. Emeline J. Cole, 84, possibly the oldest pioneer of Sheboygan county, having made her home here for the past 80 years, died at her home in Plymouth during the week following an illness of several days. Mrs. Cole was the wife of the late George T. Cole and sister of the late Horace Rublee, at one time U. S. Minister Plenipotentiary to Switzerland and subsequently editor-in-chief of the Milwaukee Sentinel for a number of years, being one of the state's most influential citizens. Mrs. Cole resided with her daughter, Jessie M. Cole, at 413 N. Milwaukee street, Plymouth, who was a teacher of Latin and German in the Plymouth high school. They had been visiting for the past four weeks at Grand Haven, Mich., with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Angus, during which time Mrs. Cole contracted a cold which required her to be confined to her home. Pneumonia set in and her death followed. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Rublee, who were married on November 2, 1826, at Milton, Vt. and who resided for a short time in Canada, where Mrs. Cole was born at St. Armand, on February 15, 1836. The Rublee family moved to Sheboygan in 1840 and resided on the Rublee farm now taken up by Wildwood cemetery. Here they resided for 17 years, removing to Sheboygan Falls in 1857, on September 3, of which year Miss Emeline was married to Mr. Cole, who preceded her in death on September 22, 1903. With the death of Mr. Rublee the widow married Mr. A. Farrow, who had been her husband's partner in the management of the saw mill at the flats in what is now known as Lyman's additions. The daughter with her other sisters grew up at the Farrow home, which was moved to a point in the north part of what is now the village of Kohler. The sisters became teachers in the county schools, and young Horace, their brother, became a teacher in what is the first school building erected in Sheboygan Falls, where it is still standing. In 1857 the family removed to Sheboygan Falls. Mrs. Cole was a remarkable woman. Her knowledge of historical facts concerning Sheboygan county, and world events, as she kept posted at all times on every conceivable subject, made her a person whose companionship was eagerly sought. Her intelligent mind coupled with her clear memory, her happy disposition and agreeable ways won for her a place in the hearts of all who knew her. She was always alive to the latest issues of the day, even up to the date of her death. Only recently she inquired regarding the Democratic National convention. The funeral services took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Miss Anna Briggs, 30 Forest street, Plymouth, with interment in the Falls cemetery. (The Sheboygan Press, Sheboygan, Wisconsin, 30 Jun 1920, Wed, page 4).

She married **George T. Cole**, 3 Sep 1856 in Sheboygan Co., WI,¹³³ b. 3 Oct 1832 in Lake View Cem., Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., OH,³¹³ (son of **Charles D. Cole** and **Sarah W. Trowbridge**), d. 22 Sep 1903 in Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI.³¹⁴ In 1850, George T. Cole lived in Sheboygan, WI with C. D. Cole,

age 44, born in NY and Sarah Cole, age 37, born in MA and other Cole children. Presumably C. D. Cole was his father. Was Sarah his mother, or a second wife of his father?

In 1860, George and Emeline Cole lived in Sheboygan, WI in the household with James R. Cole, age 23 and Rosella Cole, age 22. They were then 28 and 23. Emeline's place of birth is given as Canada. George was born in Ohio.

In 1880 and 1900, the Coles lived in Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan, WI.

"George T. Cole, born at Cleveland, Ohio, October 3, 1832, died at Sheboygan Falls, Wisconsin, September 22, 1903. Mr. Cole's parents moved to Wisconsin in 1836, when he was but three years of age, and two years later settled at Sheboygan Falls, where Mr. Cole has since lived. In politics he was a democrat, and had repeatedly been a delegate to state conventions." (Proceedings of the [Wisconsin] State Historical Society, 1903)

"Died. On the 20th inst, at Sheboygan, Horace Rublee, only child of George C. and Annie M. Cole, aged 1 year and 7 months" (Milwaukee Daily Sentinel, (Milwaukee, WI) Saturday, March 01, 1856), I believe that this refers to the son of George T. Cole's uncle George C. Cole.

In 1910 and 1920, Emeline lived in Plymouth, Sheboygan Co., WI. Daughter Jessie lived with her. In 1930, Jessie lived alone in Plymouth.

Children:

- 304 i. Rublee Alvah⁵ Cole b. 4 Mar 1862 in Sheboygan Co, WI?,¹⁴⁵ d. 3 Jul 1907 in West Allis, Milwaukee Co., WI.¹⁴⁵ Rublee Cole was a lawyer. He lived in Milwaukee, WI. During the years 1888-1892, he appears as a lawyer in the city directories of Ashland, WI. In 1880, 1900 and 1905, he and Janet lived in Milwaukee. In 1900, Janet's mother Margaret McDonald lived with them. By 1910, Margaret was living with her other daughter Elizabeth Fenlon in Phillips, Price Co., WI.

In 1920, Janet (McDonald) Cole lived with her sister and husband, Elizabeth and Charles D. Fenlon, in Phillips, Price, WI. She was a real estate agent. Their mother Margaret McDonald also lived in the home.

"Rublee A. Cole graduated in law from the University of Wisconsin at Madison in 1883. Afterwards, he first moved to Washburn, and then to Ashland, where he practiced law and served as a Collecting Agent and Notary Public. Soon he relocated to Portage, where he met and married Janet M. MacDonald (b. April 9, 1863, d. December 26, 1927). After their marriage, the couple moved to Milwaukee, where Rublee continued his work as a lawyer. In one of his more famous cases, he successfully litigated against the Illinois Steel Company for illegally evicting some 200 residents from their properties on Jones Island in Milwaukee. Early in his career, Rublee Cole was active in the Republican Party. He was a strong supporter of Governor Robert La Follette in his advocacy of minority rights and women's right to vote. Like La Follette, he increasingly viewed the Republican Party as manipulated by industry and the railroads, and as abandoning its anti-slavery origins. Disenchanted, Rublee became a Democrat, and in 1896, he was elected as Lieutenant Governor of the Wisconsin Democratic

Party. However, at the state convention his nomination was dropped, mainly because he opposed the Prohibition movement, which he saw as an attack on German communities. He tried to protest the move, but he was shouted down at the convention.

Rublee's wife Janette also was active in education and politics. She was the first licensed teacher in Prentice, WI, and she became the Chairperson of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. In this role she helped pass legislation that allowed women to vote on matters pertaining to school officers. She also championed the admittance of African Americans into the Club.

Rublee Cole continued to work as an attorney until 1905, when he became a police justice for West Allis. On July 3, 1907, Rublee Cole died following a two-week illness. He was only forty-five." (Log School Leaders: The Rublee Family of Sheboygan Falls by Scott Noegel. <http://faculty.washington.edu/snoegel/PDFs/other/Rublee-family.pdf>).

He married Janet M. McDonald, 28 Dec 1892 in Portage, Columbia Co., WI,¹⁵³ b. 9 Apr 1863 in Portage, Columbia Co., WI,³¹⁵ (daughter of Alexander McDonald and Margaret _____), d. 25 Dec 1927 in Philips, Price Co., WI,³¹⁶ buried in Lakeside Cem., Philips, Price Co., WI.³¹⁷

- 305 ii. Jessie Martha Cole b. 8 Jul 1866 in Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI,³¹⁵ d. 10 Oct 1947 in Plymouth, Sheboygan Co., WI,³¹⁵ buried in Sheboygan Falls Cem., Sheboygan Falls, Sheboygan Co., WI.³¹⁸ Jessie Cole was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and taught Latin and German in the Plymouth High School in Sheboygan Co., WI. She was a suffragist. She lived with her mother in Plymouth, WI in 1910 and 1920. She lived alone in Plymouth in 1930 and 1940.

"Emeline Cole's daughter, Jessie Cole, also had strong interests in literature and education, and like her brother Rublee, she attended the University of Wisconsin at Madison and graduated in 1888.

However, there were fewer options for women at this time, so Jessie returned to Sheboygan County and taught Latin and German at Plymouth High School. She was a leading member of the Plymouth chapter of the Daughters of the American Republic, the Plymouth Women's Club, County Educational Board, Committee on Common Schools, and twice elected to the County School Commission. By 1902, she was serving as the Assistant Principal of Plymouth High School at which time she declined a nomination for County Superintendent of Schools. She later became an honorary member of the Plymouth High School Alumni Association. In addition, she was a shrewd businesswoman and bought and sold a number of properties. Jessie Cole never married. She died on October 10, 1947." (Log School Leaders: The Rublee Family of Sheboygan Falls by Scott Noegel. <http://faculty.washington.edu/snoegel/PDFs/other/Rublee-family.pdf>).

161. **Hiram Irving⁴ Rublee** (Hiram Belden³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Jan 1837 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,³¹⁹ d. 13 Feb 1918 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY.³²⁰
"Runaway - A horse belonging to Mr. Ezra Dean, of the of the firm of Alden & Co., of Water street, while standing in front of the works of Mr. Alden, took fright and ran up Water street into North street, where

he encountered the Shield Guards. He plunged in among the Band, knocking a number of them down all of whom, however, escaped with slight bruises, with the exception of the drummer, Hiram Rublee. He was the first one struck by the horse, and was knocked down, the wagon running over him, badly injuring his right foot and leg. A German named Nicholas Kirst, standing upon the east side of the street, was also knocked down by the horse, and received several bad cuts about the face and head." (Auburn Daily Union, 6 Aug 1860)

In 1870, Hiram Rublee lived in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY in the household of Lucinda Rublee, age 65. He was 33 years old, employed as a sign painter. Wife Cornelia was 27. Their children were Hattie, age 7 and Irving, age 5. All were born in New York.

In 1880, the Rublees lived in their own household in Auburn. Hiram's father place of birth is given as Vermont, and his mother as New York. Children were Hattie, age 17; Irving H., age 15 and Eddie, age 6.

"A singular series of events happened in Vermont, a few weeks ago. While the wife of Albert [Alfred] Rublee, of that village, was dying, his drug store was burning, and at the same time Hannibal J. Rublee, another of the family, was being married. The Rublee brothers are cousins of H. I. Rublee, of this city." (The Auburn Bulletin, 3 Feb 1890)

In 1900, the Rublees continued to live in Auburn. Hiram's father was born in Vermont; his mother in New York. The census indicates that Cornelia had given birth to 4 children, 3 of which were living. Edwin D., age 26, was living with them. Both father and son were manufacturers of signs and awnings.

"How many people In Auburn remember when the Rublee Manufacturing Company first started in making awnings and does anyone know of any older concern in the same line or business in the United States? That is what the Otis Company wants to find out in an attempt to uncover the oldest awning firm of the country. The Rublee concern is truly a home industry as its owners have always lived in Auburn and it has been carrying on since before the days of the Civil War. The firm was established by Hiram I. Rublee in 1860 when awnings began taking the place of the old fashion tin hoods over store fronts. A long story of the firm was carried in an issue of both sides, a trade paper. Also with the story there were several illustrations of work of the Auburn firm and pictures of its founder. Among the illustrations is one of an election banner for the campaign of Abraham Lincoln; another is a banner for William McKinley that was draped across Genesee Street. The pictures of the two mentioned banners shows the main street as having tall telephone poles along the curbing and also many tall trees growing along the sidewalks. It is also noticed that there is a complete lack of automobiles parked along the curbs. The trade paper says- "This concern traces its history back to Civil War days. It was founded in 1860 by Hiram I. Rublee, who started out as a sign painter. However, as soon as awnings began to replace the tin hoods over store fronts, Mr. Rublee began to manufacture awnings and made the first installation in Auburn.

"Mr. Rublee's part in the up-state New York politics was the making of campaign banners. One of his most memorable banners was one for Abraham Lincoln's campaign in 1864. Banners were also made for the campaigns of Rutherford B. Hays in 1867 and for William McKinley in 1896. The Rublee concern has won quite a distinction in the banner field having just recently made banners that were shipped to points all over the country-from coast to coast, from the Canadian boundary to the Gulf of Mexico.

"Control of the Rublee Company has been in the hands of the family since its inception. Irving H. Rublee, Sr., son of the founder, entered the firm as a partner in 1880 and continued as such until the death of H. I. Rublee in 1918, when he became sole owner.

"In the Spring of 1928, the third member of the family, Irving H. Rublee, Jr., who had worked for the firm since 1921, was made a partner.

"Although the Rublee Manufacturing Company is a firm with many years of tradition and experience, it has ideas that are distinctly modern and effective.

"It is not known definitely whether this firm is the oldest in the country or not. But it certainly is one of the oldest-and, as far as the Otis Company is concerned, it is the oldest until some awning manufacturer can prove his business to have been in existence prior to 1860. Any awning manufacturer who can substantiate a claim to an existence of over 70 years should get in touch with the editor of Both Sides, whose readers will be glad to hear the story of his business." (The Auburn Citizen, 17 Feb 1931)

"Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rublee Celebrate Their Golden Wedding. Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Rublee spent a very en-joyable evening with them yesterday at their home, No. 4 Church street on the occasion of the 50th anni-versary of their wedding. Mr. Rublee says that while they received many presents in gold, the number in currency will not retard the general circulation. He presented his wife with a good size (not solid gold) loving cup on which was engraved: "Hiram Irving Rublee married Cornelia Francis DeRiemer, January 16, 1862. Golden wedding January 16, 1912. . ." (Auburn Citizen, 17 Jan 1912)

"Hiram I. Rublee of Number 4 Church St., died suddenly last night of dropsy at the age of 82 years. Mr. Rublee has resided in Auburn for the past 63 years and since coming here has been interested in the sign, tent and awning business. First he started in business alone and made nothing by signs. Later he took in his son as a partner and business was conducted for several years under the name of Rublee & Son. As business kept gradually increasing he en-larged the plant and made a specialty of awnings, tents, banners etc. under the name of Rublee & Co. He retired from business April 1916 and sold out his interest to E. Drisko. The firm now goes under the name of Rublee-Drisko Manufacturing Company. Mr. Rublee was a member of Auburn Lodge, No. 431, F. and A. M.

Besides his widow, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. William E. Godfrey of this city; two sons, Irv-ing H. Rublee, of this city, and Edward D. Rublee, of Schenectady.

Funeral services for Hiram I. Rublee will be held at the house Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Burial will be in the Fort Hill Cemetery." (The Auburn Citizen, 14 Feb 1918)

During the Civil War, Hiram Rublee made the tents that housed soldier that departed from Auburn.

He married **Cornelia Frances De Reimer**, 16 Jan 1862 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY (prob),³²¹ b. 20 Nov 1842 in WI,³¹⁹ (daughter of **Cornelius Brouwer De Reimer** and **Harriet Briggs**), d. 2 Apr 1925 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY.³²⁰ By 1850, Cornelia was living in Auburn, NY with her parents, who were both born in NY. Cornelia and one sister were born in Wisconsin. Perhaps the

family's stay in Wisconsin was brief. In 1920, Cornelia lived with daughter Hattie, age 56 and her husband William Godfrey in Auburn, NY.

"OBITUARY Mrs. Cornelia F. Rublee Dies. Mrs. Cornelia F. Rublee. 83, died at her late home, 11 Florence Street today. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. William K. Godfrey of this city; two sons Edward D. Rublee of Schenectady and Irving H. Rublee of Auburn; two grand-daughters, one grand-son and great-granddaughters. Funeral services will be held at the house, 11 Florence Street, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in the Fort Hill Cemetery." (The Auburn Citizen, 2 Apr 1925).

Children:

- + 306 i. Hattie Lucinda⁵ Rublee b. 12 Dec 1863.
- + 307 ii. Irving Howe Rublee b. 30 Nov 1864.
- 308 iii. Willie Rublee b. 1871 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY (prob), d. 28 Jun 1872 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY (prob), buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY.
- 309 iv. Edward De Reimer Rublee b. 19 Jul 1873 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,²⁴¹ d. 11 Dec 1955 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in St. Mary's Cem., Fulton, Oswego Co., NY.³²² An Edward D. Rublee is listed in the 1900 City Directory for Auburn, NY.

"The following judgments were rendered by Judge Drummond in City court today: . . . , H. I. and I. H. Rublee vs. Edward D. Rublee. \$67.41, rent of shop in OeneBee street; Hiram I. Rublee vs. Edward D. Rublee, \$222.15, board, washing, etc." (The Auburn Citizen, 12 Nov 1906)

In 1910, he lived in Schenectady, NY. The image is very faint, but it looks like he lived with wife Louisa. He was 38 and she was 41. Edward was an electrician. When he registered for the World War I draft in 1917, Edward listed his mother Frances C. Rublee was his nearest relative.

In 1920, Edward Rublee, age 48, widowed, lived in Niskayuna, Schenectady Co., NY. He is listed as father-in-law to George Shandley, age 42, and his wife Grace, age 35. Grace was Edward's step-daughter.

In 1930, Edward Rublee, age 54, lived Haverford, Delaware, PA. George W. (age 50) and Grace (age 45) Shandley lived with him, as was their son Gordon, age 21. Again, the census indicates that Grace was Edward's daughter. However, there is a bracket around the Shandley's names, and some additional notes that say, in part, 2nd marriage. In 1940, George lived with the Shandleys in Haverford, Delaware Co., PA.

When Edward's sister Hattie died on 5 Mar 1949, a newspaper notice indicated that her brother Edward, of Upper Darby, PA, was a survivor.

Louise married first, Jerry LaMay, before 1882. The marriage was apparently unsuccessful: "Jerry LaMay was arraigned before Justice Piper last Thursday for drunkenness and abusing his family. He pleaded guilty and was released upon promise to appear the next morning. He has not been seen, or heard of since." (Fulton Times, 1883)

In 1892, Louisa LaMay and daughter Gracia, age 10, lived with her parents Joseph and Matilda Aker [Acker] in Volney, Oswego Co., NY. It appears that Louise/Louisa and her first husband Jerry LaMay were already separated, if not divorced by that time. Jerry was then living in Syracuse, NY.

In 1900, a Louisa Namar, age 30, born Aug 1865 in NY was living in Auburn, NY with daughter Grace, age 18, born Mar 1882 in NY. Louise was widowed, working as a dressmaker. They continued to live in Auburn at the time of the 1905 New York state census, the name now being La Mar and Louisa's name given as Mary L. Grace's death certificate gives her father as ? LaMarr and her mother as Louise Acker. Grace was born in Fulton, NY.

"Louise Rublee, wife of Edward D. Rublee, died at her home at 23 Grove place Sunday. She was born in Fulton and came to this city from Auburn 11 years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. George Shandley, of Syracuse, three brothers William, John of Syracuse and Fred Acker of Lawrence, Mass., three sisters, Mrs. O. L. Danforth, Mrs. Benjamin Hahn and Mrs. David LaMay of San Diego, Cal. The services will be held tonight, Rev. Dr. George R. Lunn officiating. Burial will be in Fulton tomorrow at 3 o'clock from Cayuga street Methodist Church. Mrs. Rublee was a member of the People's church." (Schenectady Gazette, 3 Sep 1918).

He married Louise (Acker) LaMay, 7 Jul 1907 in Rensselaer Co., NY,³²³ b. abt 1869 in Fulton, Oswego Co., NY (daughter of Joseph Acker [1825 - 1892] and Matilda _____ [1833 - 1910]), d. 1 Sep 1918 in Schenectady, Schenectady Co., NY,³²⁴ buried in Mt. Adnah Cem., Fulton, Oswego Co., NY.³²⁵

170. **Amherst Willoughby⁴ Rublee** (William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Apr 1841 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT, d. 15 Dec 1905 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Amherst Rublee enlisted in the Civil War on August 30, 1862. He was mustered in Sept. 26, 1862 and discharged June 19, 1863, disabled. He served with the First Regiment Cavalry, Co. C., First VT Cavalry Volunteers. He received a pension for his service.

Like his father, he served as postmaster in E. Berkshire for a long period. He was in business with his father, William S. Rublee, for many years. After the death of his father he ran the business on his own until his son, William Seymour Rublee, took it over.

"A. W. RUBLEE DEAD. Had Been Postmaster and Merchant at East Berkshire. East Berkshire, Dec. 15. A. W. Rublee, well known as a merchant, and for many years postmaster, died here suddenly about 9 o'clock this morning. Mr. Rublee retired from business about six years ago and had not been well since. For several months he had been suffering from dropsy and heart disease. Death came this morning while he was sitting beside the stove. He was a veteran of the Civil War, serving in the 1st Vt. Cav. Mr. Rublee was 65 years old. He is survived by a wife, two sons, W. S. Rublee, who succeeded his father in business here and is at present postmaster, and T. M. Rublee, a furniture dealer here; also two daughters Amelia and Fern, who have lived with their parents." (St. Albans Weekly Messenger, Saint Albans, Vermont, 21 Dec 1905, Thu, page 6)

"EAST BERKSHIRE. Mrs. A. W. Rublee died very suddenly Tuesday evening, May 16. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon May 18." (St. Albans Weekly Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 25 May 1911, Thu, page 4).

He married **Susan Moore Smith**, 17 Dec 1863 in Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 2 May 1843 in Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **John "Deland" Smith** [1811 - 1885] and **Sarah Austin Wellman** [- 1884]), d. 15 May 1911 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.

Children:

- + 310 i. Alice Carey⁵ Rublee b. 29 Apr 1864.
- 311 ii. Amelia Coburn Rublee b. 30 Oct 1865 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 1 Jan 1949 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.¹⁶²
Amelia Rublee was a member of the Calvary Church and the Home Demonstration Group in East Berkshire, VT for many years. She served as nurse to her sisters and sisters-in-law when their children were born. For a while she made her home with her brother William and his wife Martha, but she lived most of her years with her sister Fannie Rublee Hope and family in East Berkshire (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

In 1890, both she and brother Chauncey were living in Springfield, MA where Chauncey clerked.

"AMELIA COBURN RUBLEE East Berkshire. Miss Amelia Coburn Rublee, age 83, died Saturday afternoon, Jan. 1st at the Chaffee Nursing Home in West Berkshire following a lingering illness. Miss Rublee, the daughter of the late Amherst Willoughby Rublee and Susan Moore Smith, was born in East Berkshire, October 30, 1865. She has been a life-long resident of East Berkshire and was a member of the local Home Demonstration group and the Calvary Episcopal church. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Fern R. Hope and one brother, Chauncey M. Rublee, both of East Berkshire; also several nieces and nephews. The funeral for the deceased was held Tuesday, January 4th at 2:00 p. m. in the Calvary Episcopal church with the Rev. George Smith, pastor of St. Luke's church, St. Albans officiating. The body was placed in the vault at Enosburg Falls to await burial in the spring in the Calvary Episcopal cemetery. Among those from out of town to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur G. Marckres, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hall and Mrs. Edith Smith of Enosburg Falls; Miss Jeannette A. Hope and Amherst Lowe of St. Albans, Harlow Mower of Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pond, Sr., and grand-grandson of Richford and Mrs. Emmett Rublee of Berkshire Center." (Enosburg Standard, 6 Jan 1949).

- + 312 iii. William Seymour Rublee b. 24 Aug 1867.
- + 313 iv. Chauncey "Chet" Moore Rublee b. 18 Oct 1869.
- + 314 v. Sarah "Sadie" Jeannette Rublee b. 9 Dec 1879.
- 315 vi. Bernice C. Rublee b. 28 Aug 1882 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 23 Feb 1896 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT. Bernice Rublee died of diphtheria at the age of 13.
- + 316 vii. Fannie "Fern" Rublee b. 12 Feb 1885.

171. **Anna May⁴ Rublee** (William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Apr 1851 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³²⁶ d. 26 Aug 1919 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁷⁴ buried in Hollywood Forever Cem., Los Angeles, CA.³²⁷

She married **Arthur Haig Aitken**, 7 Jun 1876 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 11 May 1848 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵ (son of **John Aitken** and **Eliza Wales**), d. 14 Jul 1926 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{327,79} buried in Hollywood Forever Cem., Los Angeles, CA.³²⁷ In 1851, Arthur H. Aitken was living in Dunham, QC. He would be 5 on this next birthday. The household consisted of Eliza, age 51; Mary, age 28; Theodotia, age 27; Jane, age 24; David, age 22; Hiram, 19; Susan, age 10; Robert, age 8. All were born in Bas Canada.

In 1870, Arthur "Atkins", age 23, born in Canada, lived in Berkshire with Carl Lyman, age 61, a wheelwright. Arthur had no occupation. In 1880, Arthur and Anna Aitken lived with Anna's parents in Berkshire.

Arthur became a naturalized citizen of the United States in Burlington, VT on 2 May 1880. He had come to the US in 1868.

In 1900, Anna's mother lived with the Aitkens in Berkshire. By 1910, the Aitkens lived in Los Angeles, CA. Arthur was 61 and Anna was 59. Son Arthur R., age 26, lived with them. The elder Arthur was a carpenter; the younger Arthur was a salesman. All three of their children were then living.

By 1920, a widowed Arthur H. Aitken lived with daughter Seymoura and husband Harvey Barkelew in Los Angeles. The younger Arthur, his name now given as Rublee Aitken, lived in the home.

Arthur Aitken's usual residence was Los Angeles when he died of bronchopneumonia in Berkshire, VT. "Arthur Aitken of Los Angeles, Cal., who was visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. E. Combs, died Wednesday night. He was 78 old and for many years before going to California was employed as foreman in the Samson Power Co.'s shops." (Richford Journal and Gazette (Richford, Vermont) 16 Jul 1926, Fri, page 5).

Children:

- 317 i. May "Mercedes"⁵ Aitken b. 10 Jul 1878 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 16 Dec 1976 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸

She married Birney Frank Combs, bef 1899 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), b. 11 Jul 1879 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ (son of Byron H. Combs and Adelaide "Addie" Chamberlain), d. 31 Oct 1970 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸

- 318 ii. Arthur Rublee Aitken b. 26 Jan 1884 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³²⁹ d. 24 Feb 1955 in Riverside Co., CA.³²⁹ Arthur Aitken removed to California with his parents between 1900 and 1910. He lived with them in Los Angeles, CA in 1910, already widowed.

"Funeral services for Mrs. Awilda May Aitken, wife of Arthur Aitken of 1916 Pennsylvania avenue, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Fred Thayer, 227 North Bailey street. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery." (Los Angeles Herald - Dec 29, 1909)

In 1920, "Ruble" and his father lived with his sister Seymoura and her husband Harvey Barkelew in Los Angeles. By 1930, he had married Corinne and they lived in Los Angeles. Two boarders, but no children, were in the home. Both he and his second wife were widowed when they married. Corrine was previously married to Joseph W. Glynn.

He married (1) Awilda "May" Waldron, 23 Feb 1909 in Santa Ana, Orange Co., CA, b. Sep 1887 in CA, d. 27 Dec 1909 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁴

He married (2) Helen "Corinne" (Wright) Glynn, 30 Sep 1921 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 8 Aug 1887 in TX (daughter of Daniel S. Wright and Anna Carnan), d. 8 Feb 1978 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁸¹

- 319 iii. Amelia "Seymoura" Aitken b. 28 Jul 1886 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 16 Jan 1937 in Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵ Her birth record is under Amelia Atkins.

In 1900, Harry Barkelew, age 14m lived in San Bernardino, CA. He was born in Mar 1886 in Missouri. In 1910, Harry and Seymoura Berkelew were living in Los Angeles, nearby to Seymoura's parents. They were 24 and 23 and had been married for one year. Harry was a plumber. In 1920, Harry and Seymoura Berkelew or Barkelew continued to live in Los Angeles, CA. Seymoura's father Arthur Aitken and her brother "Ruble" Aitken were living with them. They were both 33. No children were in the home. In 1930, they continued to living in Los Angeles. Again, no children were in the home.

She married Harry Dunham Barkelew, 15 Feb 1909 in Santa Ana, Orange Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 16 Mar 1886 in Canton, Lewis Co., MO,³³¹ (son of Julius Barkelew and Sarah Pratt), d. 18 Aug 1964 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁸¹

185. **Louisa M.⁴ Rublee** (Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. cal 7 Aug 1824 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 9 Apr 1890 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in St. Mary's Cem., Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.³³²

She married **Philo Horskin**, 1851,³³³ b. 12 Nov 1820 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **Asa Horskin** and **Elizabeth _____**), d. 21 May 1888 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in St. Mary's Cem., Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.³³² "Philo Horskin of Franklin, who has been ill for over a year, died suddenly at his home Monday, May 21st. The funeral, conducted by Rev. Mr. Hilton of St. Albans, occurred to-day at 1 o'clock. Mr. Horskin was born Nov. 12th, 1820, and was one of a family of nine children; only one brother, Vincent Horskin, survives him. Few men enjoy the confidence of their fellow townsmen to the extent that Mr. Horskin did. However one might differ from him in opinion, no one thought of calling in question his honor, or the sincerity of his motives. He has served his town as lister several years at different times; was elected justice in 1860, in which office he has been continued ever since; he represented the town in the state legislature in 1861 and 1862 and has held the office of overseer of the poor continuously since 1869. His place will be hard to fill, and the loss will be keenly felt, not only by his family and near friends, but by the public generally." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 23 May 1888, Wed, page 4).

Children:

+ 320 i. Arlin Daniel⁵ Horskin b. 23 Jun 1856.

188. **George⁴ Rublee** (Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Feb 1830 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 27 Mar 1920 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.² George Rublee made his will in 1909, leaving his estate to his wife Edna and his three surviving children.

"OBITUARY. After an illness of five weeks, an incident of his great age, George Rublee, one of Richford's most respected citizens, died at his home on Richard street March 27 in the 91st year of his age. The funeral was held at the home March 29, Rev. G. Leon Wells, pastor of the Methodist church, of which Mr. Rublee was a member, officiating. The body was placed in the new cemetery vault, and later will be taken to East Franklin for burial in the family vault in the cemetery there. The bearers were: M. G. Rublee, H. H. Westover, H. C. Royce and Philip S. Rublee. The relatives from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Stanhope and son, Merritt, of Berkshire, Philip S. Rublee of Newport, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Shufelt, Mrs. Ralph Clark and son, Austin, of Enosburg Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Royce of Sheldon Springs. Mr. Rublee was born in Franklin, Vt., February 17, 1830. January 1, 1855, he married Ednah A. Shufelt of Berkshire, who survives him with three of their five children, namely: Marquis G. Rublee and Mrs. Dora Westover of Richford, and Mrs. Maude Stanhope of Berkshire. He also leaves five grandchildren: Philip S., James M. and Alice C. Rublee, Howard J. Willey and Merritt A. Stanhope, and one great-grandchild, Alice Louise Rublee. One brother, Cornelius, lives in St. Albans, and another, Marquis D., in Colorado." (Richford Journal and Gazette, Richford, Vermont, 2 Apr 1920, Fri, page 5)

"OBITUARY. The funeral of Mrs. George Rublee was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Stanhope, in Enosburg Falls Friday, July 8. Edna Alsaida Shufelt was born in Berkshire October 8, 1838. On Jan. 1, 1855, she married George Rublee of Franklin. They lived the greater part of the time in Berkshire. In 1901 they came to Richford to reside. Mr. Rublee died a few weeks after they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Of their five children three are living: Mark G. Rublee of Richford, Mrs. Dora Westover of Montreal and Mrs. Maude Stanhope of Enosburg Falls; one brother, Austin Shufelt of Berkshire, four grandsons, one granddaughter, and four great-granddaughters, besides other relatives and friends who will miss her, for she was loved by all who who knew her." (Richford Journal and Gazette (Richford, Vermont) 15 Jul 1927, Fri, page 5).

He married **Ednah Alzada Shufeldt**, 1 Jan 1855,³³⁴ b. 8 Oct 1836 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **Philip Shufeldt** [1806 - 1888] and **Emeline Austin** [1813 - 1892]), d. 6 Jul 1927 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.²

Children:

- 321 i. Harlow⁵ Rublee b. 21 Jul 1856 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 30 Aug 1856 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.²
- 322 ii. Abbie F. Rublee b. 18 Aug 1857 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 20 Feb 1862 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.²
- + 323 iii. Marquis "Mark" George Rublee b. 8 Mar 1863.
- + 324 iv. Ruth "Dora" Christine Rublee b. 8 May 1871.
- + 325 v. Maude L. Rublee b. 30 Jun 1873.

190. **Cornelius Dan⁴ Rublee** (Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 3 Sep 1834 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 5 Oct 1920 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴ In 1860, Cornelius Rublee lived in Highgate, VT. He was 24 years of age, and a merchant. His wife's name was listed as Thedasia, age 20. In 1870, C. D. Rublee was a grocer in St. Albans, VT. In 1882, he was a selectman and justice of the peace in St. Albans. (Franklin, Grand Isle Counties, Vermont Business Directory, 1882) In 1885, he was a merchant in Swanton, VT (Walton's Vermont Register). He continued to live in Swanton in 1900. In 1910, he lived in St. Albans, VT. His wife's name is given as Thedora C. In 1920, again in St. Albans, her name is given as Phedora.

"Richford - Cornelius P. Rublee, a brother of the late George Rublee of this village died at his home in St. Albans October 7th. He was born in Franklin September 3, 1834. In the early 60s he was operating a store in this place on the land now occupied by the old skating rink, which was burned while Mr. Rublee occupied it. He then went to St. Albans where he has associated, for several years with the late Henry M. Stevens in the grocery business at the corner of Main and Kingman street under the name of Stevens and Rublee. He is survived by his wife and a son." (Burlington Daily News, 14 Oct 1920).

He married **Phedora Cutler**, abt 1857,³³⁵ b. 27 Sep 1839 in Highgate, Franklin Co., VT,³³⁵ (daughter of **Albert G. Cutler** [1812 - 1841] and **Mary Best** [1808 - 1883]), d. 10 Apr 1931 in Highgate, Franklin Co., VT,³³⁵ buried in Greenwood Cem., St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴

Children:

+ 326 i. **Albert Hiram⁵ Rublee** b. 21 Feb 1862.

192. **Marquis "Marcus" D.⁴ Rublee** (Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 25 Nov 1838 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),³³⁶ d. 13 Apr 1923 in Colorado Springs, El Paso Co., CO, buried 15 Apr 1923 in Evergreen Cem., Colorado Spr., El Paso Co., CO.³³⁷ In 1850, Marquis Rublee lived with his parents in Franklin, VT at age 10. In 1860, he lived with his father Dan Rublee (now a widower) in Allamakee Co., IA. While living in Iowa, he enlisted in Company K, Iowa 5th Infantry Regiment on 15 Jul 1861. He was 19 years old, living in Rossville, IA. He was mustered out on 30 Jul 1864 at Chattanooga, TN. He received a pension for his service. There is no indication of a widow or minor children on his pension card.

By 1870, "Marcus" was married and living in Huntsville, AL with his wife Lucy (age 24) and daughters Helen (age 2) and Mary (age 6 months). The couple lived with Lucy's parents.

In 1880, Marcus's daughters Mary (age 12) and Ellen/Helen (age 10) lived with their grandmother Sarah A. Johnson in Huntsville. Marcus D. Rublee, age 39, lived with his father in Pawnee, Smith Co., Kansas. He is listed as a widower. He lived in Loup City, Sherman Co., NE in 1890, where he was counted in the 1890 Special Census of Veterans. He filed for his census pension while living in Kansas.

By 1900, he lived in Colorado Springs, CO, listed as M. D. Rublee. He was a laborer, age 59, born in Vermont, living in lodgings. In 1910, he continued to live in Colorado Springs. He was 69 years of age, born in VT, living alone and working as a laborer. Marcus D. Rublee is listed as a resident of the Soldiers and Sailors Home of Rio Grande County (CO?) in an unspecified year. His death certificate gives his address as 918 N. Spruce St., Colorado Springs and his nearest relative his daughter Mrs. Charles Gilbert of Anniston, AL.

His death certificate indicates that he died on Jan 13 and was buried Apr 15, 1923. However, his death notice gives his age as 82. Given his age on various census reports, I wonder if he was born in 1840 or 1841. His death notice says he died on Friday night. April 13 was a Friday. January 13 was a Saturday. His pension record verifies that he died on 13 Apr.

He married **Sarah "Lucy" Johnson**, 6 Feb 1867 in Madison Co., AL,³³⁸ b. abt 1844 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob) (daughter of **Andrew J. Johnson** and **Sarah Ann Hill**), d. 9 Jul 1875 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³³⁹ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰ The Old Huntsville Magazine lists this death for a Lucy Rublee. Presumably, this was Sarah Lucy, wife of Marcus. On her gravestone, her name is given as Lucy Rublee.

Children:

- + 327 i. Helen Bond⁵ Rublee b. Nov 1868.
- + 328 ii. Mary J. Rublee b. 2 Mar 1870.

193. **Sarah Pettibone⁴ Rublee** (Hiram Addison³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Jun 1827 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³²⁶ d. 5 Aug 1906 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³ The name on Sarah's death record reads Sarah (Pettabone) Stevens. Sarah's middle name was likely Pettibone, after her maternal grandmother. Sarah's gravestone gives her name as Sarah P. Rublee, wife of Albert N. Stevens.

Daughter Linnie's marriage record gives her parents' names as Albert Stevens and Sarah Kellogg. Was Linnie's name actually Flora? See family configuration in census records, below.

In 1850 Albert and Sarah Stevens lived in Enosburg, Franklin, VT. They were 21 and 22 years of age. In 1860, it appears they lived in Salem, Orleans Co., VT where Albert is listed as A. N. Stephens, age 31. Sarah R. was 32. Sarah D. was 6 and Flora M. was 4. Elizabeth Beech, age 13, was also in the home. In 1863, Albert N. Stevens, age 33, registered for the Civil War draft.

In 1870, the "Stephens" lived in Monroe, Fremont Co., IA. Children were Sarah, age 15; Flora, age 14; Charles, age 8; and Olive, age 2. All were born in VT except Olive, who was born in IA. In 1880, they seemed to be living in Hughes, Nodaway Co., MO. Albert is again listed as A. N. Stephens. Children are listed as Dattie, age 26; Charles, age 18 and Ollie, age 12.

In 1900, Sarah lived in Enosburg, head of her own household. She was born Jun 1827. Her marital status is given as married, but Albert is not living with her. Living with her were granddaughters Irene L. Sneed, born Nov 1887 and Nina L. Sneed, born Jan 1890, both in Missouri, daughters of Olive. Albert Stevens was a boarder living in Enosburg with his daughter Linnie and husband Arthur J. Darrah. His marital status was divorced.

The 1900 census states that Sarah had given birth to 5 children, but only one was living. However, both Linnie and Charles were living at that time. Also, if Linnie and Flora are one and the same, I cannot account for the 5th child.

"The funeral of Albert N. Stevens, who died Saturday, November 8, of heart failure after a two weeks' illness, was held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Darrah. Sunday afternoon at 2: 30 o'clock. The

Rev. W. J. M. Beattie officiated, assisted by the Rev. G. W. Hunt. Music was rendered by Mrs. J. M. Jerrom, Mrs. C. H. Andrus, J O. Kimball, J. M. Jerrom, and J. H. Mears. The burial was in the Main st. cemetery. Albert Nelson Stevens was born March 4, 1829, at North Enosburg, the youngest in a family of children born to Charles and Melinda Stevens. He was united in marriage June 11, 1850, with Sarah, P. Rublee of this place. His occupation was for many years that of a farmer. For several years he had lived at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Darrah. Mr., Stevens is survived by a wife, one brother, Charles E. Stevens, of Rutland, one son, Charles A. Stevens of Leadville, Colo., and one daughter, Mrs. A. J. Darrah, of this place." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 11 Nov 1902, Tue, page 6)

"Mrs. Sarah (Rublee) Stevens died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Darrah, Sunday at eleven o'clock after an illness of several months with apoplexy resulting from paralysis of the heart. She was born June 23, 1827, married Albert N. Stevens June 11, 1850, moved to Shenandoah, Iowa, in 1867, where she lived with a daughter [Olive and husband Zachary Sneed] until his and her husband's death, when in 1899 she came here. She sustained a fall in April since which time she has been confined to her bed. Six years ago she fell and fractured a hip which laid her up for a long time from which she never fully recovered being ever after confined to the house. The funeral was held Monday and ten o'clock from the home of Dr. A. J. Darrah, the Reverend F. E. White officiating. Music was by a quartette consisting of Mrs. A. A. Aseltine, Mrs. W. E. Fuller, W. H. Yaw and C. H. Abell. The bearers were John Kellogg, R. D. Rublee, Dr. A. J. Darrah and A. W. Woodworth. The burial was in the Main Street cemetery, beside her husband who died November 8, 1902." (Burlington Weekly Free Press, 9 Aug 1906).

She married **Albert Nelson Stevens**, 11 Jun 1850, b. 4 Mar 1829 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (son of **Charles Stevens** and **Melinda Fuller**), d. 8 Nov 1902 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³

Children:

- 329 i. Sarah O.⁵ Stevens b. 1854 in VT, d. 15 Jul 1898 in Shenandoah, Page Co., IA (prob),³⁴¹ buried in Rose Hill Cem., Shenandoah, Page Co., IA.³⁴¹
- 330 ii. Flora M. Stevens b. abt 1856 in VT. Flora and Linnie are probably the same person.
- 331 iii. Linnie E. Stevens b. 1856 in VT, d. 20 Dec 1933 in Manhattan, New York, NY,³⁴² buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Linnie does not appear with this name in the census during her childhood years. In 1880, she was a dressmaker in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT. She lived in the household of storekeeper A. A. Rublee. Her marriage record gives her parents' names as Albert Stevens and Sarah Kellogg. (Note: Sarah's sister Olive's married name was Kellogg.) Linnie's death record, however, gives her mother's name as Sarah Rublee. Is Linnie actually the same person as Flora? It appears she may be.

The Darrahs did not have children. Linnie was a widow by 1910, living in Enosburg, VT at that time. It appears that in 1920, Linnie (Lynnie) lived in Boston, MA. She was boarding in a hotel, with no occupation. I cannot find her in the 1930 census.

"ENOSBURG FALLS Funeral of Mrs. Linnie Darrah. The body of Mrs. Linnie (Stevens) Darrah, who died at a New York city hospital Wednesday night, was brought here and the funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Matthew's Church. The Rev. Charles E. Scrimgeour officiated. The bearers were J. A. Gibson, W. E. Gibson, Arthur and Walter Budd. The body was placed in the Missisquoi vault and in the spring will be buried beside her

husband, Dr. A. J. Darrah, who died several years ago. Mrs. Darrah was 75 years of age and was born in Enosburg. For only a few years, when a child, she lived in the West and for the past few years has been in New York city. She was a member of St. Matthew's Church." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 27 Dec 1933, Wed, page 5).

She married Arthur James Darrah, M. D., 3 Jul 1882 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ b. 17 Jun 1844 in Brome, Brome Co., QC,³⁴³ (son of Robert Darrah and Mary Scripture), d. 3 Apr 1910 in Enosburg Falls, Franklin Co., VT, buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ "Dr. Arthur J. Darrah, the son of Robert and Mary E. Darrah was born in Brome, P. Q., June 17th, 1844. He was educated at the Knowlton Academy, at St. Mary's College, Marieville, Que., and at the Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. He studied medicine and graduated from the Medical Department of the University of Vermont at Burlington in 1867. The first year of Dr. Darrah's practice was in Jeffersonville, Vermont, he then went to Enosburg Falls where he has practiced medicine for more than forty years. For twenty-five years or more Dr. Darrah did a large business, his ride extending into all the adjoining towns. He acquired quite a reputation as a surgeon and did his full share of the work in that line for some years. Dr. Darrah's health failed some twelve or fifteen years ago and he has done but little professional work since. He was the owner of quite a number of tenement houses in the village, the care of which with some office work was all he could do. Few realized how feeble the doctor was getting and he was not able to withstand an attack of lagrippe, from which he died on Sunday, April 3rd, 1910, aged 65 years, 9 months and 16 days. The funeral was held at the house, Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. W. T. Forsyth, pastor of St. Matthew's Church (of which Dr. Darrah was a member and vestryman) officiating. Burial was in Missisquoi Cemetery, where the Masonic service was conducted by Lincoln Tidge. He is survived by his wife, and by a brother and sister of Waterville, Vt." (Vermont Medical Monthly, Volume 16, Issue 10, page 255).

- 332 iv. Charles A. Stevens b. 13 Mar 1860 in VT, d. 2 Feb 1936 in Bisbee, Cochise Co., AZ.¹⁵⁷ In 1900, Charles and Julia lived in Leadville, Lake Co., CO. They had been married for 2 years. By 1910, they moved to Bisbee, AZ, where they continued to live.

He married Julia Jone McNichols, abt 1898, b. abt 1875 in NE, d. aft 1940.

- + 333 v. Olive C. Stevens b. abt 1868.

195. **Rodney D.⁴ Rublee** (Hiram Addison³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. cal 31 May 1840 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁶ d. 2 Jan 1922 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.³¹ According to the 1864 and 1865 Adjutant and Inspector General's Report, Rodney Rublee of Enosburg was drafted during the Civil War, but provided a substitute and did not serve.

The Green Mountain Journal reported on 30 Sep 1879 that Rodney Rublee's barn in Enosburg burned down. It contained hay and farming tools. It was insured for \$1400.00.

"Mrs. Emily (Lowry) Rublee, wife of R. D. Rublee, died Wednesday afternoon, after an illness of about three weeks with rheumatic fever, resulting in heart failure. Mrs. Rublee is survived by her husband, and two children, N. Curtis, of Fitchburg. Mass. and Miss Glenna, M., of this place. The funeral will be held at

the Methodist church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 12 Sep 1901, Thu, page 6)

"Rodney Rublee, an old resident of this place [Enosburg] died. Monday evening of a paralytic shock. Mr. Rublee was on the street during the day, apparently in his usual health. He was 82 years of age. Two children, a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Gibson, of this place, and a son, Curtis Rublee, who resides in Massachusetts, survive him." (Burlington Daily News, 5 Jan 1922)

Emily died without a will. An application to open a probate estate was filed on 17 Sep 1901. Her heirs were her husband and her two children. With agreement of her heirs, her house in Enosburg went to daughter Glenna.

He married **Emily "Emma" Lowry**, 8 Oct 1865 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,³² b. Mar 1845 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,³² (daughter of **Albert Lowry** [1810 - 1879] and **Sarah H. Stevens** [1817 - 1878]), d. 11 Sep 1901 in Enosburg Falls, Franklin Co., VT,^{344,345} buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

Children:

- + 334 i. Norman Cortes "Curtis"⁵ Rublee b. 28 Jul 1871.
- 335 ii. Glenna Maud Rublee b. 13 Dec 1875 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 14 Jan 1956 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶
Glenna Rublee's birth record is recorded as Infant Female Rublee.

She married John Alfred Gibson, 9 Jun 1902 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 4 Feb 1858 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁴⁶ (son of John William Gibson [1827 - 1897] and M. Alma Sampson), d. 10 Jan 1944 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ John A. Gibson joined his father and brother George in the undertaking business in Enosburg Falls, VT. After his father's death in 1897, he assumed the business. A supplement to the Enosburg Standard in 1901 announced that Mr. Gibson had graduated from Professor Clark's College of Embalming. Until 1926, he also carried on with his father's furniture business (Geraw, 1985, page 206).

"GIBSON, John A., was born in Enosburg, February 4, 1856, a son of John W. and Alurey (Samson) Gibson. Alurey Samson was a daughter of Alanson Samson, one of the early settlers of Franklin County.

John A. Gibson received his education in the schools of Enosburg and Berkshire, and at 20 years of age took up painting, which he followed for three years. The next 17 years he was a traveling salesman. He then purchased Alfred Rublee's interest in the drug store of Rublee Brothers; later Herman W. Webster, now of East Burke, bought the interest of Andrew Rublee and the drug business was conducted under the firm name of Gibson & Webster. This business was sold to C. L. Marsh & Co., and in April, 1896, Mr. Gibson entered the furniture store of his father, John W. Gibson, who died a month later (May 8, 1896). Mr. Gibson continued the business until August, 1904; he retained the undertaking branch of the business, and has continued to the present time.

On February 4, 1879, Mr. Gibson married Florence Jeffords, a sister of Merrill Jeffords of Berkshire; to them three children were born: William P., born April 23, 1884; Florence B., born November 21, 1888, and one died when but a few days old.

Mrs. Gibson died June 1, 1901, and Mr. Gibson married for his second wife Glenna Rublee of Enosburg.

While Mr. Gibson is a wide-awake, enthusiastic and public spirited citizen, he has never sought or would accept public office. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, having taken the Chapter degrees; is also affiliated with the Odd Fellows, Foresters and the Eastern Star". (Successful Vermonters; a Modern Gazetteer of Lamoille, Franklin and Grand Isle Counties).

196. **Marshall Milton⁴ Rublee** (Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 29 Apr 1833 in W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³³⁵ d. 13 Oct 1902 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ The following text is from the obituary for Marshall Rublee:

"Death of M. M. Rublee

Well Known Berkshire Farmer Passes Away After a Long Illness

Marshall M. Rublee, an old resident and respected citizen of Berkshire, died at his home in the south part of town at 3:30 o'clock, Monday morning, October 13, of parietic dementia, aged 69 years.

The funeral was held at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday at the house, and was largely attended. The Rev. B. F. Jefferson of the Free Baptist church of this place officiated. The burial was in the Berkshire Center cemetery.

Mr. Rublee was born in West Berkshire April 29, 1833, being a son of Milton and Marcia (Beach) Rublee. He was married in January, 1854, to Marcia Hammond and in December, 1856, moved to the place in Berkshire where he had since lived. He had been gradually failing in health for about four years.

Mr. Rublee is survived by his wife and one son, Clayton B. Rublee, who live on the home farm. He also leaves one brother, Merritt Rublee of North Hatley, PQ.

Mr. Rublee was a man who had the respect and confidence of his fellow townsmen, and held various town offices. He was a progressive farmer and a good citizen and neighbor."

The following is the newspaper obituary for Marcia (Hammond) Rublee:

"Death of Mrs. Marcia Rublee

Mrs. Marcia (Hammond) Rublee died Friday in the home of her son, Clayton B. Rublee, of Berkshire near this village. Mrs. Rublee celebrated her 84th birthday January 24 and was in very comfortable health until a severe cold developed a few weeks ago, the after affects causing her to take to her bed March 15. Besides her son, Mrs. Rublee is survived by her sister, Mrs. W. H. Comings, of Richford. The funeral was held from the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. E. S. Vranenburg, pastor of the

Congregational Church at Enosburg Center, officiating. The burial was in the cemetery at Berkshire Center."

According to the 1864 and 1865 Adjutant and Inspector General's Reports, the Marshall M. Rublee was drafted during the Civil War, but paid \$300 commutation, and did not serve (Vermont in the Civil War, on-line).

He married **Marcia A. Hammond**, 24 Jan 1854 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 24 Jan 1835 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,²²⁶ (daughter of **Asa Hammond** [1801 - 1875] and **Sophia Pearson** [1804 - 1890]), d. 21 Mar 1919 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- + 336 i. Deforest Mark⁵ Rublee b. 13 Nov 1859.
- + 337 ii. Clayton Beach Rublee b. 7 Jun 1867.

198. **Hiram A.⁴ Rublee** (Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 28/29 May 1837 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),³⁴⁷ d. 7 Nov 1869 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁰ After the death of Hiram Rublee, his brother Marshall M. Rublee became guardian of his children. Later, in 1876, Orilla became their guardian.

In 1900, Orilla Rublee lived with her son-in-law and daughter, Willis and Lillie Noble, in Berkshire, VT. She removed to Kansas City Missouri in 1905 with her son Hannibal, after the death of Hannibal's wife. In 1920, she lived in Lawrence, Douglas Co, KS with granddaughters Mae and Dorcus Rublee. She died there, but was buried in East Franklin, VT.

In 1841, Orilla's family lived in Missisquoi Co., QC where Frasure Jenne appears in the pollbook. By 1850, they lived in Berkshire, VT. They had apparently been there since about 1843 as her younger brother Hannibal was born in Vermont.

Hiram's middle name may have been Addison.

He married **Orilla M. Jenne**, est 1857, b. Apr 1837 in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC? (daughter of **Fraser Jenne** and **Sarah Holden** [- 1900]), d. 18 May 1920 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO, buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁰ Orilla lived with daughter Lillie until Lillie died in 1909. Apparently, after that, she moved to Missouri to live with son Hannibal.

"East Franklin. Hannibal J. Rublee of Kansas City, Mo., came here Saturday with the body of his mother, Mrs. Orilla M. Rublee, who died in that city May 18. Burial was in the family lot in the cemetery. Mrs. Rublee was born in St. Armand, Que., April 17, 1837, a daughter of the late Frazier Jenne. She is survived by the son named, with whom she had lived many years." (Richford Journal and Gazette (Richford, Vermont), 28 May 1920, Fri, page 5).

Children:

- 338 i. Lillian "Lillie" Dorinda⁵ Rublee b. 30 Sep 1859 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 29 Jan 1909 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT. Lillian Rublee's birth is listed under the name Dorinda Rublin (VT Vital Records Index).

She married Willis Robert Noble, 22 Dec 1891 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 6 Mar 1858 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of William Phelps Noble [1828 - 1903] and Marcia Ermina Fletcher [1828 -]), d. 9 Jul 1932 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT. In 1900, Willis and Lillian Noble lived in Berkshire. Lillian's mother "Orilla" M. Rublee lived with them.

"WEST BERKSHIRE. Mrs. Lillian (Rublee) Noble, wife of W. R. Noble, died Thursday morning after a three days' illness of strangulated hernia. Mrs. Noble is survived by her husband, mother, Mrs. Aurilla Rublee and brother, H. J. Rublee and his three daughters of whom she had the care for several years since the death of their mother. The funeral will be held at the house Sunday at 1:00 p. m." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 23 Jan 1909, Sat, page 5)

In 1910 and 1920 Willis lived in Berkshire, VT with his mother Marcia Noble. In 1920, Willis was 68, a road builder working for the state. In 1930, he lived alone in Berkshire, age 78, working as a laborer on a dairy farm.

+ 339 ii. Hannibal Jenne Rublee b. 20 May 1868.

199. **Merritt Beach⁴ Rublee** (Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Dec 1849 in W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³⁴⁸ d. 28 Aug 1928 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC, buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹ Merritt Rublee was born and raised in Berkshire, VT. He married Alice Johnson there. The couple lived on a farm near West Berkshire for about ten years. In the winter of 1879, the Rublees sold the farm, moving to Minton, Quebec, near North Hatley. They became Canadian citizens (Charles Rublee quoted in Berger, 1974). The Rublees moved to Minton after a visit to Mrs. Rublee's parents, who had moved to Minton several years earlier. A neighboring farm was for sale, and they decided to buy it (Conner, R. G.)

"The Minton Methodist Church in Hatley Township was built in 1894. To erect it, Mr. Merritt Rublee was removed from part of his farm property." (Minton Methodist Church, Administrative History, <https://archivescanada.accesstomemory.ca/minton-methodist-church-2>).

He married **Alice Amelia Johnson**, 24 Sep 1869 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 21 May 1852 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³⁵⁰ (daughter of **Nathaniel Greene Johnson** [1811 - 1883] and **Malinda A. Brown** [1827 - 1894]), d. 5 Oct 1941 in Matane, La Matanie Region, QC,³⁵⁰ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹ Alice (Johnson) Rublee's father Nathaniel Johnson, was the brother of Cassander Johnson, early settler of Minton, Quebec (Conner, R. G, personal communication, 1982). In 1850, a Nathaniel Johnson lived in Berkshire, VT.

Children:

- + 340 i. Milton Addison⁵ Rublee b. 1 Oct 1870.
- 341 ii. Floy Ardell Rublee b. 24 Jul 1873 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 15 Aug 1888 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{351,352} buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹ Floy Rublee died of diphtheria during an epidemic (Charles Rublee manuscript).
- + 342 iii. Orson Elroy Rublee, M. D. b. 7 Nov 1876.

- + 343 iv. Marcia Lemira Rublee b. 6 Apr 1879.
- + 344 v. Marshall Cleveland Rublee b. 22 Jun 1884.
- + 345 vi. Charles "Charlie" Merritt Rublee b. 21 Dec 1892.
- + 346 vii. Myrtle Alice Rublee b. 10 Jan 1897.

200. **Andrew Humphrey⁴ Rublee** (Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 May 1847 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC,³⁵ d. 26 Jan 1892 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Andrew and Albert Rublee owned the Rublee Brothers drug store in Enosburg Falls VT. A. H. Rublee is listed as a manufacturer of cigars in Walton's Business Directory of 1879. The business was bought out by J. M. Jeffords by 1883 (Geraw, 1985). Is this the Andrew H. Rublee who is listed as resident in Burlington, VT in the Burlington City Directories of 1889 and 1890?

"Enosburgh Falls. A. H. Rublee, a well known and much respected citizen of this place, died from meningitis following la grippe on Tuesday morning, 26th inst. He had been ill but a few days when delirium set in and he was unconscious till death. Mr. Rublee had made many friends during his long residence in town. For many years he was associated with his brother, A. A. Rublee (still a resident of this place) in the drug and proprietary medicine business, which they sold out a few years since. For some years Mr. Rublee had been in poor health, but his sudden illness and death will be keenly felt by a large circle of business men and friends. The remaining brother and sister (Mrs. D. A. Harvey) the widow, two little girls and a boy, have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community. He passed out well prepared to meet the new life beyond, for such a kind and loving disposition at home and elsewhere cannot fail to meet a rich reward. He will be missed." (Richford Journal and Gazette (Richford, Vermont) 28 Jan 1892, Thu, page 3).

He married **Olive M. Lowry**, 16 Sep 1873 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 16 Nov 1849 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT (daughter of **Albert Lowry** [1810 - 1879] and **Sarah H. Stevens** [1817 - 1878]), d. 6 Feb 1932 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ In 1900, Olive (Lowry) Rublee and son Andrew boarded with Stephen and Elizabeth (Bishop) Myette in Jericho, VT. The census indicates that she had given birth to 4 children, 3 of whom were living. It does not appear that either of the Myettes were relatives. In 1910, she lived in Plainfield, VT with son Albert and family. Olive died at the Vermont State Hospital, where she had been a patient for 8 years.

Her maiden name was sometimes spelled Lowry and Lowrey.

"Mrs. Olive Rublee died Saturday morning Feb 6 at Waterbury. She born in Jericho Nov 16, 1848 daughter of Albert and Sarah Lowrey, being one of a large family having three brothers and four sisters. She was united in marriage with Andrew H. Rublee and most of her married life was spent in Enosburg Falls where Mr. Rublee died in January 1892 leaving her with three children Albert, Sadie and Ethel. In September 1906, she came to Plainfield living with her son on the farm that he purchased at that time and where she has since made her home. She leaves to mourn her loss her son Albert and his wife Minnie Rublee, three granddaughter Ada Helen and Mary Rublee, a grandson Roy Rublee all of Plainfield and a grandson Hartley Tierney of Westminster, also one brother Mark A. Lowrey of Chicago besides several nieces, nephews and other relatives. Her two daughters Sadie who was a successful school teacher and Mrs. Ethel Rublee Tierney passed away several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rublee attended the funeral which was held Monday afternoon Feb 8 at the home of Mrs. Rublee's niece Mrs. John Gibson in Enosburg Falls. The services were conducted by Rev. William J McFarlane pastor of the Methodist church of that place where Mrs. Rublee was an attendant at divine worship during her residence there. The bearers were all relatives, John Gibson, Emmet Gibson Robert Rublee and Clayton Rublee. Interment was in the family lot at Enosburg Falls where she was laid to rest beside her husband and daughter Sadie. Mrs. Rublee was one of the charter members of the Mother's club of Plainfield when that organization was started nearly 20 years ago and to the club she has ever been a beloved and loyal member. Besides her relatives she leaves a wide circle of friends for to know her was to love her as she was a woman of exceptionally high character and those who knew her personally truly count themselves fortunate. She was a woman of culture and refinement well trained in the arts of her day and generation a most industrious worker and a real lady of the old school who has lived a long life and lived it well. (The Barre Daily Times (Barre, Vermont) 18 Feb 1932, Thu, page 4).

Children:

- + 347 i. Albert Andrew⁵ Rublee b. 30 Jul 1877.
- 348 ii. Sarah "Sadie" Clara Rublee b. 28 Jul 1881 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 14 Oct 1910 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Sadie Rublee was a schoolteacher (Berger, 1974, unpagged). In 1900, she was a servant in the household of Theodore Armstrong in Enosburg, VT. In 1910, she lived in Montpelier where she was a teacher. She lived in the household of M. Raymond Dwinell. She died that year of lepto meningitis at the Sherwood Sanatorium in St. Albans. Her usual residence was given as Enosburg Falls, VT.

The Sherwood Sanatorium was opened in 1909 by Dr. Grace Willey Sherwood.

"Miss Sadie Rublee died at St. Albans Saturday morning, after a few days' illness with brain fever. Miss Rublee had been employed in that place for several weeks. Some ten days ago, Albert Rublee of this town [Plainfield] received word of her serious illness. He at once went to St. Albans, but as she seemed more comfortable, he came home in a few days. News was received Saturday morning of her death. Miss Rublee is survived by a mother, one sister Miss Ethel Rublee of Montpelier, and one brother, Albert Rublee of Plainfield, with whom the mother makes her home. Miss Rublee was a successful and popular teacher. Although having spent but a few weeks in Plainfield, she had made many friends, who extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved family." (The Barre Daily Times (Barre, Vermont), 17 Oct 1910).

- + 349 iii. Ethel Julia Rublee b. 15 May 1883.

202. **Louisa D.⁴ Rublee** (Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 1853 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC,³² d. 16 Oct 1893 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁵³ buried in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.

She married **Daniel A. Harvey**, 27 Apr 1875 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 5 Dec 1852 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵⁴ (son of **Luther F. Harvey** and **Eliza Bowers**), d. 29 Dec 1900 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{190,6} buried in Farnham's Corner Cem., Missisquoi Co., QC. "Harvey, Daniel A., son of Luther and Eliza (Bowers) Harvey, was born in Dunham, P. Q., December 5, 1852. Daniel lived at home until he was fourteen years of age, when he went to St. Albans and entered the employ of L. L. Dutcher, the well-known druggist of that place. After five years young Harvey went to work for the Central Vermont Railroad Company, and about four years later came to Enosburgh Falls, where he went into the general

merchandise business with A. H. Rublee, two years later becoming sole proprietor. In 1881 he went to Dakota, but returned the next year and began the manufacture of proprietary medicines with H. D. Kendall. Eventually Mr. Harvey became sole owner of the business, and has succeeded in building up a profitable trade in his special lines, among which is "Superior Healing Oil," "Kendall's Kidney and Liver Cure," "Sarsaparilla and Iron," "Elixir," "Cordial," "Pain Cure Pills," soothing syrup, and condition powders. In 1871 Mr. Harvey married Louisa Rublee, of which marriage one child has been born. In 1872 he was appointed postmaster at the Falls, an office he afterwards held for eight years." (Source: History of Franklin and Grand Isle counties, Vermont, Lewis Cass Aldrich - 1891 , CHAPTER XL.)

I cannot find the Harveys anywhere in the US in the 1880 census.

There is a stone for Louise D. Rublee, wife of Daniel A. Harvey in the Farnam's Corner Cemetery on Hudson Rd in E. Dunham, QC. However, it is noted that she is interred in Enosburg Falls, VT.

"DEATH OF D. A. HARVEY. Prominent Business Man of Enosburg Falls Dies of Typhoid Fever. (Special to The Messenger) Enosburg Falls, Dec. 29 D. A. Harvey, one of Enosburg Falls's well known businessmen, died at his home in this place at 6 o'clock this morning of typhoid fever, after an illness of only two weeks. Mr. Harvey was extensively engaged in the proprietary medicine business and was also a member of the firm of A. J. Croft & Co., produce dealers. He was a successful business man and one who will be greatly missed from among the citizens of the town. He is survived by an only son, who had been abroad during the past summer but fortunately had just returned. The funeral services will be held on Monday at 1 p. m. Public service will be held at opera hall as the most convenient place. Mr. Harvey was a member of Enosburg Lodge, No. 63, I. O. O. F., and the lodge will attend the service." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 29 Dec 1900, Sat, page 1).

Children:

- 350 i. Carl Wilder⁵ Harvey b. 26 Aug 1875 in VT, d. 7 Jan 1924 in Muskegon, Muskegon Co., MI,²¹⁴ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Carl W. Harvey lived in Saginaw City, Saginaw, Michigan in 1900. He was a carriage painter. In 1910, he lived in Brooklyn Ward 9, Kings, New York. He was a speculator. In both locations, he was a single lodger.

It appears that he was living in Louisville, KY in 1917. A Carl Wilder Harvey, born 26 Aug 1875 registered for the World War I draft there. He worked for the Salvation Army. His nearest relative is given as his aunt, Mrs. W. T. Westover of Dunham, QC. This would be Martha Harvey, wife of William Towner Westover.

Biographical sketch: "Carl W. Harvey owned houses in Cowansville and Dunham at the beginning of this century. He also lived in Brooklyn and Montreal. He managed his liquid assets and real estate and invested in the stock market. He was a member of the Salvation Army."

He died of heart disease while living at the Muskegon Hotel in Muskegon, MI. "Enosburg Falls -- The body of Carl W. Harvey, who died in a hotel in Muskegon, Mich., Tuesday, January 8, arrived in this place Monday evening and was placed in the vault." (St. Albans Weekly Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 24 Jan 1924, Thu, page 4).

204. **Alfred A.⁴ Rublee** (Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 13 Jan 1859 in Abbotsford, Rouville Co., QC,³⁵⁵ d. 12 Jan 1903 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁵⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Alfred Rublee immigrated to the United States about 1880, according to the 1900 census. An article in the April 15, 1879 Green Mountain Journal announced that D. A. Harvey was taking Alfred Rublee into partnership in his store. Harvey was Alfred Rublee's brother-in-law. Alfred and his brother Andrew later owned a drug store in Enosburg, VT. They sold the business to J. M. Jeffords and a Mr. Perley in 1883. (Jeffrey, 1907, page 304).

"A singular series of events happened in Vermont, a few weeks ago. While the wife of Albert [Alfred] Rublee, of that village, was dying, his drug store was burning, and at the same time Hannibal J. Rublee, another of the family, was being married. The Rublee brothers are cousins of H. I. Rublee, of this city." (The Auburn Bulletin, 3 Feb 1890) Cora Rublee died of consumption.

"The funeral of the late A. A. Rublee was held Thursday at 1:30 p. m. at his late home. The Rev. J. M. Beattie officiated. Music was rendered by the male quartette of the Episcopal church. The bearers were Ami Armstrong. H. B. Farrar. A. E. Balbraith and J. M. Jeffords. Interment was in the Missisquoi cemetery. The services at the grave were rendered under the direction I. O. O. F. of which the deceased was a member. Alfred A. Rublee was born January 13, 1859 in Abbotford, Que. He moved with his parents to this place when 14 years of age. He was married in September 1884 to Miss Cora B. Kimball. Mr. Rublee was again married January 1894 to Martha V. James, who with five children survive him." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 19 Jan 1903, Mon, page 3)

In 1920, Martha Rublee was a widow living in Enosburg, VT. In 1930, she lived in Franklin, VT. Robert and Hallie lived with her.

"DIES AFTER TRIP. Mrs. Martha Janes Rublee and daughter, Doris Loomis of Haydenville, arrived Wednesday as guests of Miss Ethel Janes of School Street. Mrs. Rublee is in her eightieth year and had made the wish to visit her son, Robert, and her niece, Ethel, again. Mrs. Rublee had been in failing health but seemed to have stood the trip all right. But she passed away in her sleep Friday morning. She is survived by a son, Robert, of Enosburg Falls, and three daughters, Doris Loomis and, Hallie Kittell of Haydenville and Gladys Hadd of Alburg; a niece, Miss Ethel Janes of this village and a nephew, Henry, of Laconia, and seven grandchildren. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed." (St. Albans Daily Messenger, St. Albans, Vermont 18 May 1946, Sat, page 2).

He married (1) **Cora Belle Kimball**, 30 Sep 1884 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 6 Nov 1863 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **Fernando Cortieze Kimball** [1843 - 1926] and **Lucinda Woodworth** [1844 - 1879]), d. 13 Jan 1890 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

He married (2) **Martha Viola Janes**, 31 Jan 1894 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 11 Jun 1861 in Sutton, Brome Co., QC (prob),⁶ (daughter of **Oliver S. Janes** [1826 - 1899] and **Phebe Austin** [1832 - 1873]), d. 17 May 1946 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

Children:

- 351 i. Katherine Mattie⁵ Rublee b. 5 Nov 1894 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 18 Feb 1912 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Katherine Rublee's birth record is listed under Catherine Rublac. Her year of death is incorrectly given as 1909 on her gravestone. An inkblot on her death record obscures her year of death, but her obituary and probate record confirm that she died 18 Feb 1912.

"The funeral of Katherine M. Rublee, who died Sunday night, February 18, was held at St. Matthew's church Tuesday afternoon, February 20, at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Frank DeFrees Miller officiating. The bearers were Oscar Rose, Glen Rublee, Orloff Holden, and Carroll Cramton. The choir of the church sang. The members of the young woman's class at the high school attended in a body; also members of Harmony Rebekah Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of which the young woman's mother is a member. Those people from out of town present at the funeral were C. L. Smith, of Swanton, Miss Etta Smith, of St. Albans, and Mrs. W. T. Forsythe, of Richford. The body was placed in the vault." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 21 Feb 1912, Wed, page 4).

- + 352 ii. Doris Louise Rublee b. 26 Jul 1896.

- 353 iii. Robert Janes Rublee b. 4 Oct 1898 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,²⁴¹ d. 5 Jul 1967 in Greenfield, Franklin Co., MA,⁹⁰ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Robert Rublee's birth record is listed under Infant Male Rublee. In 1920, he lived with his mother in Enosburg Falls, VT. In 1930, they lived in Franklin, VT. He worked in a garage. In 1940, they were back in Enosburg Falls.

Did he marry Sarah Fullington?

"ROBERT J. RUBLEE HAYDENVILLE, Mass. - Robert J. Rublee. 68, died at Franklin County Hospital in Greenfield following a short illness. Mr. Rublee was resident of Enosburg Falls, Vt., for many years but for the past 18 years, had made his home at Haydenville. He was born in Enosburg Falls Oct. 4, 1898, the son of Alfred and Martha (Janes) Rublee. During the years he lived in Vermont, he was an employee of Central Vermont Railway, the Champlain Chevrolet Co. and the H. B. Jones Co. and had served as chief engineer of the Enosburg Falls Fire Department. He leaves one sister. Mrs. Albert (Hallie) Kittell of Haydenville; also a niece and several nephews. Funeral services will be at the Dutton Funeral Home, Northampton, Mass., Friday at 4 p.m. Burial will be at the Missisquoi Cemetery in Enosburg Falls at 1:30 p.m. Saturday." (Burlington Free Press, 6 Jul 1967, Thu).

- + 354 iv. Gladys M. Rublee b. 7 Jun 1900.

- + 355 v. Hallie Irene Rublee b. 10 Jul 1902.

205. **Hannah or Anna⁴ Rublee** (Alonzo³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. May 1833 in VT, d. 4 Nov 1913 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁴ In 1850, Hannah Rublee was 16 and living in Racine, Racine Co., WI with the Isaiah F. Parker Family. Anna's mother had died in 1842, when she was about 9 years old. Perhaps she went to live with the Parker family after that time. Isaiah Parker was related to the Rublees by marriage. Hannah's grandmother Eloyce (Gray) Rublee was a sister of Isaiah's mother Bathsheba (Gray) Parker. Bathsheba's husband was Ariel Parker.

Francis Manville Rublee, son of Francis and Eloyce (Gray) Rublee married in Racine Co. in 1845. He was born in 1814.

In 1850, George Vantine lived in Racine with his parents. He was a grocer, age 30, born in NY. In 1860, G. H. and Hannah Vantine lived in Rushford, Winnebago Co., WI with their two children Kate and Mattie. George was 39, born in OH (probably an error. He appears to have been born in NY) and Hannah 26, born in VT. Kate was 7 and Mattie 1, both born in WI.

George Van Tine served in the Civil War. Anna Hall applied for a pension in 1908, from California.

By 1870, Hannah/Anna married her second cousin Ova Hall. Ova and Anna Hall lived in Carlos, MN in 1870. Ova was 33, born in NY and Anna was 35, born in VT. In the home was Mattie Vantine, age 11, born in WI. Hannah's older daughter Catherine did not move to Minnesota. She was living with William and Martha (Powell) Chipman in Burlington, Racine, WI. See notes for Catherine for more information.

In 1880, an O. H. Hall (or A. H.?), age 42, born in NY, lived in Gunnison, Gunnison, CO. His wife Anna, age 42, was born in VT (as were both of her parents). Children were Mattie, age 20; Leffie, age 9; both born in WI; and Edith, age 6; Hoyt, age 5, both born in MN. This was a mining town. O. H. Hall was a freighter. They continued to live there in 1885.

In 1900, Ova Hoyt Hall and wife Hannah lived in Montrose, Montrose, CO. Ova was born in Dec 1835 in NY. Hannah was born in May 1836 (she was age 64) in Vermont. Her parents were also born in VT. Hannah had borne 8 children, 6 living. Ova was a farmer. Also in the home was daughter Edith Eversole, born Oct 1873 in MN. She was divorced. Ova and Hannah had been married for 33 years, which would put their marriage about 1867.

In 1910, Ova H. and Anna R. Hall lived in Santa Ana, Orange, CA. They were 73 and 75. They had been married for 42 years. It was Ova's first marriage and Anna's second. Anna had 8 children, 5 living. Ova was born in NY; his parents were born in VT. Anna was born in VT, as were her parents. Daughter Edith H. Eversole was living with them. She was 36, divorced.

"In the death of Mrs. Hannah Rublee Hall, wife of O. H. Hall, senior, on Tuesday, Nov. 4, her family and a wide circle of acquaintances and friends suffered the loss of devoted wife, mother and friend. Born in Burlington, Vermont, Mrs. Hall died in Los Angeles at the age of 78 years. She had lived in New England, the Middle West and in Texas before traveling westward to the Rocky mountains, where for many years she was a resident of the western slope of Colorado in the towns of Gunnison and Montrose, coming from the latter place to Santa Ana, where she resided with her husband for about five years. Two years ago the Halls removed to Los Angeles. Mrs. Hall leaves her husband, O. H. Hall; two daughters, Miss Kate Van Tine of Burlington, Wisconsin, and Mrs. M. M. Mather of Los Angeles; two sons, L. F. J. Hall and Hoyt Hall of Los Angeles. To all who knew her, Mrs. Hall was a model of gentleness, patience and sweetness of character. Practically an invalid for over thirty years, and a "shut-in" for the last few years of her life, she set a beautiful example for others in cheerfulness and serenity. Ever uncomplaining, she comforted others far more fortunate in health and strength than herself. Refined in manner, she exerted a wonderful influence over all with whom she came in contact; of much intellectual and moral strength her leading was always towards the higher things of existence. She will long be lovingly remembered by family and friends. On Thursday last funeral services for Mrs. Hall were held in W. A. Brown's undertaking parlors, Los Angeles, Rev. Chas. H. Seecombe conducting the impressive rites. A funeral car conveyed the remains, the family and close friends to Evergreen Cemetery, Los Angeles, where after a

tender prayer said over the [casket covered with lovely flowers sent by many friends, the body of this well-loved woman was cremated in accordance with her wish." (Santa Ana Register (Santa Ana, California) 11 Nov 1913, Tue, page 5

In 1920, Ova was a widower living with daughter Edith Eversole in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., CA.

She married (1) **George Henry Vantine**, 26 Jun 1851 in Racine Co., WI,¹³³ b. bef 4 Feb 1820 in Aurelius, Cayuga Co., NY,³⁵⁷ (son of **Daniel C. Van Tine** and **Almira Brown**), d. Mar 1862 in Racine Co., WI.

Children:

- 356 i. Catherine "Kate"⁵ Vantine b. Dec 1853 in Racine Co., WI (prob), d. 13 Mar 1918 in Burlington, Racine Co., WI. Kate Van Tine's father George died when she was a child. Her mother, Hannah Rublee, re-married. Kate's sister Mattie went to live with her mother and stepfather. Kate, apparently, did not. Sometime before 1870, she went to live with William and Martha (Powell) Chipman. Perhaps she did not want to move with her mother to a new location. I have not been able to determine if there was any family relationship.

In 1870, William Chipman with wife Martha and daughter Catherine lived in Burlington, Racine Co., WI. Martha was 35, born in Vermont. Catherine was 17, born in Wisconsin. William was 47, born in Canada.

In 1880, William E. and Martha M. Chipman still lived in Burlington. Kate S. Van Tine, age 27, was living with them. Her relationship to William and Martha is not given. Martha was born in Vermont, as were her parents. Kate was born in WI, her mother in VT and her father in NY.

William apparently died in 1893. In 1900, Martha Chipman was head of household in Burlington. Kate Vantine, listed as her daughter, was living with her. Martha was born in Oct 1834 in Vermont. Kate was born in Dec 1853 in Wisconsin. Martha is listed as a widow, having had one child, one living. Helen D. Johnson, a niece born Jan 1887 in IL, age 13, was also living with them. Her father was born in PA and her mother in WI.

They continued to live together in Burlington in 1910, but now Kate is listed as Martha's niece. The census says that Martha had no children. In 1920, Martha was living in Burlington, age 84. Kate no longer lived with her.

"SUDDEN DEATH OF MISS KATE VANTINE Caused by a Fall on the Ice at her home found Dead by Neighbors. News of the death of Miss Kate VanTine on Wednesday evening about 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Chipman, at Browns lake, was a severe shock to her many friends. It seems that she had been up and around during the day as well as usual and about dusk left the house on an errand for a few minutes, leaving Mrs. Chipman, who is in quite feeble health, all alone. As she did not return as expected Mrs. Chipman became alarmed and not having a telephone in the house made her way to the home of H. C. F. Rohr nearby and gave the alarm. On search being made the body of Miss VanTine was found lying on the ground at the Chipman home. It is thought that on her return she slipped on the ice on the porch and pitched head first over the railing and struck on the ground, as a deep dent was found near where she was found. Dr. W. A. Prouty was called at once and found that Miss

VanTine's neck was broken by the fall, which caused instant death. The funeral will be held from the Chipman home on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. T. P. Hilborne officiating.

Miss VanTine was 56 years of age and was born in Racine. When twelve years of age she came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Chipman and has always lived there. She was highly respected by all who knew her and her untimely death will be sincerely mourned by her many friends." (Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Wisconsin) 14 Mar 1918, Thu, page 1)

Note that Martha Chipman's 1921 obituary indicates that she and her husband adopted Kate VanTine in 1863.

- 357 ii. Mattie Vantine b. Dec 1859 in Racine Co., WI (prob), d. 26 Dec 1928 in Los Angeles Co., CA.¹⁴⁷ In 1870, Mattie Vantine lived with her mother and stepfather in Carlos, MN. In 1880, she lived with them in Gunnison, CO. She was 11. She is listed as daughter Mattie Hall.

The Mathers were married in 1883 and had two children in Colorado: Sybil Irene, born in April 1885; and Noel Eugene, born 3 Nov 1890.

In 1900, Leon lived alone in his own household in Gunnison, CO. He was born in June 1853. He stated that he was married for 17 years, but there is no wife in the home. Mattie Mather was head of her own household in Montrose, CO. Her children Sybil and Eugene lived with her. She also stated that she was married, for 17 years. The couple divorced in 1905.

"MATTIE MATHER GETS DIVORCE. Mattie Mather was granted a divorce from Louis L. Mather, a laundryman, this morning, on the ground of cruelty. She complained that he told her to go to work and persisted in lazing about the house." (Oakland Tribune (Oakland, California) 25 Oct 1909, Mon, page 1). Presumably this is the same Mattie. Was Louis brother to Leon?

In 1910, Leon Mather lived in Salt Lake City, Utah. Irene S. Mather, age 24; and Noel E. Mather, age 19 were lodgers in a large establishment in Los Angeles, CA. Irene was an information (?) manager for the electric railroad. Noel was a clerk in a ticket office. I cannot find Mattie.

In 1920, Leon lived in Weber, UT. Mattie lived in Pasadena, CA. Both of her children lived with her. Two young children were also in the home: Sybil J. Mather, age 4 and Noelina C. Mather, age 2. They were Noel's children; he was then a widower.

She married (1) Leon Deming Mather, 13 May 1883 in Gunnison, Gunnison Co., CO,³⁵⁸ b. 23 Jun 1853 in Columbus, Warren Co., PA,³⁵⁹ (son of Jedediah Peck Mather and Sally Deming), d. 11 Apr 1927 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO,²⁵⁸ buried in Maplewood Lawn Memorial Cem., Emporia, KS.³⁵⁹

She married (2) Louis L. Mather.

- 358 iii. Carrie Alice Vantine b. abt 1861 in Racine Co., WI (prob), d. 1 Aug 1900 in Salem, Marion Co., OR.³⁶⁰ In 1880 William and Carrie Coulter lived in Racine, WI. William's mother Mary

Coulter and his siblings Eunice and John lived with them. In 1885, the Coulters lived in Council Bluffs, Pottawattamie Co., KS.

In 1892, Carrie married again in Colorado, to P. C. Withers. In 1900, Carrie A. Withers, age 41, place of birth unknown, was an inmate at the Oregon State Insane Asylum in E. Salem, OR. She was a housewife. Carrie apparently died at the Asylum. She is buried in the Asylum cemetery.

She married (1) William Alonzo Coulter, 7 Apr 1880 in Racine Co., WI,¹⁵³ b. 8 Aug 1854 in Akron, Summit Co., Ohio (son of James Coulter and Mary Ann _____), d. 7 Nov 1898 in Tucson, Pima Co., AZ, buried in Forest Hill Cem., Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.³⁶¹

She married (2) Peter Clay Withers, 22 Nov 1892 in Montrose, Montrose Co., CO,³⁵⁸ b. 12 Jul 1857 in Corvallis, Benton Co., OR (son of Peter Claynas Withers and Effie Ann Early), d. 21 Nov 1932 in Eugene, Lane Co., OR,³⁶² buried in Gillespie Cem., Eugene, Lane Co., OR.³⁶³

"Peter Clay Withers died Monday night at the Pacific Christian hospital. Funeral services will be held from the Poole-Gray-Bartholomew chapel in Springfield Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in the Gillespie cemetery.

Mr. Withers was born on a farm near Corvallis July 12, 1857. He moved to Texas when he was 16 years old and came west to Colorado at the age of 30. He later moved to Lake county, Oregon and for the past ten years had lived with his son Roy A. Withers in Marcola.

Mr. Withers is survived by his son Roy and a sister, Mrs. Charles Hadley of Blue River." (Gillespie Cemetery Association on findagrave.com).

She married (2) **Ova Hoyt Hall**, 11 Feb 1868 in WI (prob) (See marriage to number 147). Ova Hall's place of birth is consistently given as New York in the census.

Children:

(See marriage to number 147)

206. **Francis Alberry⁴ Rublee** (William "Martindale"³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. cal 20 Feb 1832 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob), d. 25 Dec 1907 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI,³⁶⁴ buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.²⁰⁵ In 1854, Francis A. Rublee was a single gentlemen, born in Vermont, and living in LaCrosse, WI. Francis A. Rublee bought land in LaCrosse Co., WI on 15 Apr 1856. He was a carpenter.

In 1860, Francis Rublee was 26 years old, lived in Bangor, LaCrosse, WI with wife Catherine, age 26. He was born in Vermont. They did not yet have children. A laborer, age 20, whose name I cannot read, was also in the home.

In 1870, Francis A. Rublee was 38, lived in Barre, Lacrosse, WI. He was born in Vermont. Also in the home were Kate, age 32, born in New York and Cora A., age 8, born in Wisconsin. He lived three households away from Sarah (Whitney) (Rublee) Hayes, formerly married to Francis M. Rublee.

In 1875, Francis A. "Rubelee" lived in Hamilton, LaCrosse Co., WI. In the home were 1 male and 3 females.

In 1880, Francis A. Rublee was 47 years old and living in West Salem (Hamilton), WI. He and both of his parents were born in Vermont. His wife was Kate, age 46. She was born in New York, as were her parents. They had a daughter Adella, age 9, born in Wisconsin. Francis was a carpenter.

In 1900, Francis A. Rublee lived with his daughter Cora and her husband Robert Ladd in LaCrosse, WI. His marital status is given as widowed. In 1900, a Kate Rublee, age 60, born Jan 1840 in NY lived in W. Salem, WI. She was divorced and working as a dressmaker. She had given birth to 2 children, both living. This is probably the same Kate.

In 1900, Kate Rublee, born Jan 1840, age 60, lived alone in W. Salem, LaCrosse Co., WI. In the 1905 Wisconsin state census, Kate Rublee was head of household in West Salem, WI. She was 71 years of age, born in Ohio. She was a dressmaker. She is listed as married, but no other person lived in the home.

In 1910, Kate Rublee, widowed, lived in West Salem, WI. Her daughter, K. Adella Billings, age 39, also widowed, lived with her. The census indicates that Kate had 3 children, 2 living.

In 1910, a Chas. K. Harrison lived in La Crosse. His wife was Cora. They had been married for 8 years.

"Francis A. Rublee, Old Resident, Dies. End Comes at Home of His Daughter, Mrs. Harrison. Early Resident of County. Was Prominent in Contracting Business and Formerly Led the West Salem Band and Orchestra. Shortly after 4 o'clock this morning, after a brief illness with complications of diseases, Francis A. Rublee, a pioneer farmer and contractor of this county, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. K. Harrison, 1213 Winnebago street, age 75 years.

Mr. Rublee was born in Vermont, in 1832 and after receiving an education in the schools at Vermont, emigrated to this county and took up a farm in Bostwick Valley. He remained there until late in the fifties when he moved to West Salem and engaged as a building contractor. While at West Salem he was leader of the West Salem band and orchestra and was well known among the musicians of the vicinity. He came to LaCrosse about 13 years ago and although he has been retired from active business, has been prominent in the court work. He acted as undersheriff for several terms.

Mr. Rublee is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. K. Harrison of this city and Mrs. George Billings of West Salem, and a large number of other relatives and friends in this county. The funeral arrangements have not been completed, but will probably be under the auspices of the Masonic lodge, of which he was a prominent member." (LaCrosse Tribune, 25 Dec 1907, page 1).

"MRS. KATHERINE RUBLEE Mrs. Katherine Rublee, a resident of West Salem, died at 4:30 p. m. Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. K. Harrison, 727 West Avenue South. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon from the Tetley, Sletten and Dahl funeral chapel. 211 South Sixth street. Interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery. Friends are requested to omit flowers." (The La Crosse Tribune, La Crosse, Wisconsin, 20 Aug 1917, Mon, page 6).

He married **Katherine "Kate" Mcmannus**, bef 1860 in La Crosse Co., WI?, b. 1836 in NY or OH,²⁰⁵ d. 19 Aug 1917 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,²⁰⁵ buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.²⁰⁵

Children:

- + 359 i. Cora Arabella⁵ Rublee b. Oct 1862.
- 360 ii. Katie "Adella" "Della" Rublee b. abt 1871 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI, d. 28 Apr 1934 in Prairie, Jackson Co., MO.³⁶⁵ In 1900, George A. and Della Billings lived in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO. They did not have children. In 1910, a widowed K. Adella Billings lived in West Salem, WI with her mother Kate Rublee. I cannot find her in the 1920 census. In 1930, is likely the Della Billings, age 63, born in WI, who was an inmate in the Jackson County Home for the Aged and Infirm in Prairie, Jackson Co., MO. This date of death is for that Della, whose parents given as unknown on her death record, but who was born in WI.

She married George A. Billings, 29 Jun 1893 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,¹³³ b. Oct 1862 in Macumia, St. Lawrence Co., NY (son of John A. Billings and Harriet G. Grow), d. 25 Mar 1907 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO, buried in Forest Hill Cem., Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.³⁶⁶

207. **Marcus Altamont⁴ Rublee** (William "Martindale"³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 11 Mar 1837 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),¹⁹² d. 26 May 1898 in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI,¹⁴⁵ buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹² Note that his name is spelled variously Marcus and Marcuis. There are a couple of other Rublee males name Marquis, so perhaps Marcuis is "correct", as the pronunciation would probably be the same. On the other hand, his name is spelled Marcus on his gravestone.

In 1850, Marcus lived with his step-mother Mary Rublee, in the Delevan, Walworth Co., WI, in the household of Mary's sister and her husband, Sophronia and Amos Eastman. He was 13 years old, born in Vermont. I am unable to find Marcuis Rublee in the 1860 census in Wisconsin.

In 1870, M. A. Rublee lived in Marion, Juneau, WI with his wife's parent, Stephen and Lydia Hungerford. He was 31, born in Vermont and working as a carpenter. His wife Mary was 25, born in New York.

In 1876, M. A. Rublee was treasurer in Newport, Columbia Co., WI. M. A. Rublee is mentioned a number of times in the Milwaukee Sentinel in 1877. On 3 Feb, he was directing a concert at Delton; on 13 Jul he was to conduct a musical concert at Montello; on 31 Oct, it was reported that his wife was injured when thrown from a carriage. Earlier, in the 15 Dec 1876 issue, it was reported that he had charge of the music and program at the club hall in Kilbourn.

In 1879, M. A. Rublee was trustee of Kilbourn City, WI. The 1880 census includes Marcus A. Rublee, 43, born in Vermont, was living in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI with wife Mary (35, born in NY) and daughter Louisa (age 7, born in WI). His occupation is listed as professor of music.

"Prof. M. A. Rublee was elected treasurer of the village of Mauston [WI] at the recent election. Mr. Rublee is a gentleman well qualified for the position, and we congratulate the good-natured "Wind-jammer" on his success. (Elroy Tribune, April 12, 1882)

"The Mauston Cornet Band, under leadership of Prof. M. A. Rublee, maintains its position as one of the best bands in the State. They have recently procured a new and tasty uniform and are deserving the rank they have attained." (Mauston Star, May 22, 1884)

In June 1885, M. A. Rublee was living in Mauston, Juneau Co., WI when the 1885 Wisconsin state census was taken. There was one male and two females living in the household.

In 1900, Marcius's widow Mary was living in Kilbourn Village. She was 65, born in New York. Nearby was living William H. Blatchley (born Oct 1872, WI), wife Louisa (born Jan 1873, WI, father born in VT and mother in NY) and daughter Theodosia (born Mar 1892 in WI). This would appear to be Marcuis and Mary's daughter Louisa and a second husband. William was a photographer.

In 1910, Marcius's widow Mary lived in Kilbourn. She was 55, born in New York. She was head of household. Her granddaughter, Theodosia Hayden, age 20, lived with her. Theodosia was a music teacher. The census indicates that Mary had one child, who was still living.

Marcius's uncle Alonzo Rublee also had connections to Kibourn, Columbia, WI. He died in Columbia County 1870 and is buried in the same lot in Spring Grove Cemetery in Newport.

"Frank Pooler
2801 Engel Drive
Los Alamitos, Ca
90720

Greetings:

My name is Frank Pooler and I am trying to determine whether or not Prof. M.A. Rublee, a renown[ed] bandmaster in Mauston, Wisconsin and my hometown of Onalaska, Wisconsin in the 1880's, was the grandfather of Homer Grunn--composer and pianist. Grunn was the son of Johannas Ludvig Grunn and a lady whose last name was Rublee. The Grunn's home was in Pipestone, Minnesota.

I am a musician, retired from California State University-Long Beach. From what I read in the Onalaska Record in the 1880s this Prof. M.A. Rublee had a statewide reputation as the greatest bandsman in the Mid-West.

Any information would be appreciated. Thank you

Frank Pooler"

On 5/22/03, from Frank Pooler [fpooler@earthlink.net]

Dear Cindy,

Thanks for your email of May 19. It was very interesting for me to learn that Prof. M. A. Rublee was the great-uncle of Homer Grunn. There are many items about Homer Grunn on the internet. During his time

Grunn was an internationally known as a pianist and composer. Since he was not recorded and his own music became dated soon after his death in the mid-40's, his days were "as grass - the wind passes over and it is gone" to borrow from the Psalms.

Homer and Frank E. Pooler (my father), were first cousins as well as close friends and I often heard the Grunn name mentioned during my boyhood days in Onalaska, Wisconsin.

Another celebrity musician in his own day was Prof. M. A. Rublee. I quote the following clips from the La Crosse Country Record, the only newspaper printed in my home town:

June 7, 1888: Prof M. A. Rublee labored with the Elroy (Wisconsin) band last Fri & Sat

June 21, 1888: Prof. Rublee, in some respects an irrepressible gentle man, from Onalaska, arrived here a week ago today & put the band boys on their musical tops for Old Settlers Day. No band instructor in the state is more proficient in the art than this same gentleman. He left for home Thu--Bessemer (Wis) Times

July 5, 1888: Since Prof Bangs has come to the front as a band leader instructor it is said Prof Rublee talks of retiring.

July 12, 1888: Mrs. M. A. Rublee visited at West Salem the first of the week.

August 16, 1888: Prof. M. A. Rublee returned to the city last Fri after an absence of two weeks. He had been laid up at Killbourn several days for repairs.

September 20, 1888: Prof. M. A. Rublee has been in the Eastern part of the state instructing bands for two weeks past.

February 28, 1889: Prof. M. A. Rublee, the musical wonder of Onalaska, arrived here yesterday & will give the Electric Band a little brushing up--Baraboo (Wisconsin) Times

These clippings jolted my interest in the Rublee/Grunn connection.

Just a few hours ago I had lunch with a Band Historian who had heard of Prof. Rublee. I was struck - dumb! It would have fun to have known Wisconsin's MUSIC MAN.

Many thanks,
Frank Pooler.

He married **Mary Adelle Hungerford**, 21 Feb 1867 in Adams Co., WI,¹³³ b. 24 Nov 1845 in Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY?,¹⁹² (daughter of **Stephen Hungerford** and **Lydia "Lillie" M. Root**), d. 8 May 1915 in Columbia Co., WI,¹⁹² buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹²

Children:

+ 361 i. Eloise "Louise" A.⁵ Rublee b. 12 Jan 1874.

209. **Francis Manville⁴ Rublee** (Francis Manville "F. M."³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 19 Jun 1856 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI,³⁶⁷ d. 9 Jun 1935 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Grandview Mem. Pk., Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁶⁸ In 1890, F. M. Rublee was president of the Bank of Commerce in Broken Bow, NE, according to the 1890-1 Business Directory & Farmer's List of the Nebraska State Gazetteer. In 1910, Francis M. and Harriet Rublee were counted in the census in both Broken Bow, NE and in Los Angeles, CA.

The Nebraska census was taken 14 May 1910. There and then, son Kenneth was living with them. Francis Rublee was a real estate broker. The Los Angeles census was taken on 23 April 1910. Son Kenneth was not listed in the household. Francis was a banker. Harriet had given birth to 4 children, two of whom were living.

In 1920, Francis Rublee was a widower, age 65, living alone in Los Angeles, CA. In 1930, Francis M. and Linda M. Rublee lived in Beverly Hills, CA. Francis was still a banker. His age at first marriage was 28; Linda's was 44. In 1940, a widowed Linda Rublee lived in Kern, CA.

He married (1) **Harriet "Hattie" Susan Slater**, 28 Apr 1881 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,²¹¹ b. 21 Nov 1858 in IL,³⁶⁸ (daughter of **William J. Slater** [1832 -] and **Helen Lydia Bathrick** [1836 -]), d. 4 Nov 1913 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Grandview Mem. Pk., Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁶⁸

Children:

- + 362 i. Francis "Frank" Manville⁵ Rublee III b. 23 Apr 1883.
- 363 ii. Infant Rublee.
- 364 iii. Kenneth Russell Rublee b. 22 Mar 1892 in Broken Bow, Custer Co., NE,³⁶⁸ d. 19 Dec 1990 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in Green Hills Mem. Park, Rancho Palos Verdes, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁶⁹ In 1930, Kenneth Rublee was single, a boarder in the home Los Angeles. In 1940, Kenneth and Leda Rublee lived in Los Angeles, CA.

He married (1) Virginia H. Schwartz, 21 Nov 1931 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³³⁰ b. abt 1907 in Pittsburgh, Allegheny Co., PA,³⁷⁰ divorced bef 31 Dec 1936. At the time of her second marriage to Robert A. Gray in 1936, Virginia and her intended husband lived in Honolulu, Hawaii. The application for a marriage license states that she was a nature of Pittsburg, PA.

He married (2) Leda Melinda Pollock, 16 Mar 1940 in Las Vegas, Clark Co., NV,³⁷⁰ b. 29 Dec 1900 in Kanarraville, Iron Co., UT,³⁷⁰ (daughter of Samuel Lorenzo Pollock and Ellenor Matilda Davis), d. 3 Sep 1990 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in Green Hills Mem. Park, Rancho Palos Verdes, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁶⁹ "Visitation will be tonight for Leda Malinda Rublee, a Redondo Beach resident for 65 years. Born Dec. 29, 1900, in Utah, she died Sept. 3, 1990, at home. Mrs. Rublee was a member of the Redondo Beach Women's Club, the South Bay Garden Club and Daughters of the American Revolution, and received an award from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints for her community work.

She is survived by her husband, Kenneth; four brothers, Verl of Silmar, Austin of Washington, Woodrow of Oregon and Blaine of Utah; and five sisters, Edith Sorensen of Ventura, Violet Riggins of San Fernando, Lorraine Brader of Arizona, Cleora Bayles of Utah and Wilma Trimble of Oregon.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. at Rice Mortuary, Torrance. Services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at the Church of Latter-day Saints, Torrance. Burial will follow at Green Hills Memorial Park, Rancho Palos Verdes." (Daily Breeze (Torrance, CA) - Thursday, September 6, 1990).

- 365 iv. Infant Daughter Rublee b. 22 Mar 1892, d. 1892, buried in Hillside Cem., North Loup, Valley Co., NE.³⁷¹

He married (2) **Mary "Linda" Spurlock**, 25 Mar 1920 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 23 Sep 1874 in Wilmington, Los Angeles Co., CA (prob),³²⁹ (daughter of **William Albert Spurlock** and **Anna Eliza Rickman**), d. 14 Mar 1947 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in Grand View Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁷² No Linda Spurlock is listed in the 1880 census for California. There is a Mary L. Spurlock, age 5, daughter of William A. and Anna E. Spurlock, living in Wilmington, Los Angeles, CA. Apparently Linda was her middle name. In 1910, "Linda" was a boarder living in Eureka Ward 3, Humboldt, CA with W. H. and Jeannette Feselen. Her occupation is listed as "none". In 1920, "Linda" was living with her sister Sue in Venice, Los Angeles, CA. Their mother, Anna E. Spurlock, was living with them. Linda worked as a secretary in a public school.

210. **Sarah Catherine "Kate"⁴ Rublee** (Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1853 in WI,¹⁷¹ d. 22 Jun 1924 in Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in CD.

She married **Johannes "John" Ludvig Grunn**, 1873 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI?,¹⁷¹ b. 23 Dec 1846 in Frediksværn, Vestfold, Norway,³⁷³ (son of **Johannes Hansen Gron** and **Louise Simkhoff**), d. 27 Sep 1905 in Pipestone, Pipestone Co., MN, d. in Onalaska City Cem., Onalaska, LaCrosse Co., WI.³⁷⁴ "John" was christened Johannes Ludvig constants Johannesen.

In 1870, John L. Grunn was living in Barre, LaCrosse, WI. He was a dry goods merchant boarding with John and Cordelia Sheerwood.

In 1880, the Grunns are counted in the census twice. First, in W. Salem, LaCrosse Co., WI and second in Pipestone, MN. If John Jr.'s place of birth is accurate, they had just moved to Minnesota. John was 34, born in Norway. His father was born in Norway and his mother in Germany. Sarah C. was 26, born in WI. Charles E. was 6; Albert P. was 3 and John E. 1 month old. All three were born in Wisconsin. John was a merchant.

Miss Hattie Rublee, of Chicago was in Pipestone, MN visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Grunn in August of 1885. The Grunns lived in Pipestone at the time of the 1885 and 1895 Minnesota Territorial census, and the 1900 census. Their 3 sons still lived with them in 1880. As did Fay Griffin, niece, born 1892 in IL. This census indicates that John had come to the US in 1863 and was not a citizen. The Grunn's year of marriage is given as 1873.

"PIPESTONE, MINN. - John L. Grunn, one of the leading merchants and a pioneer citizen of this city, died at his home here last evening." (The Minneapolis Journal (Minneapolis, Minnesota) 30 Sep 1905, Sat, page 15)

In 1910, Sarah lived with son C. Homer Grunn in Phoenix, AZ. A 1911 city directory for Los Angeles, CA lists Sarah Grunn, widow. J. Homer Grunn also lived there. In 1920, Sarah C. Grunn lived in Los Angeles with her son John H. Grunn and his family.

"Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah C. Grunn, 71 years of age, mother of J. Homer Grunn, prominent Los Angeles musician, will be conducted tomorrow at 10 a.m. from the Bresee Brothers' undertaking parlors, 855 South Figueroa street. The body will be cremated at the Hollywood Crematory. Mrs. Grunn died early yesterday morning of heart disease at a local sanatorium. She had been in failing health since last October. Born in Wisconsin, Mrs. Grunn spent the most of her life in the East. She came to Arizona fourteen years ago and shortly afterward moved to California. She leaves three sons. J. Homer Grunn, 1601 West Forty-seventh street, Dr. A. P. Grunn of Chicago and Charles E. Grunn of Minneapolis." (The Los Angeles Times (Los Angeles, California) 23 Jun 1924, Mon, page 19).

Children:

- 366 i. Charles Elmer⁵ Grunn b. 1 Aug 1873 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI (prob),²⁴¹ d. 17 Sep 1947 in Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., MN?,¹¹⁹ buried ashes scattered in Lakewood Cem., Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., MN.³⁷⁵ In 1910, Charles and Luella Grunn lived in Watertown, Codington Co., SD. In 1920, they lived in Minneapolis, MN. I cannot find them after that.

He married (1) Ella Winefred Davey, 9 Jul 1902 in Luvern, Pipestone Co., MN.³⁷⁶

He married (2) Luella T. (Briggs) Hattenback, 5 Jan 1909 in Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., MN,³⁷⁶ b. abt 1873 in IL (daughter of Theodore Briggs and Elizabeth Smith), d. 17 Dec 1931 in Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., MN.²⁶

- 367 ii. Albert Parker Grunn b. 29 Aug 1876 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,^{241,365} d. 12 May 1931 in Fishing River, Clay Co., MO,³⁶⁵ buried in Memorial Park Cem., Skokie, Cook Co., IL.³⁷⁷ Albert and Julia lived in Chicago, IL when Albert registered for the World War I draft. They lived there in 1930 as well. Albert was a dentist. His residence was Chicago, IL when he died in Missouri of a heart problem.

He married (1) Alice L. Boettiger, 7 Jan 1903 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁷⁸ b. 7 Jan 1884 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³¹² (daughter of Louis Boettiger and Louise _____).

He married (2) Jane "Anna" Watson, 21 Apr 1911 in Lake Co., IN,³⁷⁹ b. 9 Mar 1879 in AR,²⁸¹ d. 16 Mar 1977 in Riverside Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Memorial Park Cem., Skokie, Cook Co., IL.³⁶⁵

- 368 iii. John "Homer" Grunn b. 5 May 1880 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,³⁸⁰ d. 6 Jun 1944 in Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Angelus Rosedale Cem., Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁸¹ In 1920, John H. Grunn was living in Los Angeles, CA with his wife Nell C. and family. He was a piano teacher. He became a well-known composer and pianist, known as Homer Grunn.

"GRUNN, John Homer, pianist, composer; b. West Salem, Wis., May 5, 1880; s. John Ludwig and Sarah Catherine (Ruble) G.; studied music under Emil Liebling, Kimball Hall, Chicago, 111., and Dr. Ernest Jedliczka, Sterns Conservatory, Berlin; m. Nell Celeste Denhart, of Pipestone, Minn., Dec. 28, 1905; children—Catherine Lydia (Mrs. Wendelin Dreyfuss), Nell Celeste, Sylvia Isabell. Debut at Kimball Hall, Chicago, 1900; teacher of piano, Chicago Musical Coll., 1903'07; moved to Los Angeles, Calif., 1910; soloist with Los Angeles

Symphony Orchestra and People's Orchestra, 1913-15; assisting artist with Zollner Quartet, 1921-24; a founder. Brahms Quintet, 1910, and continued with it 8 seasons; soloist with Los Angeles Chamber Music Soc.; prof. of piano, Hollywood Sch. for Girls and Orton Sch., Pasadena. Fellow MacDowell Colony, Peterboro, N.H. Republican. Clubs: Musicians (pres. 1924), Gamut, Artland. Composer: Desert Suite; Zuni Indian Suite: symphonic poem, "Shadow World," for orchestra; also 1 opera, 2 ballets and numerous songs and piano pieces. Address: 911 Westchester Pl., Los Angeles." (Who's Who in California : a Biographical Directory, 1928-29).

He married Nellie "Nell" Celeste Denhart, 28 Dec 1905 in Pipestone, Pipestone Co., MN,^{380,376} b. 1 Jan 1883 in Elmer, Pipestone Co., MN,²⁸¹ (daughter of Joseph Lewis Denhart and Lydia Neffler), d. 23 Aug 1949 in Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Angelus Rosedale Cem., Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁸¹

211. **Charles "Albert"⁴ Rublee** (Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. Aug 1854 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI,¹⁷¹ d. bet 1920-1930 in Crandall, Kaufman Co., TX? . Olive's name is given as Mary Ann O'Connor in the record of her marriage to C. A. Rublee.

Is this the Charles A. Rublee who was postmaster in Seagoville, Dallas, TX between 15 Dec 1897 and 1 Mar 1909? In 1900, Charles A. Rublee lived with his business partner (also his brother-in-law) Robert B. Wills in Dallas County, TX with his wife, Olive (born Mar 1866 GA) and children Clarence (born Sept 1889), Grace (born Jul 1892) and Ross A. (male, born Aug 1886). The children were born in Texas. Charles was born Aug 1854 in WI.

In 1910, Charles A. and Olive Rublee lived in Dallas County with children Charley A., Patty, Ariel and Henry Clay. In 1920, Charles A. Rublee lived in Crandall, Kaufman Co., TX. He was 65 and Olive was 54. In the home were their children Charles A. Rublee, Jr., age 18; Ariel P. Rublee, age 17; Adaline, age 14; and Henry C., age 13. Charles Sr. was a farmer.

In 1930, Olive Rublee was a widow, living with her daughter Adeline Lancaster in Dallas. She was 65. The Lancasters lived in Kansas City, MO in 1940; Olive must have moved there with them, as that is where she died.

According to Linda Milan, Charles Rublee developed a new cotton seed resistant to the boll weevil. After years of experimentation and sacrifice he perfected the seed. Just when he had received backing to market the seed, he died suddenly.

"First Cotton Bale Received in Dallas

John Shepard, an aged negro, gets the honor of bringing to this city, the first bale of cotton raised in Dallas county. Monday, about noon, he arrived at the plant of the Murray Gin Company, and had the staple ginned. The cotton was then taken to the Chamber of Commerce building, where it is held on exhibition.

John Shepard and his brother, Frank, are making a crop on the farm of J. W. Slaughter, north of Dallas. They marketed the first bale of cotton last year and received a handsome premium. They have lived here for many years.

The second bale of cotton was received in Dallas later in the afternoon of Monday. It was marketed at the Murray Gin Company by A. Rubles [Rublee?], a farmer residing near Seagoville". (Dallas Daily Times Herald, 11 Aug 1914, p. 1, col. 4).

He married (1) **Edna D. Frederick**, 9 Aug 1885 in Van Zandt Co., TX, b. Mar 1871 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI (prob) (daughter of **Elijah Pomroy Frederick** and **Emily Jane Ruland**), d. bef 9 May 1903?, buried in Kaufman Cem., Kaufman, Kaufman Co., TX.³⁸² In 1900, Edna Whitworth lived with her husband J. M. Whitworth in Justice Precinct 1, Kaufman Co., TX. Also in the home were J. M. Whitworth's stepdaughters Gracie Rublee, age 9 and Effie Cannon, age 3. The census indicates that Edna had given birth to 5 children, all of whom were living.

A subsequent marriage for J. M. Whitworth is recorded on 9 May 1903, to Mrs. Etta Murphy. Had Edna died by then? Or did another of her marriages end in divorce? Edna's grave in the Kaufman Cemetery is broken, so the date does not show.

Children:

- 369 i. Rossa⁵ Rublee b. Aug 1886 in TX,²¹⁸ d. bet 1900-1910? in TX?
- 370 ii. Clarence Sheridan Rublee b. 5 Sep 1888 in Kaufman, Kaufman Co., TX,³⁸³ divorced bef 25 Aug 1942, d. 6 May 1970 in Fullerton, Orange Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Cypress, Orange Co., CA.³⁸⁴ In 1910, Clarence S. Rublee was a hired man in South Elmo, Kaufman, TX on the farm of Jones and Texan Watson. His age was given as 20. He enlisted in the U. S. Army in 1911. In 1920, Clarence S. Rublee was in the U. S. Army, stationed in the Philippines. I cannot find him in the 1930 census. He was later in the National Guard. He enlisted as a soldier in World War II on 20 Oct 1945 in San Antonio, TX. At that time he was a resident of Bexar Co., TX and married.

He married (1) Sally "Dott" _____, aft 1920, b. 1 Jan 1899 in TX,³³¹ d. 14 Sep 1972 in Los Angeles Co., CA, buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Cypress, Orange Co., CA.³⁸⁴
He married (2) W. A. Timms, 25 Aug 1942 in Guadalupe Co., TX.³⁸⁵

- + 371 iii. Grace Belle Rublee b. 18 Jul 1892.

He married (2) **Olive "Mary" (Wills) Ann O'Conner**, 1 Jan 1896 in Kaufman Co., TX,²¹⁶ b. 4 Mar 1865 in GA,²⁵⁸ (daughter of **John Wills, M. D.** and **Susan J. Stephenson**), d. 9 Jul 1938 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.²⁵⁸

Children:

- 372 iv. Charles Albert Rublee, Jr. b. 28 Nov 1901 in TX,³⁸⁶ d. 16 Sep 1962 in San Antonio, Bexar Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Sam Houston Natl. Cem., TX. In 1930, Charley A. Rublee was a member of the USAF, living at Kelley Field in San Antonio, TX. This is almost certainly, then, the Charles Albert Rublee who is buried in the Sam Houston National Cemetery in Texas. He died on 9

Sep 1962 and was a member of the USAF. His wife Bertha is also buried there. She died 5 Oct 1976.

In 1940, C. A. Rublee and wife Mary were living in Bexar, TX. Niece Doris Wills was living with them.

"I don't think you were contacting me directly when you asked about Rublee, but I do have an interest. My great aunt, Mary E. Boyd married Charley Rublee. He was in the army (air corps) in San Antonio in the 1920's.

Charley was a very interesting character and I understand a close friend of Charles Lindburgh.

Are you related to Charley?

Regards,
David Boyd
Plano TX.

He married (1) Mary E. Boyd, aft 1930, b. 27 Oct 1894 in TN,³⁸⁷ d. 25 Aug 1988 in Grice, Upshur Co., TX,³⁸⁷ buried in Grice Cem., Grice, Upshur Co., TX.³⁸⁷
He married (2) Bertha Louise "Liza" Hellman, aft 1940, b. 30 Jan 1900 in La Grange, Fayette Co., TX,³⁸⁸ (daughter of Benno Hellman and Henrietta "Hattie" Alexander), d. 3 Oct 1976 in San Antonio, Bexar Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Sam Houston Natl. Cem., TX. "Bertha Hellman Rublee (1900-1976). Bertha Louise "Liza" Hellman (Mrs. Charles Rublee) was born in La Grange. She grew up in Houston. She attended Rice Institute and then received a scholarship to study at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. There she studied with Daniel Garber, Arthur Beecher Carles, and Henry Bainbridge McCarter. She traveled to France where studied with Vaclav Vytlacil and André Lhote and with Howard Schleeter in New Mexico. The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston honored her with her first solo exhibition in 1925. In Houston, her basement studio was a gathering place for the arts community. She was excellent printmaker, watercolorist and painter exhibiting with and at the Southern States Art League, Texas Fine Arts Association, New Orleans Art Association, Texas Watercolor Society, San Antonio Art League, Texas Centennial Exhibition in 1936, and the Davis Wildflower Exhibition in 1927. A PWAP artist, her mural, Commemoration of the Meeting of the Governments in 1874, was created for the U.S. Post Office in Houston. Her husband was in the military and she spent time with him in Spain and Morocco while expanding her subject matter. In Houston she operated the Southern School of Fine Arts in Houston before moving to San Antonio in the 1940's. She lived in Albuquerque from 1949 – 1955 where she was actively involved in the arts and moved to move non-objective works. Returning to San Antonio she continued teaching art and exhibiting in local San Antonio galleries and art competitions". (http://bosquecrossinggalleries.com/bertha_hellman_bio.htm).

+ 373 v. William Ariel "Wrylie" "Rile" Rublee b. 16 Sep 1902.

+ 374 vi. Adeline Patty Rublee b. 16 Mar 1905.

375 vii. Henry "Clay" Rublee b. 2 Nov 1906 in Dallas Co., TX,²⁸¹ d. 3 Jan 1954 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁸¹ In 1940, Henry Rublee a salesman staying or living in a hotel in Reading, Berks Co., PA. The census indicates that he had been living in Denver, CO in 1935. His marital status is given as married. When he registered for the WWII draft in 1942, he lived in Philadelphia, PA. His brother Charles is listed as the person who would know his whereabouts. In 1948, he was registered to vote in Los Angeles, CA.

212. **Ada Eliza⁴ Rublee** (Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. Nov 1856 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI?,³⁸⁹ d. 14 Dec 1926 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁴ Christopher Griffin served in the Union Army during the Civil War. He, and later Ada, received a pension.

In 1880, C. C. and Ada Griffin lived in Chicago. C. C. was a musician, age 38, born in NY, as were his parents. Ada was 23, born in WI. Her father was born in VT and her mother in NY. Their eldest child was born in Pipestone, MN at that time - perhaps Ada went there to give birth.

In 1900, Ada E. (Eda) Griffin, a widow, lived in Chicago. She was born Nov 1856 in Wisconsin. Her father was born in VT and her mother in New York. She had given birth to 6 children; 5 were living. Living with her then were Walter, age 17; Ray, age 14; Anna, age 10. Also, George Wood, age 49, a boarder. This conflicts with the 1901 death date for Christopher. C. C. Griffin served in the Civil War, from Illinois.

In 1910, Ada lived with her son Walter in Seattle Ward 3, King, WA. Walter was head of household. Others in the home were Walter's sisters Mildred D. Dowling, age 29, born MN; Amy L. Plante, age 20, born IL, a widow; nephew Alfred P. Plante, age 1 8/12, born IL. In 1920, Ada Griffin, widowed, lived in American Lake, Pierce, WA.

She married **Christopher C. Griffin**, est 1879, b. abt 1842 in Oswego Co., NY (prob) (son of **H. Augustus C. Griffin** and **Sarah** _____), d. 15 Sep 1901 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁰ buried in Oak Woods Cem., Chicago, Cook Co., IL.³⁹¹

Children:

376 i. Mildred "Amelia Dot"⁵ Griffin b. 25 Jan 1881 in Sweet, Pipestone Co., MN,³⁹² divorced bef 2 Sep 1911, d. 12 Mar 1949 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁸¹ In 1910, Mildred D. Dowling lived with her brother Walter A. Griffin in Seattle. In 1911, she married Gordon Cooke in Vancouver, as Mildred Griffin. Her marital status is given as widowed. She resided in Seattle, WA.

In 1911, M. E. Cooke lived with her husband Gordon S. Cooke in Vancouver, BC. Later, she clearly went by the name of Amelia Dot Cooke. This name appears on a 1936 naturalization record, and on her death record, which specifies her mother's maiden name. However, she is referred to as Mrs. Mildred Cooke on her brother Walter's WWI and WWII draft registration cards; both times her name is given as someone who would always know his address.

In 1940, Amelia Cook lived with her brother Walter Griffin in Los Angeles. She was married, but her husband is not in the home. G. Frank Cooke was living in New York City. He was a photo finisher. His marital status was also married. The census indicates that he had been living in Los Angeles in 1935.

She married (1) Merritt Preston Dowling, 12 Oct 1907 in Cook Co., IL,³⁷⁸ b. 5 Apr 1879 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁰ (son of Michael Dowling and Sarah Kehoe), d. 13 Feb 1922 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁰ buried in Calvary Cem., Evanston, Cook Co., IL.³⁹³
 She married (2) Gordon Franklin "Frank" Cooke, 2 Sep 1911 in Vancouver, BC, Canada,³⁹⁴ b. 14 Oct 1884 in Truro, Colchester Co., NS Canada,³⁹⁵ (son of James Gordon Cooke and Gedes Ross), d. aft 1940.

- 377 ii. Walter Augustus Griffin b. 6 Jan 1883 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁶ d. 20 Apr 1956 in Los Angeles Co., CA.¹⁴⁷ In 1910, Walter A. Griffin was single, living in Seattle, WA. His mother lived with him. Where was he between 1910 and 1940, when was divorced and living in Los Angeles?
- 378 iii. Raymond "Ray" Grant Griffin b. 13 Jun 1885 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁶ d. 12 Mar 1948 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁸¹ In 1920, Raymond and Alice Griffin lived in American Lake, Pierce, Washington. They lived nearby to Raymond's mother Ada, who was then widowed. In 1930 and 1940 they lived in Los Angeles, CA. It appears they did not have children.

He married (1) Alice M. Elsham, 24 Feb 1916 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL, b. 2 Aug 1887 in Estherville, Emmet Co., IA,³⁹⁷ (daughter of John Elsham and Josephine Jones), d. 10 Sep 1960 in Tacoma, Pierce Co., WA, buried in Mountain Lake Mem. Park, Lakewood, Pierce Co., WA.³⁹⁸

He married (2) Carolyn C. (Carlson) Gilman, 24 Jul 1930 in Orange Co., CA,³³⁰ b. abt 1893 in CA (daughter of Oscar Carlson and Ella M. Collins), d. aft 1940.

- 379 iv. Anna "Amy" L. Griffin b. Oct 1889 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL (prob), d. 4 Jul 1910 in Seattle, King Co., WA.³⁹⁹ In 1910, "Amy" Plante, a widow, lived with her brother Walter Rublee in Seattle. Her son Albert, age 1 8/12, born in IL, was also in the home. Her husband Fred had died earlier that year; she died that same year. Alfred was raised by grandfather Ferdinand Plante (b.1/1/1860 in Bourbonnais, IL, son of Joseph Plante and Constance Remiard, both of Canada) in Chicago, IL, but also with other Plante relations in Kansas, possibly in/near a town called Damar.

She married Alfred "Fred" P. Plante, 1 Aug 1906 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁷⁸ b. 18 Feb 1886 in Muskegon, Muskegon Co., MI,³⁹⁰ (son of Ferdinand Plante and Amy Borland), d. 24 Jan 1910 in Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁰ buried in Mount Carmel Cem., Hillside, Cook Co., IL.⁴⁰⁰

- 380 v. Mary Griffin b. 26 April 1892 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL.³⁹⁶ This is most likely the Fay Griffin, born April 1892, who lived with her aunt and uncle Sarah and John Grunn in 1900 in Pipestone, MN.

213. **Andrew F. "Tink"⁴ Rublee** (Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 31 Mar 1859 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,²²⁹ d. 2 Dec 1941 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,²⁰⁹ buried in Oakwood Cem., Chicago, Cook Co., IL.²²⁹ In 1880, both Andrew and his father Ariel P. Rublee lived in Kaufman Co., TX. Andrew was a laborer on the farm of Chalkey Somers. Sometime after that he went to Minnesota where he married in 1886. He was a barber in Pipestone, MN.

He is listed among the charter members of a camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, organized in Pipestone Co. in 1891. (An Illustrated History of the Counties of Rock and Pipestone, Minnesota. Luverne, Minn.: Northern History Pub. Co., 1911) The Rublees are listed in the 1895 Minnesota state census, in Pipestone.

Apparently they lived briefly in Michigan. In 1900, they lived in Greenville, Montcalm Co., MI. In 1901, they moved to Chicago. In 1904, Myra Rublee was injured when disembarking from a cable car. She sued for damages.

"Chicago City Railway Company v. Myra J. Rublee.
Gen. V.. 13,371.

1. DAMAGES - when question of, for jury. The question of damages within reasonable limits is peculiarly one for the jury to determine.

2. EVIDENCE - when exclusion of improper, does not preclude reversal. When incompetent evidence is admitted on the promise that it will be made competent by the admission of other evidence, which other evidence is not introduced, the action of the court in striking out such incompetent evidence does not cure the error unless the reviewing court can say that it is satisfied from the result of the trial that the jury paid no heed to it.

3. HYPOTHETICAL QUESTION - appropriate form of. In an action on the case for personal injuries, the proper question to ask an expert witness, after reciting or hypothetically stating to him the manner and character of the accidental injury in question, is whether, in his opinion, the conditions found or recited to him were the result of the recited or supposed accident, rather than whether such an accident might or could have produced it.

Action in case for personal injuries. Appeal from the Superior Court of Cook County; the Hon. ABTHUR H. FROST, Judge, presiding. Heard in this court at the October term, 1906. Reversed and remanded. Opinion filed October 3, 1907

Statement by the Court. Appellee, the plaintiff below, obtained a judgment against the appellant, the defendant below, in the Superior Court of Cook county on February 24, 1906, for \$1,500. The judgment was rendered on the verdict of a jury, after a motion for a new trial and a motion in arrest of judgment had been denied by the court. The declaration in various counts alleged an injury to the plaintiff on May 22, 1904, while she was a passenger on a cable car belonging to and operated by the defendant, by reason of a negligent starting of the car suddenly and violently near the intersection of Cottage Grove avenue and Oakwood boulevard in Chicago. The plaintiff being then about to alight, it is charged, in accordance with her desire so to do and following a customary signal to the conductor to stop the car, and after the car had stopped, or had so slackened its speed as to come almost to a standstill, was by the jerk of this sudden start, thrown to the ground and injured. The defendant pleaded the general issue. This court, under adequate assignments of error, is asked to reverse the judgment, first, because the verdict is against the manifest weight of evidence, second, because of errors in the rulings upon the admission of evidence, and third, because of the refusal of a proper instruction tendered by the defendant." (Source: Reports of Cases Determined in the Appellate Courts of Illinois By Illinois Appellate Court Published by Callaghan, 1908)

Andrew and his wife lived with their son DeWayne in Chicago in their elder years. Andrew lived there at the time of the 1940 census. Son Seymour "Jack" lived next door.

He married **Myra Jane Montville**, 11 Apr 1886 in Pipestone Co., MN,⁴⁰¹ b. 10 Jul 1865 in Fall River, Columbia Co., WI,⁴⁰² (daughter of **Henry Montville** and **Flavia Bisette**), d. 21 Aug 1937 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,²⁰⁹ buried in cremated, ashes given to family.

Children:

- + 381 i. Seymour Jackson⁵ Rublee b. 29 Apr 1887.
- 382 ii. Byron Paul Rublee, Sgt. b. 26 Aug 1894 in Pipestone, Pipestone Co., MN,^{403,404} d. 2 Mar 1991 in Fort Lauderdale, Broward Co., FL,⁴⁰⁴ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Gardens Central, Ft. Lauderdale, Broward Co., FL.⁴⁰⁵ Byron served in the US Army in World War I. In 1930, Byron P. Rublee lived in Chicago. He was 35 years of age, born in MN and his wife Irene was 25, born in IL. There were no children in the home. He was a barber. The Rublees continued to live in Chicago in 1940. When he registered as part of the "Old Man's Registration" in World War II, he lived in Chicago.

"RUBLEE Byron P. of Ft. Lauderdale passed away Saturday. A resident here since 1955, originally from Chicago, IL. Mr. Rubles was a former member of the V.F.W. Survived by his nephew, Paul Rublee; nieces, Madelyn J. Rublee and Dorothy L. Jackson and nephew, Dewayne F. Rublee. . ." (South Florida Sun Sentinel, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, 5 Mar 1991, Tue, page 20).

He married Clara "Irene" Mace, bef 1930 in IL?, b. 5 Jan 1902 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³¹² (daughter of Harry William Mace and Kitty Pearl Foreman), d. Oct 1967 in Broward Co., FL,⁴⁰⁴ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Gardens Central, Ft. Lauderdale, Broward Co., FL.⁴⁰⁵

- + 383 iii. Elmer DeWayne "Wayne" Rublee b. 21 Feb 1900.

216. **Sophronia⁴ Rublee** (Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. Jan 1867 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI?,¹⁷¹ d. aft 1900 in TX? . In their marriage record, Sophronia's name is given as Safronia Rubalee and his as Fred McCartwell. In 1900, Fred and Sophronia McCartney lived in Justice Precinct 2 (South Part), Kaufman, Texas with their children. Did both Fred and Sophronia died by 1910? That year, son Wayne, age 17, lived with his sister Beulah and husband in Dallas Co., TX.

She married **Fred McCartney**, 30 Nov 1884 in Kaufman Co., TX,⁴⁰⁶ b. May 1861 in Preston, Adams Co., WI? (son of **Allen McCartney** and **Martha E. Fosgate**), d. aft 1900 in TX? Was his name Alfred?

Children:

- 384 i. Alfred⁵ McCartney b. Apr 1887 in Kaufman Co., TX.
- 385 ii. Beulah Mary McCartney b. 15 Sep 1889 in Forney, Kaufman Co., TX,⁴⁰⁷ d. 3 Jul 1950 in Duncan, Stephens Co., OK,⁴⁰⁷ buried in Duncan Municipal Cem., Duncan, Stephens Co., OK.⁴⁰⁷ In 1910, Woody and Bulah Fontinott lived in Justice Precinct 4, Dallas, Texas. Bulah's brother Wayne McCartney lived with them. Had their parents died by then? In 1920, they lived in Price, Jefferson Co., OK and in 1930 in Addington, Jefferson Co., OK. By 1940, Eddie Wilbur

Fontinott lived in Grayson, Jefferson Co., OK. His marital status is given as married. Beulah, listed as widowed, was living in Santa Fe, Stephen Co., OK.

Woodie and Beulah's marriage is listed as a Chicksaw Nation marriage. Was one of them a member of the Chicksaw Nation?

She married Eddie Wilburn "Woody" Fontinott, 17 Mar 1907 in Waurika, Ardmore Co. OK, b. 14 Jan 1886 in Navaria Co., TX,²¹² (son of Ed T. Fontinott and Millia Owens), d. 2 Dec 1957 in Ventura Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Duncan Municipal Cem., Duncan, Stephens Co., OK.

- 386 iii. Andrew "Wayne" McCartney b. 4 Jan 1893 in Kaufman Co., TX, d. 14 Apr 1973 in Loco, Stephens Co., OK (res),³³¹ buried in Loco Cem., Loco, Stephens Co., OK.⁴⁰⁸

He married Ophir Maggie Harris, bef 1920, b. 1 Dec 1899 in OK,⁴⁰⁸ (daughter of Henry Harris and Margaret _____), d. 22 Jan 1983 in Loco, Stephens Co., OK,⁴⁰⁸ buried in Loco Cem., Loco, Stephens Co., OK.⁴⁰⁸

217. **Frances "Fanny" Elizabeth⁴ Rublee** (Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 24 Jan 1871 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI?,¹⁷¹ d. 4 Feb 1926 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL.²⁰⁹ In 1900, Robert and Frances Mills lived in Justice Precinct 4, Dallas Co., TX. Frances' brother Charles and family lived with them. The two men were farming. In 1910, "Fanny" lived with Dallas with her second husband M. John Dunaway. He was 48 and born in Georgia. They had been married for one year. Fanny's occupation is given as "boarding house"; John's is given as "none". John's son Fred, age 18, born in TX, lived with them. Fanny's children all lived with them: Bruce, age 23; L. P. M., age 22; Lucille, age 16; Robert M., age 14; Paul, age 11; and Childress Wills, age 7. The census indicates that Fanny had given birth to 6 children; with one living. However, all of her six children were then living.

In 1920, Fannie continued to live in Dallas. She was now married to Allen Barse. He was 59, born in NY, a leather worker working in a saddlery. Fannie's son Theodore C. Wills, age 17, lived in the home. He was also a leather worker.

How did Fanny get to Chicago, where she died in 1926? Her brother Andrew was living in Chicago; perhaps she went to live with him.

In 1930, Allen E. Barse was an inmate in a convalescent hospital in Dallas. He was 70 years old. Here, his place of birth is listed as Michigan, not New York. Both of his parents were born in NY. He is listed as married, with his age at first marriage 21 years.

She married (1) **Robert Bruce Wills**, 1 Sep 1885 in Kaufman Co., TX,²¹⁶ b. 31 Jul 1863 in Gainesville, Hall Co., GA,⁴⁰⁹ (son of **John Wills, M. D.** and **Susan J. Stephenson**), d. 8 Dec 1907 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁴⁰⁹ buried in Oakland Cem., Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.⁴⁰⁹

Children:

- 387 i. Bruce Parker⁵ Wills b. 23 Aug 1886 in TX,²⁴¹ d. 15 Jul 1921 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX. In 1920, Bruce P. and Janie Wills lived in Van Zandt Co., TX with daughter Kathaleen, age 5 and Janie's daughter Clemmie Van Pelt, age 13. Janie married first, on 25 June 1905 in Van Zandt Co.,

TX, J. L. Van Pelt. Janie Wills married third to Pat O'Donnell on 12 Jan 1926 in Harrison Co., TX.

He married Janie Diana Lowthorp, est 1924 in TX, b. 31 Oct 1889 in TN,³⁸⁶ (daughter of Benjamin Franklin Lowthorp and Mary Elizabeth Whitworth), d. 26 Dec 1955 in Fort Worth, Tarrant Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Woodside Cem., Grand Saline, Van Zandt Co., TX.⁴¹⁰ Janie's death certificate says she was born in Saltillo, Mississippi, but all census reports say that she was born in Tennessee.

- 388 ii. Hurbert "Morton" Wills b. 17 Mar 1888 in TX, d. 30 Mar 1912 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Oakland Cem., Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.⁴⁰⁹ "Morton Wills, aged 24, died at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Fannie Wills, State and Allen Streets, at 7:30 p. m. Saturday. The funeral will be held from the residence at 2 p. m. today and the burial will be in Oakland Cemetery." (Dallas News, 31 Mar 1912) His death certificate gives his year of birth as 1898, which is incorrect.

- 389 iii. Frances "Lucille" Wills b. Sep 1892 in TX, d. 13 Nov 1913 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁴⁰⁹ buried in Oakland Cem., Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.⁴⁰⁹

She married _____ Wimberly, aft 1910.

- 390 iv. Robert Marcus Wills b. 30 Apr 1897 in Seagoville, Dallas Co., TX,^{241,386} d. 14 Feb 1978 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Mount Calvary Cem., Dallas, TX.⁴¹¹ In 1920, Robert and Irene lived with Irene's parents in Cockrill Hill, Dallas Co., TX. In 1930 and 1940, Irene continued to live with her parents. In 1930, her marital status is given as widowed, and in 1940 as divorced.

He married Irene Gertrude Briley, est 1917 in Dallas Co., TX (prob), b. abt 1898 in TX (daughter of Charles E. Briley and Ernestine Louise _____), d. 1990 in Dallas Co., TX (prob), buried in Restland Mem. Park, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.⁴¹²

- 391 v. Paul Homer Wills b. 31 Aug 1898 in TX,²⁴¹ d. Mar 1987 in Ballwin, St. Louis Co., MO (res).³³¹ In 1930 and 1940, Paul and Madelyn Wills lived with Madelyn's mother Cora Young in Clayton, St. Louis Co., MO. Note the year of their marriage, 1938. Madelyn married first, William C. Jamison.

He married Madelyn G. Young, abt 25 Apr 1938 in St. Louis, St. Louis Co., MO (prob),⁴¹³ b. abt 1895 in MO (daughter of Arthur Young and Cora Belle Moore). Is this the Madelyn Young Meyer born 29 Jul 1893 in MO, died 17 Jul 1956, Los Angeles Co., CA, father's surname Young?

- 392 vi. Theodore Childress "Chill" Wills b. 18 Jul 1902 in Seagoville, Dallas Co., TX,³⁷² d. 15 Dec 1978 in Enchino, Los Angeles Co., CA,^{281,372} buried in Grand View Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁷² His name on the record of his first marriage is given as Chill T. Wills, so he used that name by 1928.

"Chill Wills, who appeared in hundreds and loyal sidekick to dashing cowboy heroes, died shortly after turning home from a hospital a spokeswoman said Saturday. He was 76.

Wills, wife, Novadeen, reported the death Friday night to the Motion Picture and Television Hospital, where he had been receiving treatment for an undisclosed ailment. Ruth Gray, a hospital spokeswoman, said Wills had been in the hospital for only a few days.

His last performance was for a television special, "Stubby Pringle's Christmas," taped earlier this year and scheduled for airing Sunday on NBC.

Wills appeared in more than 300 movies during a career that spanned more than a half century and was perhaps best known for his role as Beekeeper, a Tennessee volunteer, in the 1960 movie "The Alamo." He was one of the first stars signed up by John Wayne for the epic \$2 million United Artists production. Wills' famous gravelly voice also was used for the talking rule in the "Francis" movie series.

Chill Theodore Wills was born July 8, 1902 in Seagoville, Texas, son of Robert and Fanny Wills. He was named after a Dr. Childress, the attending physician. The father ran a combination general store and pharmacy. He also played the guitar and sang, and with Chill and his four other sons, Bruce, Paul, Bob and Morton, formed a singing group.

As a boy, Wills used to sing in church and one summer traveled with baptizing revivalists. Whenever the preacher lacked converts, he would volunteer. "I was baptized so often I learned the Australian crawl swimming down those creeks" he once said. At age 9, he began performing with traveling tents shows, with such names as Dr. Bryor's Medicine Tent Show and the Harvey Sadler Tent Show, doubling as a performer and huckster.

His family sent him to school in Hagtown, Okla., thinking an education away from home would improve his grades. But by the time he was 16, Wills had returned to the theater and began appearing in vaudeville and burlesque performances. His first appearance in New York City was a flop, perhaps because of a Texas twang he never lost.

Wills met Bettie Chappelle, a dancer, while the two worked together in a theater in Kansas City, Mo. They were married on Dec. 4, 1927 and had two children. His first wife died in 1973 and Wills married Novadeen Gooze the same year.

In 1935, Wills tried out during a "talent night" at a nightclub in Hollywood. He sang and told jokes. He signed a six month contract with RKO.

Wills' other movies included "Boom Town" "Best Foot Forward," "The Harvey Girls," "Raw Deal" "High Lonesome" "Bronco Buster," "City That Never Sleeps," "Timberjack," "Giant," "The Cardinal." He had two television series to his credit, "Frontier Circus" and "The Rounders," as well as a television movie entitled "The Over the Hill Gang Rides Again."

Funeral arrangements were pending." (The Associated Press, 16 Dec 1978).

He married (1) Hattie Elizabeth "Bettie" Chappelle, 4 Dec 1928 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO,⁴¹³ b. 27 Sep 1907 in NC,³³¹ (daughter of Mack B. Chappell and Hattie E. Ashley), d. 11 Nov 1971 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Grand View Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³³¹ The name on her death record is Bettie E. Wills. She was living in Chicago at the time she married Chill.

He married (2) Novadeen Gooze, 7 Dec 1973 in Las Vegas, Clark Co., NV,⁴¹⁴ b. 14 Aug 1928 in Appling Co., GA (prob) (daughter of Benjamin Oscar Gooze and Enzie Carter Campell), d. 15 May 2002 in Macon, Bibb Co., GA, buried in Memorial Freewill Baptist Church Cem., Surrency, GA.⁴¹⁵ Macon - Novadeen Gooze Wills, 73, died May 15. Survivors: sisters, Colleen, Winifred, Annette, Magdalene, and Maxine; brothers, Willard, Oscar, and James; several nieces and nephews. Visitation: 6:00-8:00 p. m. May 18 at Swain Funeral Home. Funeral Services: 3:00 p. m. May 19, from Memorial Free Will Baptist Church. Burial: Church Cemetery.

She married (2) **John M. Dunaway**, abt 1909, b. 18 Apr 1862 in GA (son of **John C. Dunaway**), d. 12 Jan 1947 in Tyler, Smith Co., TX,³⁸⁸ buried in Lindale Cem., Tyler, Smith Co., TX.³⁸⁸

She married (3) **Allen E. Barse**, bef 1920, b. abt 1861 in NY or MI, d. 20 Dec 1930 in Dallas Co., TX.⁴¹⁶

218. **Harmon "Harmie" B.⁴ Rublee** (Ariel Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1873 in Barre, La Crosse Co., WI?,¹⁷¹ d. 5 Feb 1915 in Parkland Hosp., Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁸ buried 27 Feb 1915 in Seagoville, Dallas Co., TX.³⁸⁸ In 1910, Harmon Rublee lived in Forney, Kaufman Co., TX. He was then 36, born in Wisconsin. His wife Julia was 22, born in NC. Children in the home were Ramey, age 5; Frank, age 3; and Aubrey, age 1 7/12.

Harmon and Julia may have divorced between 1910 and the time of his death in 1915, as a court case was filed in Kaufmann Co., TX at an unknown date.

Julia appears in the 1920 census as wife of Arthur Carter. At that time Julia Carter was 32 years of age, and living in Justice Precinct, Van Zandt Co., TX. With the Carters were Ramey, age 14; Andrew F., age 12; and James A. Rublee, age 10. Arthur Carter was 30. In 1930, the Carters lived in Kaufman Co., TX. Andrew and James were still living with them.

In 1940, the Carters still lived in Kaufman Co., TX. "Aubrey" Rublee, age 31, stepson, was living with them. His marital status is given as single. The census indicates he had been living there in 1935.

He married **Julia Idella Eudy**, 20 Dec 1903 in Kaufman Co., TX,²¹⁶ b. 27 Dec 1886 in Stanley Co., NC,⁴¹⁷ (daughter of **Adam Eudy** and **Sarah J. Tucker**), d. 19 Oct 1963 in Terrell, Kaufman Co., TX,⁴¹⁷ buried in Hillcrest Cem., Forney, Kaufman Co., TX.⁴¹⁷

Children:

- + 393 i. Adam "Ramey"⁵ Rublee b. 19 Feb 1905.
- + 394 ii. Andrew "Frank" Rublee b. 6 Jan 1907.

- 395 iii. James "Aubrey" Rublee b. 4 Apr 1909 in Kaufman Co., TX,^{417,386} d. 15 Nov 1980 in Terrill, Kaufman Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Hillcrest Cem., Forney, Kaufman Co., TX.⁴¹⁷ In 1940, "Aubrey" Rublee lived with his mother and stepfather in Kaufman Co., TX. He was single.

219. **Herbert Ashton⁴ Rublee** (Myron³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Feb 1842 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC (prob),²¹⁹ d. 17 Apr 1882 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,²¹⁹ buried in Chapel Corner Cem., Dunham, QC.²²⁰ Both Herbert and Alice resided in Dunham, QC at the time of their marriage.

Herbert A. Rublee, yeoman, signed an Indenture of Lease for a farm in Dunham, QC in 1876. He leased a farm to Peter Primmerman (Conner, 1989, p. 304). At the time of the 1881 Canadian census, the Rublees continued to live in Dunham.

"Following the death of Herbert Sr. in 1882, Alice came to England with Herbert Jr. and was boarding at 49 Ladbroke Grove, Kensington, London in 1901. Also boarding at the same house was Alice's nephew, Walter Lynwood Farnam. The householders were Thomas Bruce (b 1863) & Alice M Bruce (b 1863) but we cannot see any family connections.

Alice returned to Saskatoon and was living at 509 11th St in 1915 and in 1921 was living with her son, Herbert at 718 Eastlake Avenue. We may assume that she continued to live with Herbert as she appears in the Henderson directory for 1930 at the same address." (<http://crcq.webplus.net/page467.html>).

He married **Alice Augusta Wood**, 3 Feb 1869 in United Church, Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,¹⁸⁷ b. 19 Jan 1846 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC?,²¹⁹ (daughter of **Loren Wood** and **Hannah Amanda Curtis**), d. 27 Jan 1937 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,⁴¹⁸ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁴¹⁹

Children:

- 396 i. Alice Winifred "Winnie"⁵ Rublee b. 16 Jul 1874 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵ d. 19 Aug 1874 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵ buried in Chapel Corner Cem., Dunham, QC.^{220,35}
Dunham Methodist Church, 1845-1879: "Burial A. W. Rublee. Alice Winifred Rublee daughter of Herbert A. Rublee Farmer of Dunham and of Alice A. Wood his wife was born 16 July 1874 died 19th August and was buried 21st August 1874 in the presence of the following witnesses by me.

<signed> Wm English

Witnesses

<signed> H A Rublee

<signed> A A Rublee".

- 397 ii. Charlton "Charlie" Manville Rublee b. 4 Jul 1876 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵ d. 18 Aug 1899 in Prescott, Yavapai Co., AZ,²¹⁹ buried in Chapel Corner Cem., Dunham, QC.²²⁰
"Dunham: It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of one of Dunham's promising sons, Charlton Manville Rublee who succumbed to an attack of typhoid fever in Prescott Arizona on the 18th of last month. The body was brought here for interment & a memorial service held at the Methodist church. A wide circle of friends mourn the loss of an esteemed friend & sympathize with the stricken family." (Bedford News & Missisquoi Advocate: 6 Oct 1899)

"Charles M. Rublee, aged 21 years died last night at the Sisters' hospital as a result of an attack of typhoid fever. His mother arrived on Saturday from San Diego and was with him during his last hours. His brother arrived here several days ago to assist in nursing. The remains will be sent to Dunham, Province of Quebec, for burial." (Weekly Journal-Miner (Prescott, Arizona) 20 Sep 1899, Wed, page 3).

+ 398 iii. Herbert Horace Rublee b. abt 1879.

220. **Manville Williams⁴ Rublee** (Myron³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 24 Mar 1850 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁴²⁰ d. 23 May 1914 in Winnipeg, Selkirk Co., MB, Canada,⁴²¹ buried in Brookside Cem., Winnipeg, MB, Canada.⁴²² Charlie Rublee, in Berger's *The Rublees* (1974, unpagged), speaks of a cousin of his father's, by the name of Manville Rublee, "who was with the Canadian Militia on Eccles' Hill when they turned back the Fenians at the time of the raid in the 1860's [May 1870]. This action took place as you doubtless know not far from West Berkshire. Manville Rublee moved to Winnipeg, Manitoba when he was still a young man Manville became quite a prominent businessman in Winnipeg".

Lovell's Montreal Directory for 1880-81 lists an M. W. Rublee as a wholesale dealer of boots and shoes. At the time Lizzie died in 1898, he was a wholesale fruit dealer. His business was called the Rublee Fruit Company. At that time, Lizzie's will left her property and assets to Manville, with the exception of a home in Granby, QC and securities left to her by her mother. Those, she left to her two youngest children.

The 1906 Canadian census gives his wife's name as Annah, age 38, born in Ontario. However, the 1901 census gives his wife as E. J., age 38, born in Ontario. In 1916, Emma was a widow living in Winnipeg. She had 3 lodgers living with her.

Before 1920, she moved to California. In 1920, Emma (Shaw) Rublee was widowed and head of household in Los Angeles, CA. Living with her was her step-son W. Cleland Rublee. This arrangement continued in 1930. In 1939, she is listed in the city directory for Wilmar City, CA. In 1940, she lived alone in San Gabriel, Los Angeles Co., CA. Emma Jean is her correct name.

He married (1) **Lizzie Jane Savage**, 16 Dec 1873 in Congr. Church, Granby, Shefford Co., QC,¹⁸⁷ b. May 1849 in Shefford, Shefford Co., QC,⁴²³ (daughter of **James Savage** [1820 -] and **Mary Ann Blampin**), d. 17 Aug 1898 in Winnipeg, Selkirk Co., MB, Canada.⁴²⁴

Children:

- 399 i. George Herbert⁵ Rublee b. 1875 in QC, Canada,²²¹ d. 6 Jul 1922 in Vancouver, BC, Canada.⁴²⁵
A George H. Rublee is listed as working in a lab in Helena, MT in 1901, per the city directory.

"The following marriage licenses were issued in San Francisco Monday, June 22: George H. Rublee, 33 and Helen F. Webber, 31, both of San Francisco." (San Francisco Call, Volume 104, Number 23, 23 June 1908). In 1910, George and "Helen" Rublee lived in San Francisco. In 1921, George and Florence Rublee lived in Vancouver, BC. Florence had come to Canada in 1904.

On 9 Feb 1927, Florence Ellen Rublee, widow of George Herbert Rublee, declared her intent to emigrate from Vancouver BC to Seattle WA. She stated that she was born on 13 Aug 1876

in Brighton, Sussex, Eng. In 1930, Florence Rublee lived in Seattle. She was the manager of a boarding house. In 1940, she lived in Seattle, WA, a housekeeper to Frank G. Steeves.

He married Ellen "Florence" Webber, 1908 in San Francisco, San Francisco Co., CA (prob), b. 13 Aug 1876 in Brighton, Sussex, Eng., d. 15 Jun 1969 in Redmond, King Co., WA (res),³³¹ buried in Hillcrest Burial Park, Kent, King Co., WA.⁴²⁶

- 400 ii. Myron James Rublee b. 1 Jan 1878 in Granby, Shefford Co., QC,^{329,212} d. 4 Mar 1940 in San Francisco Co., CA.³²⁹ I spent quite a lot of time trying to find Myron and/or Delia in the US census after their marriage, with no success. Is this the right Myron J. Rublee that married Delia Gilbert? There is no other likely candidate. How did he end up in Kansas? Myron became a naturalized citizen of the United States on 3 Mar 1906 in Missouri.

On 14 Oct 1908, Myron registered to vote in Multnomah Co., OR.

"M. J. Rublee reported the disappearance of his wife, Gertrude, to the police yesterday. He said they lived at the Dewey house, Fourth and Howard streets. On August 7 he went out to look for work. When he returned to the Dewey house his wife was not in their rooms and she has not returned. She is 27 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches tall, black hair and black eyes." (San Francisco Call, Volume 108, Number 71, 10 August 1910)

I am giving him a second wife Gertrude on the basis of this newspaper article, but whether or not Gertrude was really his wife is hard to say. I have not been able to find anything about whether she re-appeared, or what happened to her.

He died in a rooming house in San Francisco after a doctor had been called to treat him for asthma and heart issues. Shortly thereafter, he collapsed and died. The coroner's report indicated that the relief office has been consulted, and advised that his wife was dead and he had no children. His possessions were held as he owed rent. He had a life insurance policy for \$2000; the beneficiary was his sister Hazel (Rublee) Robinson.

He married (1) Delia Maud Gilbert, 22 Nov 1901 in Kansas City, Wyandotte Co., KS,⁴²⁷ b. abt 1879 in Kansas City, Wyandotte Co., KS.⁴²⁷

He married (2) Gertrude _____.

- + 401 iii. Hazel Maude Rublee b. 23 May 1884.
402 iv. Williams "Cleland" Rublee b. 22 Nov 1888 in Winnipeg, Selkirk Co., MB, Canada,⁴²⁸ d. 23 Jan 1936 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵ At the time of the 1901 Canadian census, 13 year old Cleland Rublee lived in a boarding house in Winnipeg. He was also listed with his parents. Perhaps the boarding establishment was a school.

Williams Cleland Rublee filed in intent to immigrate on 16 Oct 1916. He arrived in North Dakota at 30 years of age from Winnipeg. He resided in Los Angeles. His distinctive mark was a crooked right arm. He was a bookkeeper. He was naturalized 14 May 1926 in Los Angeles, CA.

The 1930 census indicates that he came to the US in 1914. He was a naturalized citizen at that time. In both 1920 and 1930, he was living with his step-mother Emma Rublee and was unmarried. In 1930, he was a clerk in a band. Both years, his name is given as Cleland Rublee. His first name was Williams, but some records give it as William. His gravestone gives his name as W. Cleland Rublee.

He married (2) **Emma Jean Shaw**, 5 Dec 1900 in Winnipeg, Selkirk Co., MB, Canada,⁴²⁹ b. 26 May 1861 in ON, Canada,³²⁹ (daughter of _____ **Shaw** and _____ **McDonald**), d. 22 Oct 1944 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵

225. **Adda "Addie" Laura⁴ Rublee** (Harmon A.³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 26 Feb 1853 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),²²⁴ d. 19 Jul 1941 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL,²⁰⁹ buried in Greenwood Cem., Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL.⁴³⁰

She married **Marvin Hammond**, 26 Feb 1879 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 29 Jul 1842 in Silver Creek, Stephenson Co., IL,⁴³¹ (son of **Philo Hammond** [1811 - 1877] and **Esther A. Farwell** [1819 - 1901]), d. 13 Nov 1905 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL,²²⁷ buried in Greenwood Cem., Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL.⁴³⁰ In 1880, the Hammonds lived in Ridott, Stephenson Co., IL. Marvin's mother Esther lived with them. By 1900, they had moved to Leaf River, Ogle, IL where Marvin was a merchant (Hammond, 1904). They lived there in 1900. They apparently moved to Winnebago Co., IL between 1900 and 1905, as they both died there.

"Mrs. Addie L. Hammond Rockford, Ill., July 21.—Rev. A. J. Tavenner, pastor of Centennial Methodist church, conducted funeral services today for Mrs. Addie Laura Hammond, 88, who died Saturday at her home here. Mrs. Hammond is survived by a daughter, Edith, a son, Ernest M., and a sister, Mrs. Ida Van Kirk of Pecatonica. Her husband, Marvin Hammond, died in 1905." (Freeport Journal-Standard (Freeport, Illinois) 21 Jul 1941, Mon, page 12).

Children:

- 403 i. Edith H.⁵ Hammond b. 14 Aug 1880 in Ridott, Stephenson Co., IL,²²⁴ d. 13 Aug 1976 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL,²²⁷ buried in Greenwood Cem., Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL.⁴³⁰ Edith Hammond apparently did not marry.
- 404 ii. Ernest Marvin Hammond b. 10 Jan 1883 in Rockford, Winnebago Co., IL,^{224,432} d. 14 Jul 1975 in Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁷

He married Alpha Evalin Minard, 20 Oct 1914 in Winnebago Co., IL,⁴³³ b. 2 Aug 1888 in Spencer, Clay Co., IA,⁴³⁴ (daughter of Dwight Lee Minard and Edith Town Hendee), d. 19 Mar 1969 in Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁷

226. **Eunice Marion "Minnie"⁴ Rublee** (Harmon A.³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Feb 1855 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 25 Nov 1940 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

She married **Orson Taylor Wright**, 2 Mar 1875 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 8 Apr 1849 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (son of **Eleazer Wright** [1819 - 1888] and **Charlotte Towne** [1819 - 1878]), d. 16 Aug

1931 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁶ Orson Wright had a mail route in Franklin, VT for many years (Cutter, Vol, IV, 1914, p. 1992).

"Funeral of O. T. Wright - Orson Taylor Wright died Sunday, August 16 at his home at the age of 82 years. Mr. Wright was born in this town on April 2, 1849 son of Eleazer and Charlotte Towne Wright. On March 2, 1875, he was united in marriage to Eunice Marion Rublee, who survives him. To their union three children were born, Lottie J. who died 12 years ago during influenza epidemic. Claire O. of this place and Dr. Winfred H. of Waterbury. He is also survived by 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Mr. Wright's entire life was passed in doing good for his family. His funeral was held Tuesday August 18, at his home, which was largely attended, showing the esteem in which he was held. For a life of 82 years passed in this town, known by everyone, no words of praise need be said. He will be greatly missed by his family his friends and his neighbors. Floral tributes were many and beautiful. Those from out of town attending the funeral were Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright, son, John and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Perry, of Waterbury; Harmon Titemore, of New Milford, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McFeeters, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Prouty, of Swanton; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pauquet of Richford, Mrs. Charles Gay, of St. Albans; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gleorge Phelps, Mrs. Clare Noble, Mrs. Clarence Noble, of Enosburg Falls; Hibbard Stanley and family of Berkshire." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 26 Aug 1931, Wed, page 2)

"NORTH FRANKLIN, Nov. 26. News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Minnie Rublee Wright, which occurred at 1:30 this morning at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Vernon Record of Berkshire, where she was visiting. Mrs. Wright was born in Franklin Feb. 17, 1855, the daughter of Harmon and Julia (Stanley) Rublee. She married Orson T. Wright. Three children were born to them, one of whom survives her, Dr. W. H. Wright of Waterbury. Lottie Wright Titemore died several years ago, and Clair Wright about a year ago. She is also survived by two sisters, who live in the west, by several grandchildren, and three great grandchildren. Mrs. Wright had always lived in Franklin. (The Burlington Free Press, Burlington, Vermont, 27 Nov 1940, Wed, page 15).

Children:

- 405 i. Charlotte "Lottie" Julia⁵ Wright b. 29 Jan 1876 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 22 Oct 1918 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.^{435,79}

She married LeRoy "Roy" Albert Titemore, 18 Mar 1896 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 24 Feb 1872 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (son of George Titemore and Emma Giddings), d. 8 Apr 1948 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁶ Roy and Charlotte (Wright) Titemore lived in Franklin, VT. They had seven children, one of whom died in childhood. Charlotte Titemore died of influenza in 1918, when their youngest child, Max, was four years old (M. Towle, 1989, page 284).

"FRANKLIN. The death of Mrs. Leroy Titemore came as a severe shock to the community. Although she had been ill several days, the seriousness of her condition was not generally realized until some 12 hours before she died. Mrs. Titemore became ill October 11 after several days of incessant effort in caring for other members of the family who had influenza and after October 14 was confined to her bed. Her brother. Dr. F. H. Wright, was called and continued in attendance upon her throughout the sickness. Early symptoms suggested ptomaine poisoning, but there were soon indications that she had become infected with the

disease which has been raging so largely through the country. The illness followed the usual course of influenza, pneumonia developing about last Saturday, and the patient's condition grew rapidly worse Monday afternoon and evening. Mrs. Wells had been called as nurse and through the night was in constant attendance, but death occurred Tuesday morning at about nine o'clock. Charlotte Julia (Wright) Titemore was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orsen Wright, bom January 26, 1876. She was educated in the public schools of Franklin and married Leroy Titemore 23 years ago. There were six children of the marriage, all of whom survive their mother. They are: Arthur, Lou. Winford, Catherine, Harman and Maxwell. Family cares were heavy and Mrs. Titemore was highly esteemed for her Industry and motherliness and she was so faithful and interesting a correspondent that many relatives living at a distance, who seldom met her, were greatly attached to her because of the letters she wrote. The funeral will take place today. The Rev. J. G. Sallis will conduct brief family devotions at the home and there will be a more extended service at the grave, if the weather permits." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 24 Oct 1918, Thu, page 10)

FRANKLIN. Leroy A. Titemore, 76, lifelong resident of this town, died early this morning at the home of his son, Maxwell Titemore, following a short illness. Mr. Titemore leaves two daughters, Mrs. Vernon Record, North Berkshire; Mrs. Earl Lothian, Franklin; three sons, Harmon Titemore, New Milford, Conn.; Winfred, Waterbury, Conn., and Maxwell of Franklin; 14 grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren and a nephew, Glenn Titemore of St. Albans. Funeral services will be held from the Methodist Episcopal Church Saturday afternoon at 2 with burial following in the family lot in Franklin Cemetery." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 8 Apr 1948, Thu, page 7).

- + 406 ii. Clair Orson Wright b. 20 Dec 1878.
- 407 iii. Winfred Harmon "Fred" Wright, M. D. b. 6 Jul 1882 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 23 Jan 1953 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Hope Cem., Waterbury, Washington Co., VT.⁴³⁶ "Dr W. H. Wright. Winfred Harmon Wright M. D., 70, a prominent Waterbury physician for more than 30 years died Friday morning at the Bishop DeGoesbriand hospital in Burlington He had been In failing health for some time. Dr. Wright was born July 6, 1882 in Franklin, son of Orson T. and Eunice Rublee Wright. He was graduated from the University of Vermont College of Medicine in 1912. He practiced in Franklin until 1921 when he came to Waterbury as staff physician at the Vermont State hospital, a position he retained until 1925 when he engaged in private practice here. He was a member of the Vermont Medical association and the Washington County association of the American Medical association. A past president of the Waterbury Rotary club, Dr. Wright was also a member of the Mt. Mansfield Trout club, Waterbury Chapter No 24 R A M, Winooski Lodge No 49 F and A M and of Mt. Zion Commandery No 9 K T. Surviving are his widow the former Miss Elizabeth Dooe whom he married on Oct 24, 1911; one son Dr. John T. Wright of Aiken, S. C. and two daughters Mrs. Frederick (Helen) Ahrens and Mrs. James (Martha) Stover of New York City; two grandchildren Linda and Thomas Wright. Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Waterbury Congregational church where the body will lie in state one hour previous to the service. Friends may call at the Perkins Funeral Parlors on Saturday from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p. m. The family requests that flowers be omitted and that

instead friends may send memorial gifts to the Vermont Heart Association 128 Merchants Row Rutland." (The Barre Daily Times (Barre, Vermont) 24 Jan 1953, Sat, page 2).

He married Elizabeth Hill Dool, 24 Oct 1911 in Swanton, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 1884 in St. Stephen, Charlotte Co., NB, Canada,⁴³⁷ (daughter of Samuel Colwell Dool and Sarah Ann Jones), d. 1972, buried in Hope Cem., Waterbury, Washington Co., VT.⁴³⁶

228. **Ida M.⁴ Rublee** (Harmon A.³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1862 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (prob),²³⁰ d. 27 Jan 1949 in Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL,²²⁸ buried in Pecatonica Cem., Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁸ In 1880, Ida Rublee lived with her mother Julia Rublee in Franklin, VT. In 1910, the Van Kirks lived in Pecatonica, Winnebago, IL. They continued to live there in 1920 and 1930. In 1940, Ida was a widow living Pecatonica. Daughter Ethel H. Clarke and granddaughter Marion H. Clarke, age 21, lived with her.

"Charles M. Van Kirk, Pecatonica, Ill., April 12.—Charles M. Van Kirk, 76, died yesterday at his home here following a brief illness. Born on a farm near Pecatonica Aug. 27, 1861, Mr. Van Kirk had resided in this vicinity all of his life, and served as a mail carrier in the village for many years before retiring on pension in 1927. He was married to Ida M. Rublee in Rockford, March 15, 1888. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last March 15, Mr. Van Kirk, had been a member of A. W. Rawson lodge, No. 145, A. F. and A. M., for 54 years, and also was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and an honorary member of the Letter Carriers' association. Besides his widow he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Clarke, at home; a brother, W. S. Van Kirk, of Chicago; a sister, Mrs. Emma E. Brown, Los Angeles, Cal.; and two granddaughters, Mildred Van Kirk, of Waukesha, Wis., and Marian Clarke, of Pecatonica. A son, Stanley, died Jan. 3, 1919." (Freeport Journal-Standard (Freeport, Illinois) 12 Apr 1938, Tue, page 14)

"Pecatonica, Ill., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Ida M. Van Kirk, 86, died in her home Thursday after a long illness, Mrs. Van Kirk was a former Pecatonica school teacher. Ida Rublee was born June 24, 1862, in Franklin, Vt. She came to Illinois in 1886. Until she was married March 15, 1888, to Charles M. Van Kirk, she taught school in and around Pecatonica. Mrs. Van Kirk was a member of the Congregational church, the Woman's Relief Corps and the Pecatonica chapter, Order of Eastern Star. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Ethel Clarke of Pecatonica, and two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. in the Dailey funeral home and at 2:15 in the Congregational Church." (Freeport Journal-Standard (Freeport, Illinois) 29 Jan 1949, Sat, page 14).

She married **Charles M. Van Kirk**, 15 Mar 1888 in Winnebago Co., IL,⁴³⁸ b. 27 Aug 1861 in Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL,⁴³⁹ (son of **William O. Van Kirk** and **Rhoda M. Moone**), d. 11 Apr 1938 in Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL,⁴³⁹ buried in Pecatonica Cem., Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁸

Children:

- 408 i. Charles "Stanley"⁵ Van Kirk b. 25 Nov 1890 in Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL,⁴⁴⁰ d. 2 Jan 1919, buried in Pecatonica Cem., Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁸ When Charles registered for the WWI draft in 1917, he lived in Milwaukee, WI; he was married.
- 409 ii. Happalona "Ethel" Van Kirk b. 14 Jun 1892 in Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL,⁴⁴⁰ d. 6 Oct 1974 in Winnebago Co., IL,⁴⁴¹ buried in Pecatonica Cem., Pecatonica, Winnebago Co., IL.²²⁸ In 1920, Edward and Ethel Clarke lived in Chicago with daughter Marian, age 1. In 1930, Ethel

and Marian lived with Ethel's parents in Pecatonica, IL. In 1940, they continue to live in Pecatonica, now with a widowed Ida Van Kirk. Both years, Ethel's marital status is given as married.

She married (1) W. Edward Clarke, 8 Dec 1917 in Winnebago Co., IL,⁴⁴² b. abt 1884 in IL.
She married (2) _____ Wise, aft 1940.

Generation Five

235. **James Morrill⁵ Jeffords** (Pliny S.⁴, Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 21 Jan 1863 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²⁸ d. 24 Aug 1926 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ Enosburg Falls -- "J. M. JEFFORDS, Druggist, Main Street.—It is with a peculiar degree of satisfaction that we recognize a gentleman possessing in an eminent degree those high attainments which entitle him to our regard as a skilled pharmacist. We allude to Mr. J. M. Jeffords, who at an early age applied himself to the study of pharmaceuticals in all their branches. The business he is conducting was established in 1884, by J. M. Jeffords & Co. the present proprietor succeeding to sole proprietorship in 1888. His store, which is centrally and conveniently located, is 25 x 40 feet in dimensions, and is neat and commodious, while special arrangements have been provided for the dispensing of physicians' prescriptions and family recipes which are promptly and accurately compounded by Mr. Jeffords and capable assistants. The general stock embraces a full line of fresh, pure drugs, chemicals, and pharmaceutical compounds, all of which are up to the highest standard, and he likewise keeps all proprietary remedies of well-known merit, also surgical instruments, such as shoulder-braces, etc. In the other departments of the business, Mr. Jeffords carries a complete and valuable line of books, fine stationery and school supplies of every description, fancy and toilet articles, choice confectionery, cigars, flavoring extracts, perfumeries and druggists' sundries of all kinds, in fact everything pertaining to a well-regulated drug store. Mr. Jeffords is a native of this state, and a thoroughly qualified licentiate in pharmacy. He is very much respected here, and moves in the best circles in this vicinity". (Industries and Wealth of the Principal Points in Vermont by American Publishing and Engraving Co., 1891)

Olin was the Jeffords' only child.

He married **Mary D. Merrill**, 24 Nov 1887 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 2 May 1849 in Thetford, Orange Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of **Peter Merrill** and **Caroline Willey**), d. 7 Dec 1918 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

Children:

+ 410 i. Olin Merrill⁶ Jeffords b. 8 Jun 1890.

239. **Florence Bertha⁵ Jeffords** (Merrill L.⁴, Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1861 in Potton, Memphrémagog Co., QC,⁶ d. 2 Jun 1900 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in S. Franklin Cem., S. Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

She married **John Alfred Gibson**, 4 Feb 1879 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 4 Feb 1858 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³⁴⁶ (son of **John William Gibson** [1827 - 1897] and **M. Alma Sampson**), d. 10 Jan 1944 in

Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ John A. Gibson joined his father and brother George in the undertaking business in Enosburg Falls, VT. After his father's death in 1897, he assumed the business. A supplement to the Enosburg Standard in 1901 announced that Mr. Gibson had graduated from Professor Clark's College of Embalming. Until 1926, he also carried on with his father's furniture business (Geraw, 1985, page 206).

"GIBSON, John A., was born in Enosburg, February 4, 1856, a son of John W. and Alurey (Samson) Gibson. Alurey Samson was a daughter of Alanson Samson, one of the early settlers of Franklin County.

John A. Gibson received his education in the schools of Enosburg and Berkshire, and at 20 years of age took up painting, which he followed for three years. The next 17 years he was a traveling salesman. He then purchased Alfred Rublee's interest in the drug store of Rublee Brothers; later Herman W. Webster, now of East Burke, bought the interest of Andrew Rublee and the drug business was conducted under the firm name of Gibson & Webster. This business was sold to C. L. Marsh & Co., and in April, 1896, Mr. Gibson entered the furniture store of his father, John W. Gibson, who died a month later (May 8, 1896). Mr. Gibson continued the business until August, 1904; he retained the undertaking branch of the business, and has continued to the present time.

On February 4, 1879, Mr. Gibson married Florence Jeffords, a sister of Merrill Jeffords of Berkshire; to them three children were born: William P., born April 23, 1884; Florence B., born November 21, 1888, and one died when but a few days old.

Mrs. Gibson died June 1, 1901, and Mr. Gibson married for his second wife Glenna Rublee of Enosburg.

While Mr. Gibson is a wide-awake, enthusiastic and public spirited citizen, he has never sought or would accept public office. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, having taken the Chapter degrees; is also affiliated with the Odd Fellows, Foresters and the Eastern Star". (Successful Vermonters; a Modern Gazetteer of Lamoille, Franklin and Grand Isle Counties).

Children:

- 411 i. Infant Male⁶ Gibson b. 18 Nov 1882 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 19 Nov 1882 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.⁶
- 412 ii. William Emil Gibson b. 23 Apr 1884 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 26 Sep 1954 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{443,79} buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ William Gibson joined his father in the undertaking business in Enosburg, VT in 1901. The two served the community for thirty years (Geraw, 1985, page 206).

He married Lena M. Colcord, 22 Jun 1904 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 31 May 1883 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{186,444} (daughter of Zina Henry Colcord and Jennie M. Fay), d. 10 Aug 1935 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{186,79} buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

- 413 iii. Florence "Floy" E. Gibson b. 21 Nov 1888 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 16 Aug 1972 in Lyndonville, Caledonia Co., VT.⁶ Floy did not marry; she was a teacher.

241. **Burton S.⁵ Jeffords** (Merrill L.⁴, Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 18 Jul 1867 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²⁸ d. 26 Sep 1938 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Burton Jeffords lived on the Jeffords family farm in Berkshire, VT (Harvey, 1994, page 29).

He married (1) **Lillian Mariah Temple**, 9 Oct 1888 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT, b. 10 Nov 1869 in Bakersfield, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁵ (daughter of **George Temple** and **Josephine Smith**), d. 1914 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁵⁵ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- 414 i. Leon Temple⁶ Jeffords b. 19 Jun 1890 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 25 Oct 1967 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

He married (1) Tessie Eva Libby, 21 Jun 1910 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 25 Mar 1890 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of Fred O. Libby and Sarah Ann Sweet), d. 16 Jul 1939 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

He married (2) Eva (Brown) Shover, 15 Nov 1941 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 26 Jul 1903 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of Henry Brown and Flora Bresette), d. 3 Jun 1967 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

He married (2) **Grace L. Walbridge**, aft 1914, b. 22 Aug 1884 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of **William E. Walbridge** and **Nellie Cushman**), d. 28 Nov 1934 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁵⁵ resided in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹

245. **Elwin Harrison⁵ Grice** (Orabelle Lucia⁴ Jeffords, Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 11 Dec 1864 in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC, d. aft 1930.

He married (1) **Estella Rachel Janes**, 13 Mar 1883 in St. Armand East, Missisquoi Co., QC.³⁵

He married (2) **Lucy Georgina Walford**, 10 Jan 1897 in Westmount, QC, b. Mar 1874 (daughter of **Alfred Walford** and **Caroline _____**).

He married (3) **Grace Malvira Alger**, 19 Aug 1902 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 14 Dec 1870 in St. Armand, Missisquoi Co., QC,⁴⁴⁶ (daughter of **Edson A. Alger** [1840 - 1927] and **Hannah Wheelock** [1841 - 1909]), d. 7 Aug 1929 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Hillside Cem., Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴⁷

Children:

- 415 i. Elwin "Harley"⁶ Grice b. 25 May 1905 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 3 Jul 1990 in Middlebury, Addison Co., VT.⁷⁹

He married Doris Happel.

416 ii. Orabelle Hanna Grice b. abt 1908 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.

She married Oscar Willoughby Sawyer, 21 Mar 1926 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 1 Jan 1900 in Port Mulgrave, NS, Canada (son of Robert Sawyer and Sarah Welsh), d. 4 Sep 1953 in Norwalk, Fairfield Co., CT.

260. **Alston⁵ Rublee** (Homer Phelps (twin)⁴, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 29 Dec 1852 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁹ d. 17 Feb 1933 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹ "Death of Alston Rublee. Alston Rublee died at this home on the Ellington-Conewango Road at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, aged 30 years, 1 month, 24 days. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Flora Herrick Rublee; a son, Bert H. Rublee of Ellington; two brothers, Frank Rublee of Sherburne and Roy Rublee of Ellington; and a grandson, Robert Rublee. Mr. Rublee was born in Ellington and had resided there throughout his life, with the exception of a year, during which he lived in Falconer. He had been a member of Ellington Grange for forty years. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. Burial will be at Ellington. (Obituary: February, 1933, posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com)

"ELLINGTON -- Mrs. Flora H. Rublee died at her home on the Ellington-Conewango Road at 10 a.m. today, aged 66 years. Surviving are a son, B. H. Rublee, and a grandson, Robert M. Rublee, both at home. She was a member of Maple Park Rebekah lodge of Ellington and Ellington grange. Funeral services will be announced." (Obituary: June, 1938, posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com) NOTE: The age given is not consistent with her birthdate.

He married **Flora Herrick**, aft 1880 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY?, b. Nov 1859 in NY or PA,¹⁷¹ d. 16 Jun 1938 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹

Children:

+ 417 i. Bertrand "Bert" Homer⁶ Rublee b. 29 Jul 1887.

261. **Frank⁵ Rublee** (Homer Phelps (twin)⁴, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 2 May 1853 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁴⁸ d. 15 Sep 1938 in Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Sherburne Hill West Cem., Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY.⁴⁴⁸ In 1920, Nora lived with daughter Floy and her husband Marcus Botsford in Sherburne, Chenango, NY. In 1930, Frank and Nora Rublee lived in Sherburne, Chenango, NY with daughter Floy Botsford, who was head of household. In 1932, Frank and Nora are listed in the city directory for Sherburne, NY.

"Mrs. Frank Rublee. Sherburne--Funeral services for Mrs. Frank Rublee, 84, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Floy Botsford, Monday, will be held today at 2 p.m., the Rev. Frank Edwards officiating. Burial will be made in the Sherburne West Hill Cemetery. She had been ill only a short time.

Nora Safford Rublee was born in North Brookfield but had lived in Ellington, N. Y., until with Mr. Rublee she moved to Sherburne 10 years ago to make their home with Mrs. Botsford. Surviving besides her husband and daughter is a son, Herbert, Mercersburg, Pa." (Utica NY Daily Press, 1938, posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com)

"FRANK RUBLEE. The funeral of Frank Rublee will be held today (Saturday) at 2 P.M. from the home in Sherburne. Mr. Rublee died at his home in Sherburne, Wednesday, aged 85 years. He was born in Ellington May 2, 1853, the son of Homer and Jane Rublee. He lived in Ellington until thirteen years ago when he went to Sherburne to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Marcus D. Botsford." (Obituary from clippings scrapbook of Jessie Rublee posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

He married **Nora A. Safford**, est 1877, b. 30 Dec 1852 in N. Brookfield, Madison Co., NY,⁴⁴⁸ (daughter of **Thomas Safford** and **Mary _____**), d. 4 Apr 1938 in Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Sherburne Hill West Cem., Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY.⁴⁴⁸

Children:

- 418 i. Floy⁶ Rublee b. 29 Jan 1879 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁹⁴ d. 30 Aug 1945 in Sayre, Bradford Co., PA,⁹⁴ buried in Sherburne Hill West Cem., Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY.⁴⁴⁸ Marcus Botsford married first, Anna White, who died in 1903. In 1920, Marcus and Floy Botsford lived in Sherburne, NY. Marcus was then 76 and Floy 42. Floy's mother, Nora Rublee, was also in the home. Her father was not. In 1930, Floy Botsford was head of household in Sherburne, NY. Both of her parents lived with her.

"Sherburne--Mrs. Floy Botsford, widow of Marcus D. Botsford, 65, of Sherburne, died in the Robert Packer Hospital, Sayre, Pa., August 30, 1945, after a long illness. Mrs. Botsford was born in Ellington, N.Y., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rublee. She was a teacher in Sherburne High School for several years before her marriage to Marcus D. Botsford. Mrs. Botsford was well known in musical circles, a member of the Congregational Church and choir.

Her only brother, Prof. Herbert Rublee, died Apr. 1, 1944. There are no near survivors. Funeral services were conducted in her home, S. Main St., Saturday, with the Rev. Howard E. Jefferson of Hamilton officiating. Burial was in West Hill Cemetery, Sherburne." (Obituary: Utica NY Daily Press, from a clipping scrapbook kept by Jessie Rublee)

"Mrs. Floy Rublee Botsford 1879 - 1945 - In the passing of Mrs. Floy Rublee Botsford, the community of Sherburne has lost one of its most respected and beloved women.

Floy Rublee Botsford was born in Ellington, N. Y., the daughter of Frank and Nora Rublee. Her childhood and youth was spent in her home town until she entered Fredonia Normal school. Upon graduation she came to Sherburne and taught history, science and music in the Union Free school. After a year and a half of teaching she resigned and married Marcus D. Botsford, a banker.

Mrs. Botsford was one of the original members of the Board of Directors of the Pratt-Newton Memorial Home, also a member of the School Board for several years. She possessed an unusual pleasing voice and has used it for the pleasure of Church and community all during her life time. She has served as President of the Village Improvement Society, Shakespeare Reading Club and Mission Society of the Congregational church.

For several years she has been in poor health and recently reached a critical stage and went to Robert Packer hospital, Sayre, Pa., where she died August 30, 1945. She is survived by only three distant cousins, therefore the "Octagon House" will probably pass into strange hands.

Funeral services were conducted in her late residence on Saturday, September 2, 1945 at three o'clock. The profusion of flowers and the large attendance of friends and neighbors indicate the esteem in which she was held. Burial was made in the family plot in Sherburne West Hill cemetery.

Dr. Jefferson, of Colgate University, officiated and in his well-chosen and sincere remarks dedicated the following scripture as symbolic of the life of Mrs. Botsford."

She married Marcus D. Botsford, 6 Apr 1904 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{449,323} b. 25 Aug 1842 in Butternuts, Otsego Co. NY,⁴⁴⁸ (son of Daniel Botsford and Phoebe Rockwell), d. 4 Sep 1925 in Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Sherburne Hill West Cem., Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY.⁴⁴⁸

- 419 ii. Herbert Morgan Rublee b. 15 Jun 1884 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),^{448,89} d. 1 Apr 1944 in Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD,⁴⁴⁸ buried in Sherburne Hill West Cem., Sherburne, Chenango Co., NY.⁴⁴⁸ "MERCERSBURG, April 3 Herbert Morgan Rublee, for thirty-six years a member of the Mercersburg Academy faculty, died in the Hagerstown hospital on Saturday afternoon about 4:30 after an illness of a few days. He had not been well for some time and had planned to retire at the end of the present academic year. Mr. Rublee was born in Ellington, N. Y., the son of the late Frank and Nora Morton Rublee, on June 15, 1884. He had been a teacher for a period of forty years, one year at Bridgeport, Conn., three years at what is now Albright College, Allentown, Pa., and went to Mercersburg in 1908, where he was head of the commercial department. He was well known in the Cumberland Valley where he spent the major part of his adult life. His avocation was the buying and selling of antiques and for a long time he operated a shop at Sherburne, N. Y., to which place the discriminating dealers in the East came to select rare pieces. His opinion was sought by hundreds of people in connection with antiques. A memorial service will be held in the Academy Chapel this afternoon at 5 o'clock, Rev. James W. Moyer officiating, and burial will be made at Sherburne, N. Y., on Wednesday. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Floy R. Botsford, Sherburne." (Public Opinion (Chambersburg, Pennsylvania) 3 Apr 1944, Mon, page 1).

262. **Hiram "Leroy"⁵ Rublee** (Homer Phelps (twin)⁴, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 16 May 1859 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁸⁹ d. 1 Jul 1935 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁸¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ "Ida Clapp was married to Leroy Rublee, also an Ellington native, in 1881. The wedding took place in the Ellington Hotel which her father operated for 25 years. They had three sons and a daughter, Jessie, with whom Mrs. Rublee resides. Miss Rublee also teaches school." (Buffalo Courier Express, 27 Aug 1963).

"A CENTURY PLUS ONE-Mrs. Ida Rublee of Ellington Is celebrating her 101st birthday today. Still able to be up and around with the aid of a chair on casters which she pushes before her, "Grandma" Rublee will be looking for her many relatives and friends to wish her well. No special party is planned but greetings

began arriving as early as Monday and Mrs. Rublee and her daughter, Miss Jessie Rublee, expect many callers this weekend." (Jamestown Post-Journal, 21 Mar 1964)

"ELLINGTON - Mrs. Ida B. Rublee, aged 102 years, of R.D., Conewango Valley, believed to have been the oldest person in the area, died at 6:30 p.m. Monday (July 26, 1965) at her home. She was the widow of Leroy Rublee, whom she married Sept. 22, 1881 in Ellington. Mrs. Rublee was born March 21, 1863, in Ellington, the daughter of Aaron W. and Mary Smith Clapp. Her father was serving with the Union Army during the Civil War when she was born and he did not see his child until several months later. Mrs. Rublee was active in the affairs of the Ellington Congregational Church until the last several years and a member of the Ladies Aid Society of the church. She also had been an enthusiastic gardener and her handwork included many quilts. Surviving are one daughter, Miss Jessie Rublee, with whom she made her home; five grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and eight great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by three children. Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in the Ellington Congregational Church.

The Rev. William Dunstan, retired, of Conewango Valley, will officiate. Burial will be in Valley View Cemetery, Ellington. Friends may call at the family home. The Falconer Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements." (Jamestown Post-Journal, 27 Jul 1965).

He married **Ida Belle Clapp**, 22 Sep 1881 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁵⁰ b. 21 Mar 1863 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{450,212} (daughter of **Aaron Wilson Clapp** and **Mary Smith**), d. 26 Jul 1965 in Clear Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{89,259} buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

Children:

- 420 i. Romaine Saxton⁶ Rublee b. 15 Oct 1882 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁹ d. 15 Apr 1904 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹ Romaine Rublee died after an operation for appendicitis.

"The funeral services of our young townsman, the late Romaine Rublee, whose death occurred at the home of his parents, Friday, April 15, after an illness of two weeks, aged 21 years, 6 months, were held from the Congregational church Sunday, April 17 at 2 p. m. The services were conducted by Rev. O. M. Rees, pastor, assisted by Rev. H. E. V. Porter, president of the Jamestown Business college, and Secretary Chase of the Y. M. C. A. Music was furnished by a quartet, Messrs. G. R. Potwin, A. Lawrence, Misses B. Bennett and Pearl Marsh. Interment in Valley View cemetery. The funeral was one of the largest held for many years. The casket was covered and surrounded with choice floral emblems from relatives, friends and associates, evidencing the regard in which he was held by all with whom he was associated. Among the number were Easter lilies from students and faculty of Ellington high school; roses from J. B. college and Y M. C. A. of Jamestown. Deceased was the eldest son of LeRoy and Ida (Clapp) Rublee, was born in Ellington, October 15, 1882. He leaves besides a father and mother, a brother and sister, to mourn the loss of a kind and dutiful son and affectionate brother. The family and relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of all in this hour of great sorrow. Among those in attendance from away were A. H. Stafford, Henry Brookes of Jamestown; Fred Buker of Chicago, Joseph Stafford of Midland, Mich. and Mrs. Stanley Williams of Randolph." (Jamestown Evening Journal, 19 Apr 1904).

- 421 ii. Herman Rublee b. 11 Mar 1884 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁸¹ d. 22 Aug 1884 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob),⁸⁹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹
- + 422 iii. Lynn Homer Rublee b. 30 Jun 1885.
- 423 iv. Jessie H. Rublee b. 12 Nov 1887 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ d. Oct 1984 in Clear Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ In 1930, Jessie lived with her parents in Ellington, NY. She was a schoolteacher. In 1936, she is listed as a teacher in the city directory for Lakewood, NY.

264. **Maud Martha⁵ Rubelee** (Rollin "Rolly" Luman⁴ Rublee, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. Aug 1868 in MN,⁴⁵¹ d. 8 Nov 1955 in Ladysmith, Rusk Co., WI?,⁴⁵² buried in Riverside Cem., Ladysmith, Rusk Co., WI.⁴⁵²

She married (1) **Nathan L. Butler**, 17 May 1889 in Augusta Methodist Church, Eau Claire, WI,¹³³ b. Jan 1869 in Potsdam, St. Lawrence Co., NY (prob) (son of **James B. Butler** and **Ellen Brundage**), d. bet 1910-1920 in Stanley, Chippewa, WI (prob). In 1900, the Butlers lived in Thorp, WI with their two children. Nathan was a veterinary surgeon. In 1905, they lived in Thorp. By 1910, they had moved to Stanley, Chippewa Co., WI. They had five children. In 1920, Maud was a widow living in Stanley with her two youngest children. In 1930, she lived in Ladysmith, Rusk, WI. Son Byron, age 24, lived with her.

Children:

- 424 i. Infant Son⁶ Butler b. 29 Jul 1892 in Eau Claire, Eau Claire Co., WI,⁴⁵³ d. bef 1900 in WI.
- 425 ii. Dorothy Faye Butler b. 25 May 1894 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI (prob),⁴⁰⁴ d. 7 Nov 1989 in Brevard Co., FL,⁴⁰⁴ buried in Elm Lawn Cem., Tonawanda, Erie Co., NY.⁴⁵⁴ In 1920, Earl and Dorothy Price lived in Omaha, NE where Earl was the sale proprietor for a rubber company. In 1930, they live in Chicago, where Earl was the proprietor of an auto sales company. In 1940, they lived in Kenmore, Erie Co., NY. In 1942, when Earl registered for the "old man's draft", he lived in Detroit, MI while Dorothy lived in Buffalo, NY. The Prices divorced on 22 Nov 1946 in Wayne Co., MI.

"Dorothy B. Price, 95, a retired department store buyer, died Tuesday, Nov. 7, at Jess Parrish Memorial Hospital in Titusville. Mrs. Price was a Brevard County resident for five years. She was a native of Ladysmith, Wis., and worked for many years at J.N. Adams in Buffalo, N.Y. She also ran a mail-order business and was an accomplished organist. "She was one of the first women to play the piano in the old movie theaters when movies first came out," said her daughter, Patricia Miller of Titusville. "She played for a dollar a night." Other survivors include her sons, Donn Price of Sebring and John Price of Greensboro, N.C; sisters, Mona Spich of Ladysmith, Wis., and Daisy Jenkins of Englewood; 12 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild." (Florida Today (Cocoa, Florida) 10 Nov 1989, Fri, page 19).

She married Earl Steele Price, 2 Jun 1917 in Hennepin Co., MN,⁴⁵⁵ b. 30 Jun 1891 in North Liberty, Union Co., IN,⁴⁵⁶ (son of J. Frank Price and Ida E. Steele), d. 31 Dec 1950 in Erie Co., NY?,⁴⁵⁷ buried in Elm Lawn Cem., Tonawanda, Erie Co., NY.⁴⁵⁴

- 426 iii. Mona B. Butler b. 6 Feb 1897 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI (prob),³³¹ d. 1 Feb 2001 in Medford, Taylor Co., WI (res).³³¹

She married Fred C. Speich, b. 1891 in WI, d. 7 Feb 1962, buried in Riverside Cem., Ladysmith, Rusk Co., WI.⁴⁵²

- 427 iv. Donald Keith Butler b. Nov 1899 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI (prob), d. 8 Mar 1936 in Ladysmith, Rusk Co., WI, buried in Riverside Cem., Ladysmith, Rusk Co., WI.⁴⁵² "LADYSMITH, Wis. Donald Keith Butler. 36v died Sunday. March 8, at his home here after a brief illness of flu. Surviving are his widow, formerly Miss Esther Alice Dodmead, of Eau Claire: a four-year-old son, Donald Keith; his mother, Mrs. E. A. Dahl of Ladysmith; one brother, Byron, and three sisters, Mrs. E. S. Price, of Buffalo, New York; Mrs. F. C. Spelch, of Ladysmith, and Mrs. D. W. Jenkins, of Clinton, Iowa. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Butler left high school to enlist in the army during the World war, and served overseas with Company A, 119th machine gun battalion, thirty-second division, participating in ten major actions on the western front. He was wounded in the Meuse-Argonne offenorson sive, and served with the army of occupation from November 1918 to April 1919. After his discharge from the army as a private, he served In the United States Navy for four years. The past eleven years he has been employed in the postal service at Ladysmith. He was a member and officer of Mystic Tie Lodge, Kedron chapter, F. and A. M., the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, and the First Methodist church of Ladysmith. Mrs. Butler and her son will make their future home In Eau Claire." (Leader-Telegram (Eau Claire, Wisconsin) 14 Mar 1936, Sat, page 3).

He married Esther Alice Dodmead, 1926, b. abt 1904 in WI.

- 428 v. Daisy Dawn Butler b. 22 Mar 1902 in WI,²¹² d. 15 Jan 1994 in Sarasota, Sarasota Co., FL,⁴⁰⁴ buried in Mansion Mem. Park, Ellenton, Manatee Co., FL.⁴⁵⁸

She married Donald Wayne Jenkins, 2 Sep 1924 in Hennepin Co., MN,⁴⁵⁵ b. 15 Apr 1900 in Marinette Co., WI,⁴⁵⁹ (son of August Jenkins and Agnes Pelletier), d. 6 Feb 1982 in Sarasota Co., FL,⁴⁰⁴ buried in Mansion Mem. Park, Ellenton, Manatee Co., FL.⁴⁵⁸

- 429 vi. James "Byron" Butler b. 8 Aug 1905 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI,⁴⁶⁰ d. 8 Nov 1984 in Rock Co., WI,⁴⁶¹ buried in Mount Olivet Cem., Janesville, Rock Co., WI.⁴⁶²

He married Dorothy Whitman, b. 1909, d. 19 Nov 1979, buried in Mount Olivet Cem., Janesville, Rock Co., WI.⁴⁶²

She married (2) **Ernest A. Dahl**, bet 1930-1940, b. 1869, d. 10 Feb 1958.

265. **Walter "William" Rublee or⁵ Rubelee** (Rollin "Rolly" Luman⁴ Rublee, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 24 May 1871 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²¹² d. 20 Aug 1962 in Grubb Springs, Boone Co., AR?,⁴⁶³ buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.⁴⁶³ In 1900, William W.

Rublee, born May 1871, wife Josephine, born 1879 and their sons: Gerry, born Jan 1897; Victor, May 1898 lived in Thorp, WI. William was a barber.

"Walter Rublee has opened a barber shop in the Rusch Saloon building." (100 Years Ago in the THORP COURIER 14 Jun 2000)

By 1910, the "Rubelees" had moved to Leonard, Rolette, ND. William's mother Armina, now a widow, lived with them. All three children were born in Wisconsin. William was a laborer. By 1920, they had moved to Crooked Creek, Boone, AR. Armina, now 81, still lived with them, but none of their sons were in the home. William was a farmer. In 1930, they lived in Crooked Creek, Boone, AR. His name was given as Walter. Armina had apparently died by then.

His name is spelled Rubelee on his gravestone.

"Crane — Mrs. Josephine May Rubelee, 90, died Sunday in a hospital in Monett, Mo. She leaves three sons Guy L Rubelee, Stover, Mo.; Victor D. Rubelee, 3405 Overton Independence; and Walter R. Rubelee, Monett; six grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson. Services and burial were yesterday in Harrison, Ark." (The Kansas City Star (Kansas City, Missouri) 29 May 1969, Thu, page 22).

He married **Josephine "Josie" May Cooke**, 18 Jan 1896 in Cadott, Chippewa Co., WI,¹⁵³ b. 27 May 1879 in Smithfield, NS, Canada,²⁵⁴ (daughter of **Abram Cooke** and **Salina Smith**), d. 25 May 1969 in Monett, Barry Co., MO,⁴⁶³ buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.⁴⁶³

Children:

- + 430 i. Guy Leroy⁶ Rubelee b. 7 Jan 1897.
- + 431 ii. Victor Dewey Rubelee b. 17 May 1898.
- 432 iii. Walter "Raleigh" Rubelee b. 21 Jan 1901 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI,^{331,404} d. 21 Jan 1976 in Trilby, Pasco Co., FL,^{331,404} buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.⁴⁶³ In 1920, a Viola E. McNeill, age 19, born in Oklahoma, an Indian, was a student living in Lawrence, Douglas, Kansas at the Haskell Institute. Her father was Irish. I cannot be sure this is the right Violet McNeill, but it probably is.

"Haskell was formed as the United States Indian Industrial Training School in Lawrence, Kansas in 1884. Haskell was originally an Indian boarding school for 15 students and provided agricultural education for grades one through five. The emphasis was on assimilation — teaching the students to become members of the dominant society. The school's name was changed to Haskell Institute in 1887 to honor Dudley Haskell, the U.S. Representative from Kansas who was responsible for the school being located in Lawrence. A semi-military system was initiated where students wore uniforms and marched to their classes and exercised regularly. Campus facilities included a brig, or jail for unruly students. By 1894 there were 606 students enrolled, representing 36 states. Haskell expanded its academic training beyond the eighth grade to include "normal school"." (Wikipedia, February 2010).

Walter and Viola Rubelee lived in Kansas City, Jackson, MO in 1930. No children were in the home. They had several unrelated boarders.

"RUBELEE, WALTER R., 75, 29 Palm Road (Riverdale), Trilby, died Wednesday (Jan. 21, 1976). A native of Ladysmith, Wis., he came here 2 1/2 years ago from Missouri. He was a retired iron worker. He is survived by his wife Viola; a daughter, Mrs. Pauline Beasley, Homosassa Springs; two brothers, Guy of Phoenix, Ariz., Victor of Kansas City, Mo.; five grandchildren; one greatgrandchild. Services will be at 2 p.m. today from St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Dade City, with Rev. James Barnhardt officiating. Cremation. Coleman and Ferguson Funeral Home, Dade City. (Tampa Bay Times (St. Petersburg, Florida) 23 Jan 1976, Fri, page 22)

"VIOLA E. RUBELEE, 82, of 605 S. Orleans, Tampa, died Tuesday in Lakeland. She moved to Tampa three years ago from Trilby and was a native of Oklahoma. She attended St. John's Episcopal Church and was a member of the Eastern Star. She is survived by a daughter, Pauline E. Beasley of Tampa; five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren." (The Tampa Tribune (Tampa, Florida) 2 Dec 1982, Thu, page 49).

He married Viola E. McNeill, 15 Apr 1922 in Jackson Co., MO,^{175,463} b. 31 Mar 1900 in Miami, Ottawa Nation, Indian Territory (prob),^{331,404} (daughter of James McNeill and Hattie _____), d. 20 Nov 1982 in Lakeland, Polk Co., FL,^{331,404} buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.⁴⁶³

268. **George Early "Earl"⁵ Boyd** (Martha "Mattie" Catherine⁴ Rubblee, Homer Phelps³, William², William¹ Robblee), b. 16 Feb 1873 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁶ d. 9 Jul 1910 in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Highland Cem., Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁴⁶⁴ In 1900, Earl and Bertha lived with Bertha's father Lewis J. Price in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua, NY. In 1910, they lived in their own household in Cherry Creek. Bertha died in 1910, just a few days after giving birth to daughter Bertha Arlene Boyd, born 26 May 1910 in Cherry Creek. Earl died a couple of months later. His death record gives his name as Earl G. Boyd. In 1920, Bertha E. Boyd, age 9, lived with her grandfather Lewis Price in Cherry Creek.

He married **Bertha J. Price**, bef 1900, b. May 1874 in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY (prob) (daughter of **Lewis Price** and **Emma** _____), d. 31 May 1910 in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Highland Cem., Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁴⁶⁴

Children:

- 433 i. Bertha Arlene⁶ Boyd b. 26 May 1910 in Cherry Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY.

270. **Charles Clark⁵ Rublee, M.D.** (Chauncey Moore⁴, Luman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 31 Oct 1852 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,⁶ d. 11 Sep 1905 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ buried in Pleasant View Cem., Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁴⁶⁵
"Dr. C. C. RUBLEE, a former resident, but now of Hamburg, Iowa, was in town last week." (ARGUS AND PATRIOT, December 19, 1877, Montpelier, Washington County, Vermont)

"George D. MEARS, a Morrisville merchant, has been sued by Dr. Charles C. RUBLEE for \$5,000, for alleged intimacy with RUBLEE's wife. MEARS's store was closed Monday. It is reported that other suits may be brought". (The Vermont Tribune, Ludlow, Friday, December 11, 1885)

"Morrisville -- Mrs. Kate Rublee, wife of Dr. Charles C. Rublee, died at her home at an early hour on Wednesday morning, following a surgical operation performed on Monday afternoon by Dr. Wheeler of Burlington assisted by local physicians, for the removal of an internal cancer. The funeral will be held at the home on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Rublee was to all appearances strong and well until within a very few days, when her terrible condition was discovered. She was prominent and active in social and church circles in this community and will be greatly missed. The bereaved family, husband, three daughters and one son have the deepest sympathy." (The Burlington Free Press 26 Feb 1897, Fri, page 2)

"DEATH OF DR. CHARLES C. RUBLEE. One of Lamoille County's Best Known Physicians. Had Practiced in Morrisville for Over 30 Years. Although expected for some time, the death of Dr. Charles C. Rublee, which occurred Monday morning at about 8:30 o'clock, came as a severe shock to this community, where for over 30 years he had been a well-known and highly respected physician. The cause of death was from the effects of diabetes, from which he had been a sufferer for the past two years or more, although he did not give up active practice until three weeks and two days before the end came.

In the death of Dr. Rublee Morrisville loses a good citizen, a kind neighbor and a man who had given the best of his whole life to his profession, and his family a kind and indulgent husband and father. As a physician he was well-known throughout the County and at the time of his death was serving as president of the Lamoille County Medical Association. He had held the office of health officer here for many years and for the past eight years had been chairman of the Board of Pension Examiners. He served in this capacity four years under President Harrison.

The funeral was held this afternoon at the home, the attendance being restricted to members of the family and Masons. Rev. George N. Kellogg officiated, assisted by Rev. C. C. St. Clare and the bearers were Drs. George L. Bates of this place, John Morgan of Stowe, A. J. Valleau of Wolcott and E. Brush of Cambridge. The burial was with Masonic honors, under the direction of Mt. Vernon Lodge, F. & A. M., interment being at the family lot in Pleasant View Cemetery. Several members of Palestine Commandery of St Johnsbury were in town and attended the funeral in a body.

Chas. C. Rublee was born at Montpelier in 1852, the son of Dr. Chauncey M. and Sarah Rublee of Montpelier. His mother was a daughter of Dr. Charles Clark, a veteran physician of that town. His academic education was obtained in its public schools and at Barre Academy under Jacob Spaulding. He attended Dartmouth college one year, but in 1869 began the study of medicine in the office of Dr. J. E. Macomber of Montpelier. He attended one term of medical lectures at Harvard and two at Burlington, and 1873 graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York City. While at Burlington and New York he acted as assistant of Benj. Howard, professor of surgery. Soon after his graduation he settled in Morrisville where he had since practiced with the exception of one year at Montpelier and six months in the west, and here he had a large professional acquaintance. In April 1873, Dr. Rublee married Kate Spicer of Waterbury, Vermont, who died in 1897, leaving four children, Sarah J., wife of F. M. Pike of Mansfield, Ohio, Edna S., wife of W. M. Sargent of this place, Emily, wife of B. A. Palmer of Wilder, Vt., and George, who is now a student at the D. V. M. Medical college. Dr. Rublee married again in May,

1898, taking for his wife Miss Lou C. Mooney of Burlington, who with the above children survive him. A son, Charles C., was born to them and died about two years ago.

He was a member of Mt. Vernon Lodge, No. 8, F. & A. M., having been made a Mason in 1874. He was Master of the lodge in 1893. He was also a member of Tucker Chapter, R. A. M. of this place, Palestine Commandery of St. Johnsbury and of Mt. Sinai Temple of Mystic Shriners. The business places in town were closed during the funeral out of respect to the deceased." (News and Citizen [Morrisville, VT], September 13, 1905).

He married (1) **Kate Spicer**, 29 Apr 1873 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 31 Aug 1852 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁶⁶ (daughter of **William H. Spicer** [1818 -] and **Jane Blush**), d. 24 Feb 1897 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ buried in Pleasant View Cem., Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁴⁶⁵

Children:

- 434 i. Stillborn Boy⁶ Rublee b. 5 Jun 1874 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ d. 5 Jun 1874 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT.⁶
- 435 ii. Sarah Jane Rublee b. 16 Jul 1875 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 27 Jul 1920 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT.⁷⁹

She married Frederick Morrison Pike, 3 Nov 1891 in Stowe, Lamoille Co., VT,³² b. 19 Oct 1872 in Stowe, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of Paphro Ditus Pike [1835 -] and Abigail Towne), d. 16 Sep 1944 in Hartford, Hartford Co., CT. In 1900, Frederick and Sarah Rublee lived in Brooklyn, NY. They had been married 2 years. Frederick was an electrical engineer. By 1910, they had moved to Mansfield, Ohio. They had no children. In 1920, they lived in Catonsville, Baltimore, MD where Mr. Pike continued in his profession.

Sarah died at age 43, of breast cancer. At that time, her usual residence was Baltimore, MD. Sometime before 1926, Frederick returned to Vermont. In 1930, Fred Pike lived in Stowe with his second wife Nan. He was a sugar manufacturer. He lived in Stowe in 1940; now his wife is referred to as Annie. Fred M. Pike was one of the founders of the Mt. Mansfield Ski Club, in 1934.

"Fred Morrison Pike died on Saturday at Hartford, Conn after a few hours' illness. He was the son of the late Paphro D. and Abigail (Towne) Pike and was born in Stowe on October 19, 1872. He attended the village schools and later attended Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute at Brooklyn, N Y. He resided in Brooklyn for eight years. Afterwards he went to Mansfield O, where he engaged in the granite business. Some years later he moved to Cleveland where he took up employment with the National Carbon company. During his mother's declining years he returned to Stowe to care for her and he founded the Mount Mansfield Merchants' company which he later sold. Since the war he has been engaged in defense work first with the Jones and Lamson company at Springfield and later as a draftsman for Pratt and Whitney in Hartford, Conn. He is survived by his wife Nan (Wombell) Pike and by a brother A. A. Pike of Stowe. Several nephews and nieces also survive him. A brother Louis died on August 10 at Richmond. Mr. Pike was a member of Stowe Community church and he held a number of town and village offices during his residence here. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon from Stowe Community church with Rev. George Goodliffe of

Morrisville officiating and Rev C. D. Newton of Stowe assisting. Burial will be at Morrisville." (The Barre Daily Times (Barre, Vermont) 18 Sep 1944, Mon, page 6).

- + 436 iii. Ednah Spicer Rublee b. 20 Oct 1877.
- + 437 iv. Emilie Clark Rublee b. 20 Dec 1881.
- + 438 v. George Clark Rublee, M.D. b. 12 Mar 1883.

He married (2) **Louise "Lulu" C. Mooney**, 18 May 1898 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT,³² b. 1 Jun 1865 in Bolton Glen, Brome Co., QC,⁴⁶⁷ (daughter of **Amos Austin Mooney** and **Ellen Barr**), d. 13 Sep 1951 in Brattleboro, Windham Co., VT.⁷⁹ Hiram Carlton refers to A. A. Mooney as "of Mansonville, Province of Quebec".

In 1929, a Louise M. Rublee is listed as a waitress at Lawton Hall in Brattleboro, VT in the Brattleboro City Directory. Also in 1930, listed as a matron at Lawton Hall and in 1931 and 1933 as a hostess.

In 1930, Louise M. Rublee, widow, was living in Brattleboro as a boarder in a large establishment. She was employed at the hospital. She was 61. Louise Mooney Rublee died at the Brattleboro Retreat Hospital. Her usual residence was Windham, VT. Her occupation was retired hostess (Vermont Vital Records).

Children:

- 439 vi. Charles Mooney Rublee b. 3 Mar 1899 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 11 Jan 1902 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ buried in Pleasant View Cem., Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁴⁶⁵

272. **Alson Francis⁵ Rublee** (Henry Francis⁴, Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 24 Dec 1851 in Meredith Bridge, Belknap Co., NH,²⁶⁶ d. 15 May 1928 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,²³⁶ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵ In 1880, Alson F. Rublee lived in Gilford, NH. He was 28 and Ellen was 29. Son Henry A. was 6 and daughter Cornelia M. was 1. All were born in New Hampshire.

In 1900, the Rublees lived in Laconia, NH. The census indicates that Ellen had given birth to three children, two of which were living. Daughter Cornelia M. Whitcher and her son Alson R. Whitcher lived with them. Alson's sister Emaline, age 38, also lived with them. She was a music teacher.

In 1920, Alson and Ellen lived in Laconia, NH. Emaline no longer lived with them.

"Alson Francis was the son of Henry F. and Mahalia A. (Robinson) Rublee. He was an accomplished musician and band leader and studied music (flute) at the Boston Conservatory of Music. The following is an excerpt from his obituary appearing in the Laconia Democrat: "He was what might be termed a natural born musician and in the early '80s started his musical career with the Highland Brass Band, the name being changed to Rublee's Band in the early '90s. The Rublee Band became famous under his leadership and toured the eastern part of the U.S., playing in Washington, New York and other large cities. Mr. Rublee was also a member of the Peace Jubilee Chorus of Boston in 1876. He was also leader of a number of bands, in addition to the Rublee Band and was musical director of the N.H. Veterans Assn. for several years." He was referred in the article as, "one of the best known musicians in New Hampshire).

Alson was associated with his father in the carriage business in Lakeport. He married Ellen Amelia Paddleford (1851-1935). Their children were Henry Alson, born Aug. 28, 1873 and Cornelia M. (1878-1971). Cornelia married Wallace R. Barr (1883-1941) All, with the exception of Henry Alson, are buried at Bayside in the Rublee family lot". (findagrave.com)

Ellen Rublee lived in Norwood, MA in 1930. She was 78, born in NH and widowed. The puzzling thing is that she is listed as "mother". The couple she was living with were Lionel Kipling, age 41, born in England and his wife Caroline H. Kipling, age 44, born in Germany.

He married **Ellen "Nellie" Amelia Paddleford**, 11 Oct 1873 in Littleton, Grafton Co., NH,⁴⁶⁸ b. 14 Dec 1851 in Littleton, Grafton Co., NH,⁴⁶⁸ (daughter of **Peter Henry Paddleford** and **Louise Pierce**), d. 1935 in Norwood, Norfolk Co., MA,¹⁷² buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵

Children:

- + 440 i. Henry Alson⁶ Rublee b. 28 Aug 1873.
- + 441 ii. Cornelia May Rublee b. 19 Aug 1878.
- 442 iii. Infant Daughter Rublee b. 1884, d. 1884, buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.
- 443 iv. Alson F. Rublee b. 17 Jan 1885 in Lake Village, Belknap Co., NH,⁴⁶⁹ d. 27 Jan 1885 in Lake Village, Belknap Co., NH.²³⁶

302. **William Alvah⁵ Rublee** (Horace⁴, Alvah³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 16 Mar 1861 in Madison, Dane Co., WI,³⁰⁷ d. 10 Apr 1910 in Hong Kong,³⁰⁴ buried in Forest Hill Cem., Madison, Dane Co., WI.³⁰⁷ "HONGKONG, April 15 -- William A. Rublee, United States Consul General at Hongkong died today of peritonitis. Mr. Rublee was appointed Consul General at Hongkong May 17, 1900. He was educated at Phillips-Exeter Academy and at Harvard University. After his graduation he entered the editorial field and was at one time Vice President and Director of The Milwaukee Sentinel Company. He then entered the Consular service and was appointed Consul at Prague June 6, 1890. He retired Nov. 9, 1893 and was appointed Consul General at Hongkong March 2, 1901. He was transferred Sept. 15, 1902 as Consul General at Havana and on March 26, 1903, as Consul General at Vienna. He was 49 years old."

He married **Katherine Smith Rogers**, 7 Oct 1896 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co., WI,⁴⁷⁰ b. 4 Oct 1878 in Algonac, St. Clair Co., MI,³¹⁵ (daughter of **Horace Brewster Rogers** and **Mary Frances Russell**), d. May 1959 in Denver, Denver Co., CO?³¹⁵ Elias Dunleavy's and Katherine (Rogers) Rublee's marriage record indicates that it was his first marriage. He was 50 and she was 37. He was a resident of Phoenix, AZ at the time of their marriage, and was a court clerk.

In 1920, Catherine and Elias Dunleavy lived in Denver, CO. Children in the home were Horace Rublee, age 21, Lora C. Rublee, age 11 and Deirdre Dunleavy, age 7. They continued to live in Denver in 1930.

Children:

- + 444 i. Horace⁶ Rublee b. 11 Sep 1898.
- 445 ii. Alva Frances Rublee b. 12 Feb 1905 in Vienna, Austria, d. 12 Jul 1910 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co., WI,¹⁴⁵ buried in Forest Hill Cem., Madison, Dane Co., WI.³⁰⁶
- + 446 iii. Laura "Christine" Rublee b. 13 May 1908.

306. **Hattie Lucinda⁵ Rublee** (Hiram Irving⁴, Hiram Belden³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Dec 1863 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁴⁷¹ d. 2 Mar 1949 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,^{472,87} buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY.³²⁰ In 1900, the Godfreys lived in Auburn, NY. Flora was the only child in the home and the census indicated that Hattie had given birth to just one child. In 1920, the Godfreys continued to live in Auburn. Daughter Flora C. Godfrey lived with them as well as Hattie's mother Cornelia, age 78. By 1930, the household was just William and Hattie.

"AUBURN-William E. Godfrey, 88, of 11 Florence St., a retired International Harvester Co. moulder, died yesterday in his home. A native of Sennett, he spent practically all his life in Auburn. He worked for the I.H.C 44 years, until retiring in 1918. His wife, Mrs. Hattie Godfrey; a daughter, Mrs. Claude Keesler, Auburn, and several nieces, a nephew and several cousins survive. The funeral will be conducted privately Wednesday in the home with the Rev. De. Frank L. Gosneil, pastor of Second Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will be in Fort Hill Cemetery." (Syracuse Herald-Journal, 24 Dec 1945)

"MRS. WILLIAM E. GODFREY. Mrs. Hattie Rublee Godfrey. 86, widow of William E. Godfrey, died Wednesday in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Claude M. Keesler, 23 Hamilton Avenue, with whom she resided. Her death followed a long illness. . .

Born in Auburn, Mrs. Godfrey was a daughter of the late H. I. Rublee, who founded the awning manufacturing business here under his name that became the oldest such manufacturing concern in the United States. The business is still operated under the Rublee. Mfg. Co., name by a nephew of the deceased, Irving H. Rublee.

Also surviving besides the daughter and nephew is a niece Mrs. Lofton DelMatter, Syracuse. . ." (The Auburn Citizen-Advertiser, 4 Mar 1949)

"Funeral of Mrs. Godfrey. Funeral services for Mrs. Hattie L. Godfrey of 23 Hamilton Avenue, widow of William E. Godfrey, were held at 2 p. m. today at the Langham Funeral Home, with Rev. Donald H. MacKenzie officiating. Committal services were held at the funeral home. Burial was in Fort Hill Cemetery. Besides survivors already noted, Mrs. Godfrey is survived by a brother, Edward Rublee of Upper Darby, Pa." (The Auburn Citizen-Advertiser, 5 Mar 1949).

She married **William E. Godfrey**, 19 Nov 1885 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,^{473,323} b. Apr 1858 in Sennett, Cayuga Co., NY (prob) (son of **John Godfrey** and **Eliza Martin**), d. 24 Dec 1945 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY.³²⁰

Children:

- 447 i. Flora C.⁶ Godfrey b. 28 Dec 1891 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY (prob),⁴⁷¹ d. 9 Oct 1965 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY (res),²⁵⁹ buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY. Claude and Flora Keesler taught piano in Auburn for many years.

"AUBURN - Mrs. Flora Godfrey Keesler, widow of Claude M. Keesler of 23 Hamilton Ave died Saturday evening in Auburn Memorial Hospital. A life resident of Auburn, she taught piano here for many years. She was a member of Second Presbyterian Church Circle. Surviving are several cousins. Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Langham Funeral Home with the Rev. Dr. Richard R. Northup, pastor of Second Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will be

in Fort Hill Cemetery Friends may call 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at 91 E. Genesee St." (The Syracuse Post-Standard, 11 Oct 1965).

She married Claude Moyer Keesler, 8 Jul 1925 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,³²³ b. 4 Sep 1896 in Fort Plain, Montgomery Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (son of Edgar C. Keesler and Mary E. Moyer), d. 7 Jul 1954 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Fort Hill Cem., Auburn, Cayuga, NY.³²⁰

307. **Irving Howe⁵ Rublee** (Hiram Irving⁴, Hiram Belden³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Nov 1864 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁴⁷¹ d. 15 Mar 1945 in Owasco, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Lakeview Cem., Fleming, Cayuga Co., NY.⁴⁷⁵ In 1900, Irving Rublee lived in Auburn, NY. He and Harriet were still there in 1920, with son Irving Jr. In 1930, the Rublees lived in Owasco, Cayuga Co., NY. Both were born in NY. Mr. Rublee's father was born in New York and his mother in Wisconsin. His occupation was proprietor of an awning manufacturing business.

"Mr. and Mrs. Irving H. Rublee, Sr. will celebrate their golden anniversary Sunday with a dinner and a reception. Mr. Rublee, who has been in business in this city for 59 years, is one of the best awning men in this part of the state. He heads the Rublee and Son Company which was founded by his father, Hiram I. Rublee in Auburn in 1860, and the junior partner of the firm now is Irving H. Rublee, Jr., of 13 VanDuyne Avenue. Mr. Rublee who now is 77 years of age, is very active in the firm's business since he started working with his father 61 years ago. Mrs. Rublee was the former Miss Harriet Scoville of this city. They were married in Chicago, Ill., on May 8, 1891, while Mr. Rublee was working there. A year or two later they moved to this city and for the past few years have been residing in VanDuyne Avenue, Owasco.

The reception for friends will be held from 3 to 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon at 1 Van Duyne Avenue and the wedding anniversary dinner will be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Rublee, Jr. for immediate members of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Rublee, Sr., have besides their son, a daughter, Mrs. Lofton I. DelMatter of Syracuse; also four grandchildren, the Misses Mabel Elizabeth and Jean Marie DelMatter, Elmer DelMatter of Syracuse and Joan E. Rublee of Owasco." (The Citizen Advertizer, 2 May 1942)

"I. H. Rublee Sr., 80 - In Business Many Years Dies - Widely Known-Member of Old Second Separate Company

Irving H. Rublee. Sr., 80, for many years a prominent Auburn business man conducting the Rublee Manufacturing Company for upwards of 64 years, died early this morning at his home, 1 Van Duyne Avenue.

For the past 18 years, Mr. Rublee had resided in Owasco, his home formerly being at 22 Orchard Street, Auburn. Mr. Rublee was associated in the Rublee Manufacturing Company with his father, Hiram I. Rublee, founder of the business. The company made tents and awnings.

Mr. Rublee was for five years a member of the Second Separate Company, National Guard, being discharged in 1891.

Mr. Rublee is survived by a son, Irving H. Rublee, Jr., of Owasco; a daughter, Mrs. Lofton I. Del Matter of Syracuse; a brother, Edward D. Rublee of Manoa, Pa.; a sister, Mrs. William E. Godfrey of Auburn; also

four grandchildren, John [Joan] E. Rublee of Auburn and Mable Del Matter, Jean De Matter, and Elmer Del Matter of Syracuse.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 Saturday afternoon at the family home. Rev. A. Paul Wright will officiate. Burial will in Lakeview Cemetery, Fleming." (The Citizen Advertiser, 15 Mar 1945)

"The will of the late Irving H. Rublee, Sr. of Owasco has been offered for probate in Surrogate's Court. The value of the personal property was given as unknown. He had no real estate. The will gives Irving H. Rublee, Jr., all interest in the Rublee Mfg. Co., the assets, business, property and profits thereof. Mrs. Harriette E. Rublee, wife, received the residue." (Auburn Citizen-Advertiser, 14 Apr 1945).

He married **Harriette Pierce Scovill**, 3 May 1892 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,⁴⁷⁶ b. 1 Jul 1866 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,^{171,475} (daughter of **Isaac Leroy Scovill** and **Harriette Salisbury Pierce**), d. 19 Dec 1946 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Lakeview Cem., Fleming, Cayuga Co., NY.⁴⁷⁵ "Mrs. Rublee Dies Following Long Illness. Mrs. Harriette Scovill Rublee, formerly of 1 Van Dyne Avenue, widow of Irving H. Rublee died Thursday evening after an illness of over two years. She was the daughter of the late Isaac Leroy and Harriette Pierce Scovill of Auburn.

Mrs. Rublee was born in Au-burn and had lived here all her life. She was a member and former officer of Owasco Chapter, D. A. R. and was very active and greatly interested in the work of the organization.

Surviving are a daughter Ethel R. Del Matter of Syracuse; a son, Irving H. Rublee of Au-burn, three granddaughters, Joan Rublee of Auburn, Mabel Del Matter of Syracuse and Mrs. Jean Warren of Springfield, Mass.; a grandson Elmer Del Matter of Syracuse; two nieces, Mrs. Modena S. Lane of New York City and Mrs. Leona S. Wamfler of Watertown and two nephews Jack Scovill of Pearl River, N. Y. and LeRoy Scovill of Midland Park, N. J. . . " (The Citizen-Advertiser, Auburn, NY, 20 Dec 1948).

Children:

- + 448 i. Ethel Francis⁶ Rublee b. 25 Nov 1895.
- + 449 ii. Irving Howe Rublee, Jr. b. 11 Jun 1905.

310. **Alice Carey⁵ Rublee** (Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 29 Apr 1864 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 29/30 Jul 1903 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸ In 1882, Alice Rublee was a milliner, boarding at Mrs. Standards, on South Main St. in St. Albans, VT. (Business Directory, Franklin and Grand Isle Counties, 1882). Her indexed death record says she died on 29 Jul 1903; her gravestone says 30 Jul 1903.

She married **Marquis "Mark" George Rublee**, 27 Jul 1887 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 8 Mar 1863 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (son of **George Rublee** [1830 - 1920] and **Ednah Alzada Shufeldt** [1836 - 1927]), d. 20 Jan 1940 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸ Marquis and his first wife Alice were third cousins. Marquis Rublee's residence was Richford, VT at the time of his death. He was a furniture refinisher (Death certificate, VT Vital Records).

"RICHFORD - The funeral of Marquis George Rublee, who died in a Burlington hospital Wednesday of uremia following two operations, will be held at his late home on Richard Street at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. V. H. Wachs will officiate and the body will be placed in Hillside Vault to await

interment in the family lot in East Berkshire Cemetery. The Odd Fellows will have charge of the committal service. Mr. Rublee was born In Berkshire on March 8, 1863, and for many years had been a resident of this town. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of Richford Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F. In 1887 Mr. Rublee married Alice Cary, who died in 1903. In 1905 he married Celia Culver who survives him with one son, Philip Rublee of Newport, by the first marriage, and a son, James of Richford, and a daughter, Miss Alice Rublee of Burlington, by the second marriage. Also surviving are one granddaughter, Louise Rublee of Newport, and two sisters, Mrs. Dora Westover of Montreal and Mrs. Maud Stanhope of Berkshire. Mr. Rublee had been employed by the Swett-Comings Company for nearly 44 years. (Burlington Daily News, Burlington, Vermont, 26 Jan 1940, Fri, page 12).

Children:

+ 450 i. Philip Shufeldt⁶ Rublee b. 29 May 1892.

312. **William Seymour⁵ Rublee** (Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 24 Aug 1867 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 21 Jan 1942 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ William S. Rublee was known as William, Jr., after his grandfather. At age eighteen, he began work in the store in East Berkshire, VT owned by his father and grandfather before him. In 1884, he bought the store. He was postmaster for seventeen years, and held such public offices as side judge, school director and representative to the state legislature. He was active in the First Congregational Church in East Berkshire, dying while repairing the organ there (Berger, 1974, unpagged)

"RUBLEE, William Seymour, East Berkshire. Merchant. Born Enosburg, Aug. 24, 1867; son of Amherst W. and Susan M. (Smith) Rublee. Educated in the public schools of Berkshire, and Eastman's Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. In 1895 married Martha E. Smith of East Berkshire; they have two children, Raymond S., and William E. Engaged as clerk in the store of his father until 1894, when he purchased the store, which he has conducted to date; appointed postmaster July 1, 1897, the office of postmaster having been in the family three generations excepting eight years. A Republican; school director since 1909; town auditor from 1902 to 1909; deputy sheriff 1892-6. An attendant of the Congregational Church. Member of Missisquoi Lodge No. 9, F. & A. M.; was charter worthy master two years of Trout River Grange, No. 355." (Encyclopedia, Vermont Biography: A Series of Authentic Biographical Sketches of the Representative Men of Vermont and Sons of Vermont in other States.)

He married **Martha Eliza Smith**, 13 Feb 1895 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 4 Mar 1867 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **Ezra Biley Smith** [1830 - 1918] and **Hannah Corliss Perley** [1836 - 1927]), d. 3 Aug 1944 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ "Funeral of Mrs. Rublee. EAST BERKSHIRE. Funeral services for Mrs. W. S. Rublee were held in the Congregational Church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Rev. Robert Moore officiating. The bearers were Howard Farnsworth, Harold Farnsworth, Carl Smith and Perley Cramton. Favorite hymns of Mrs. Rublee were played before and at the close of the service. Those from out of town to attend the service were Mrs. Anna Carpenter and three daughters, Helena, Louise and Winifred, Miss Alice Cassidy, John Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Mrs. Edith Smith, Miss Ethel Janes, Mrs. Bessie Sherman, Mrs. Dan Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dwyer, all of Enosburg Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore and Mrs. Charles Gardyne of Montgomery Center; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parker, Mrs. Clara Parker and Mrs. Nettie Goodrich of Montgomey village; Mrs. Owen Shufeldt and daughter, Jean, of St. Johnsbury." (St. Albans Daily Messenger, St. Albans, Vermont, 10 Aug 1944, Thu, page 5).

Children:

- 451 i. Raymond Seymour⁶ Rublee b. 23 May 1899 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 30 Nov 1918 in Fort Ethan Allen, Colchester, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ Raymond Rublee died during World War I of pneumonia and Spanish Influenza. He was then a member of Company C of the Student Army Corps at Fort Ethan Allen in Colchester, VT (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

+ 452 ii. William Ezra Rublee b. 26 Dec 1903.

313. **Chauncey "Chet" Moore⁵ Rublee** (Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 18 Oct 1869 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 23 Oct 1957 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT. Chauncey Rublee and his sister Amelia Rublee were boarding in Springfield, MA in 1890. Chauncey was a clerk.

"Of a family that is well known and greatly esteemed in the community, Mr. [Chauncy Moore] Rublee is one of the progressive and energetic businessmen of East Berkshire. He was born on October 28, 1869, a son of Amherst Willoughby and Susan Moore (Smith) Rublee. His father was the owner of the General Store, as had been his father before him, and after his schooling at Brigham Academy, he worked for a time as an assistant, working there for only a short while, he went to Springfield, Massachusetts, where he remained for five years. On returning to East Berkshire, he worked for a time for his brother, William S. Rublee, who was then conducting the family business. In 1889 Mr. Rublee returned to buy out an old furniture business and with unremitting energy and care built it up, reviving old connections and creating new ones, until it was put once again upon a solid basis and is at this time occupying a modern two-story building, with a well-equipped floor space and well supplied in every particular to carry on a substantial furniture business. For the past six years Mr. Rublee has acted as selectman, and in 1927 he represented the town at the State Legislature, sent by Republican vote. He and his family are communicants of the Episcopal church, and he is affiliated with the Missisquoi Lodge, No. 9, Free and Accepted Masons, and with the Modern Woodmen of America.

On December 31, 1912, Mr. Rublee married Edna Blanche Wadleigh, and they have two daughters, now attending school: Harriet Moore and Edna Wadleigh." (Stone, Vol. IV, 1929)

"Mr. Rublee attended the school in East Berkshire and later went to Brigham Academy in Bakersfield during the late 1890's. In October of 1899 he bought the furniture business of Harvey Domina. He operated the store on the road leading to Montgomery, in what was later called the Woodward House. In 1915 he had Jay Colcord of Richford erect a two-story brick building sixty feet by twenty-five feet on the corner near the bridge and the main road of East Berkshire. He operated there until 1953 in October, when he sold the building to the Catholic Diocese. The land on which the building had set had been the property of the Rublee family since 1842. Here are a few of the facts:

- In September of 1842, J. C. and Franklin H. Stone deeded the land to William S. Rublee Sr. and Guy Butler.
- On October 25, 1843, William S. Rublee Sr. paid Mr. Butler \$400.00 for his share of the property. On this lot he built a store and did business there.

- In 1869 a fire wiped out all of the buildings on that side of the street. Mr. Rublee did not rebuild on this site, although he did build and operate a grocery store south of the site.
- Upon William S. Rublee's death, the land became the property of his son Amherst W. Rublee.
- Between 1905 and 1913 a hotel was erected on the site called at one time the Central House and at another the Avon House. Old postcards in circulation show the hotel on the corner, beside the old iron bridge constructed in 1905.
- In 1913 fire wiped out the hotel, and the lot stood vacant until Chauncy Moore Rublee built his store there in 1915. He father had willed the lot to him, and died in 1905.

During C. M. Rublee's active life he held many town offices, was a member of Modern Woodmen, Lincoln Lodge No. 78, Enosburg Falls, Vermont. When he was young, he played in the old West Berkshire concert band. He attended the Calvary Episcopal Church and served as an officer in the church at one time. He also served a term in the State House as Berkshire's town representative. (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

He married **Edna "Blanche" Wadleigh**, 31 Dec 1912,⁴⁷⁷ b. 8 May 1874 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **Frederick Augustus Wadleighm, Rev.** [1814 - 1884] and **Ednah or Edna Paul** [- 1909]), d. 9 Mar 1969 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT. "Edna earned her B.A. in 1898 from Smith College, MA, and was a student of chemistry at Harvard Summer School in 1899. She then taught Latin and Greek at Knickerbocker Hall, Indianapolis, IN from 1899-1900, and then taught math and science at Hannah More Academy, Reisterstown, MD from 1900-1908, taking a break in 1903 to study physics at Johns Hopkins University, and to travel to England in 1904. Edna then taught math and science at Cumnocks School, Los Angeles, CA from 1910-1912, at which time she left her teaching career to marry Chauncey and make her home in East Berkshire, VT." (Berkshire Historical Society)

"EAST BERKSHIRE - Mrs. E. Blanche Rublee, 94, widow of Chauncey M. Rublee, died Sunday morning at her home here following a brief illness. Mrs. Rublee was born in East Berkshire May 8, 1874, the daughter of the late Rev. Frederick A. and Edna Paul Wadleigh. Mrs. Rublee was a lifelong resident here and a member of Calvary Episcopal Church and Women's Auxiliary. She was graduated from Bishop Hopkins Hall, Rock Point, Burlington, in 1895, and from Smith College in 1898. She was a member of Smith College Club. Prior to her marriage in 1912, she was a schoolteacher at Episcopal boarding schools for girls in Maryland. Colorado and California. Mr. Rublee died in 1957. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Addison (Harriet) Pond of Montpelier and Mrs. Robert (Edna) Clausen of Ithaca. N.Y.; nine grandchildren, two great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews. The body will remain at the Spears Funeral Home, 140 Main St. Richford, where friends may call Monday 3 to 5 p.m. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday at the St. Ann's Episcopal Church in Richford. In lieu of flowers friends may make contributions to St. Ann's Episcopal Church Memorial Fund in care of Mrs. William Sullivan. Richford. Entombment will be in Richford vault to await burial in the spring in Calvary-Episcopal Cemetery here. (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 10 Mar 1969, Mon, page 10).

Children:

- + 453 i. Harriet Moore⁶ Rublee b. 4 Oct 1913.
- + 454 ii. Edna Wadleigh Rublee b. 18 Aug 1918.

314. **Sarah "Sadie" Jeannette⁵ Rublee** (Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 9 Dec 1879 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 28 Jun 1932 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,79} buried in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Sarah Rublee's birth record is listed under Female Infant Rublee. She graduated from Brigham Academy in 1900 and for years was employed at the VT State Hospital in Waterbury, Vermont. She graduated from nursing school there in 1904. She eventually returned to live and work in Berkshire, VT. She was employed at the Maple Hills Creamery for ten years. She was a member of the Trout River Grange (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

Wilbur married first, Katherine "Kate" Stowell in 1893 in Montpelier, VT. They had two children, Henry "Stowell" Lowe, born 1893 and died 1925, and Ruth, born 1895, who married and then divorced Benjamin Deming.

In 1910, Wilbur Lowe was 38 years old, divorced, employed as a meat cutter at the Vermont State Hospital. In 1920, Wilbur and Sarah J. Lowe and son "Ernest" lived in Anne Arundel Co., MD. Wilbur was the manager of a dairy farm.

In 1930, Sadie and Amherst boarded with Birney and Mercedes Combs in Berkshire, VT. Sadie was a cream taster in a creamery.

In 1940, Wilbur was a hired hand on a farm in Cabot, VT. Amherst was living in Winooski, a boarder in the home of Abraham and Anne Rompray. He was working as a winder for an electric service.

When he died in 1944, Wilbur had been a patient at the Vermont State Hospital for a little over 2 months. His usual residence was Montpelier, VT.

"Wilbur Lowe, 72, passed away Saturday evening following a long period of failing health. He was born in New York City and came to Montpelier as a young man. At one time Mr Lowe was associated with T. Redfield Phillips in operating a grain store on Barre street. He had built the home which is now the club of the Montpelier Elks. Surviving are one daughter Mrs. Ruth Lowe Deming of Montpelier, one son Amherst Lowe formerly of Essex Junction, one brother Charles Edward Lowe of Montpelier and several cousins. . . . and burial will be in the Green Mount cemetery. (The Barre Daily Times (Barre, Vermont) 26 Jun 1944, Mon, page 8)

"EAST BERKSHIRE, June 28. Mrs. Sadie Rublee Lowe. 52, died this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of her cousin, Mrs. B. S. Combs, with whom she had lived for 10 years. Death was due to cancer from which she had suffered since an operation nearly a year ago. She was born in East Berkshire, the daughter of Amherst Willoughby and Susan (Smith) Rublee. She was married August 25. 1910 to Wilbur O. Lowe of Waterbury. Mrs. Lowe and her son, Amherst W. Lowe came here to live with Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Combs 10 years ago. She had been employed by the Maple Hill Creamery Company up to the time of her illness. Besides her son Amherst, she is survived by two sisters, Amelia Rublee and Mrs. Fern R. Hope; and two brothers. Willis S. Rublee and Chauncey M. Rublee, all of East Berkshire. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press, Burlington, Vermont, 29 Jun 1932, Wed, page 2).

She married **Wilbur Oscar Lowe**, 25 Aug 1910 in Haverhill, Grafton Co., NH,²⁶¹ b. 20 Mar 1872 in Brooklyn, Kings Co., NY,¹⁷¹ (son of **Henry Lowe** and **Eleanor Hayward**), d. 24 Jun 1944 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Green Mount Cem., Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.

Children:

- 455 i. Amherst Hayward⁶ Lowe b. 25 Jan 1915 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,^{477,478} d. 19 Oct 1989 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ resided in Waterville, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ buried in Mountainview Cem., Waterville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁴⁷⁹

He married Ardelle Folsom (Tatro) Brown, 24 Jun 1950 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 2 Feb 1910 in Belvidere, Lamoille Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of Joseph Chester Tatro and Jennie Folsom), d. 4 Jan 1977 in Waterville, Lamoille Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Mountainview Cem., Waterville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁴⁷⁹ "WATERVILLE - Mrs. Ardell O. Lowe, 66, died Tuesday in a St. Albans hospital. She was born Feb. 2, 1910, in Belvidere, daughter of Joseph C. and Jennie M. (Fulsome) Tatro. She was a member of the Waterville Union Church. She is survived by her husband, Amherst Lowe of Waterville; two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Hurlburt of Swanton and Mrs. Delmar (Dorcas) Lamphere of Nashua, N.H.; three brothers, Gerald Tatro and Reginald Tatro of Waterville and Raymond Tatro of Middlebury; several nieces and nephews. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 5 Jan 1977, Wed, page 14).

316. **Fannie "Fern"⁵ Rublee** (Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Feb 1885 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 4 Mar 1951 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.¹⁶² Fern Rublee was educated in Berkshire, VT. She clerked in her brother's store before her marriage to Clarence Hope. She enjoyed playing the banjo for her family and at public occasions. She was a member of the Trout River Grange, the East Berkshire Home Demonstration group and the Missisquoi Chapter #51 OES. She attended the Calvary Church in East Berkshire. After the death of her husband, Mrs. Hope moved with her daughters to East Berkshire, VT (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

She married **Clarence Hope**, 4 Dec 1912 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁷ b. 12 Jun 1883 in Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT,³²⁶ (son of **Charles Hope** and **Angeline Paronto**), d. 27 Mar 1927 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Montgomery Village Cem., Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁸⁰ Clarence Hope clerked at the H.A. Pond Store in East Berkshire, VT. He was later a traveling salesman for the Kendall Spavin Cure Company of Enosburg Falls, VT. The Hopes lived in East Berkshire, and then in Richford, where Mr. Hope worked at various times as a barber, garageman, and sewing machine salesman. When he became ill, the couple moved to Montgomery, VT to live with Mr. Hope's parents (Berger, 1974, unpagged). Eventually, Mr. Hope had to be hospitalized; he died at the Vermont State Hospital.

Children:

- 456 i. Susan Rublee⁶ Hope b. 15 Mar 1916 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,478} d. 21 Jun 2002 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶ "Wilbur "Webb" Marckres, 61, died Saturday night at a St. Albans hospital following a brief illness. He was born in Eden, July 17, 1911, the son of Aldice and Susie (Silver) Marckres. He had been a resident of Enosburg Falls for the past 32 years and was a veteran of World War. He was a member of American Legion Post 42 and Lincoln Lodge 78, F&AM, of

Enosburg Falls. He leaves his wife, Susan (Hope) Marckres; a daughter, Mrs. Albert (Linda) Roy Jr. of Enosburg Center; a brother, Gerald Marckres of Arlington; two sisters, Mrs. Barbara Barber of Gilman and Mrs. Neil (Alma) Goodwin of Craftsbury; a grandson, Stephen Roy of Enosburg Center; several nieces and nephews. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 29 Jan 1973, Mon, page 10)

"ENOSBURG FALLS -- Susan R. Marckres, 86, died Sunday evening, July 21, 2002, at Our Lady of the Meadows in Richford. She was born March 15, 1916, in Richford, a daughter of the late Clarence and Fern (Ruble) Hope.

She grew up in East Berkshire and graduated from Richford High School in 1934. After working at the Marcy Store in East Berkshire for two years, she moved to Enosburg Falls and worked in the banking business for 45 years, retiring in 1981. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary Post 42 of Enosburg and played in the cribbage league and 500 card club as long as she was able.

She is survived by her daughter and her husband, Linda and Albert "Mina" Roy, of Enosburg Falls; a grandson, Stephen Roy, of Enosburg Falls; two sisters, Marion Reirden, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Rhoda Berger, of Richford; and several nieces and nephews.

She was married to Wilbur "Webb" Marckres on March 20, 1942. He predeceased her on Jan. 27, 1973. She was also predeceased by a sister, Jeannette Hope, in 1982. . ." (Obituary, St. Albans Messenger).

She married Wilbur "Webb" George Marckres, 20 Mar 1942 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁷ b. 7 Jul 1911 in Eden, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ (son of Aldice Marckres and Susan Silver), d. 27 Jan 1973 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁸⁶

- 457 ii. Jeannette Angeline Hope b. 17 Feb 1918 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,6} d. 22 Apr 1982 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ Jeannette Hope grew up in East Berkshire, VT. She played on the boys' baseball team there, as pitcher. After her graduation from Richford High School, she was employed on the WPA Project in Richford. She later worked for the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, retiring in 1974 after thirty years of service. She lived for a short time in Washington, DC and in St. Albans, VT, but lived after that in Enosburg Falls, VT (Berger, 1974, unpagged).
- 458 iii. Marion Louise Hope b. 2 Oct 1920 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,478} d. 7 May 2005 in Jacksonville, Duval Co., FL (res).³³¹ After her father died in 1927, Marion made her home with her paternal aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tracy in Berkshire Center, VT. Following her graduation from Richford High school in 1938, she was employed in CT until her marriage in 1941. The Halls lived in Connecticut until Mr. Hall entered the army during WWII. Mrs. Hall returned to lived in Enosburg, as did Mr. Hall after his discharge. The couple was later divorced.

She married (1) Frederick Charles Hall, 20 Nov 1941 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 2 Sep 1921 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,478} (son of Thomas Alex Hall and Jennie L. Jocelyn). Frederick was the adopted son of the Halls.

She married (2) Ralph Wesley Reirden, 26 May 1956 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁷ b. 21 Jan 1909 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,478} (son of Walter Reirden and Maude Soule), d. 25 Jan 1990 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ resided in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT, buried in Hillside Cem., Richford, Franklin Co., VT. Mr. Reirden was the postmaster in Richford, VT. During World War II, he served in the U. S. Army in the United States and Europe. He is a member of the Richford Fire Department. In 1974, the Reirdens lived in Richford (Berger, 1974, unpagued).

- 459 iv. Rhoda Fern Hope b. 25 May 1923 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,^{477,478} d. 9 Dec 2012 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT, buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ Rhoda Hope Berger graduated from Richford (VT) High School in 1940, going to work at the Gilpin Printing Company in Richford. She was been a reporter for the Richford Journal-Gazette intermittently from 1957. Mrs. Berger was active in pursuing her interests in genealogy and local history, also contributed to a variety of local historical projects.

"St. Albans - Mrs. Rhoda F. Berger, age 89, died Sunday morning, December 9, 2012 in the St. Albans Health and Rehabilitation Facility. She was born May 25, 1923, in Berkshire daughter of the late Clarence and Fern (Ruble) Hope. She married Roger Berger, June 1, 1952, and Mr. Berger died May 8, 2008.

Rhoda was a Historian Journalist for the Franklin County Courier, and the St. Albans Messenger. She wrote the column "Roaming Richford with Rhoda". She enjoyed playing cards, crossword puzzles, and mostly researching history. She was a member of the Richford High school Alumni Committee, and the Vermont Historical Society.

Rhoda is survived by her three children, Sarah Berger of Enosburgh Falls, Aimee Raine and son Jeb Berger both of St. Albans, her grandchildren Courtney Berger and her companion Shawn Wells of Alburgh Springs, Trevor Foster of St. Albans, Taylor Berger and his wife Sommer of Milton, her great-grandchildren Rae Ann and Shaun Wells and Eli James Berger. She was predeceased by her parents and her husband Roger, and three sisters, Marion Reardon, Jeannette Hope, and Susan Marckres.

Funeral Services will be held on her birthday, May 23, 2012 at 10:00 A.M. in the Brady & Levesque Funeral Chapel. Interment will follow in the Berger family lot in the East Berkshire Congregational Cemetery."

She married Joseph "Roger" Berger, 16 Jun 1952 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 11 Nov 1919 in St. Jean, Ile d'Orléans, Montmorency, QC,³⁵ (son of Elie Berger and Evelyn Dulude), d. 8 May 2008 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹

320. **Arlin Daniel⁵ Horskin** (Louisa M.⁴ Rublee, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Jun 1856 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 10 Oct 1922 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in St. Mary's Cem., Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.³³² Arlin Horskin served as town clerk in Franklin, VT for several years (Towle, 1989,

page 241). The year of his birth is not given on his death record in the Vermont Vital Records Index. The month and day are recorded. This year of death is calculated from his age at death.

Besides Howard, Arlin and Sarah had daughters Dorothy, Helen and Marjorie.

He married **Sarah A. Wilder**, 3 Feb 1887 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ b. 11 Aug 1866 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **James C. Wilder** [1835 -] and **Caroline M. Dewing** [1835 - 1930]), d. 19 Mar 1910 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in St. Mary's Cem., Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.³³²

Children:

+ 460 i. Howard Wilder⁶ Horskin b. 16 Jan 1888.

323. **Marquis "Mark" George⁵ Rublee** (George⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 8 Mar 1863 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 20 Jan 1940 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸ Marquis and his first wife Alice were third cousins. Marquis Rublee's residence was Richford, VT at the time of his death. He was a furniture refinisher (Death certificate, VT Vital Records).

"RICHFORD - The funeral of Marquis George Rublee, who died in a Burlington hospital Wednesday of uremia following two operations, will be held at his late home on Richard Street at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. V. H. Wachs will officiate and the body will be placed in Hillside Vault to await interment in the family lot in East Berkshire Cemetery. The Odd Fellows will have charge of the committal service. Mr. Rublee was born in Berkshire on March 8, 1863, and for many years had been a resident of this town. He was a member of the Methodist Church and of Richford Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F. In 1887 Mr. Rublee married Alice Cary, who died in 1903. In 1905 he married Celia Culver who survives him with one son, Philip Rublee of Newport, by the first marriage, and a son, James of Richford, and a daughter, Miss Alice Rublee of Burlington, by the second marriage. Also surviving are one granddaughter, Louise Rublee of Newport, and two sisters, Mrs. Dora Westover of Montreal and Mrs. Maud Stanhope of Berkshire. Mr. Rublee had been employed by the Swett-Comings Company for nearly 44 years. (Burlington Daily News, Burlington, Vermont, 26 Jan 1940, Fri, page 12).

He married (1) **Alice Carey Rublee**, 27 Jul 1887 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² (See marriage to number 310). In 1882, Alice Rublee was a milliner, boarding at Mrs. Standards, on South Main St. in St. Albans, VT. (Business Directory, Franklin and Grand Isle Counties, 1882). Her indexed death record says she died on 29 Jul 1903; her gravestone says 30 Jul 1903.

Children:

(See marriage to number 310)

He married (2) **Celia Alice Culver**, 7 Oct 1905 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 28 Nov 1874 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **James Newton Culver** [1842 - 1910] and **Rachel Francis Currier**), d. 31 Jul 1955 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸ On 25 Jan 1941, an article about Celia was published in the Burlington Free Press. The article was about Celia becoming blind at the age of 64, and learning to read Braille. She was the living with her son and daughter in Burlington.

"RICHFORD - News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Celia Rublee, widow of Marquis G. Rublee, former residents of Richford. Mrs. Rublee, 80 years of age, died Sunday morning, July 31, in a Burlington Hospital following a lingering illness. She had made her home in Burlington with her daughter, (Alice) Mrs. Thomas Donovan, since the death of her husband about 15 years ago. The deceased was born in St. Albans November 28, 1874 the daughter of James and Rachel (Currier) Culver. Besides her daughter she is survived by a son James, of Burlington, a step-son Philip Rublee of Newport, three grandchildren, Louise (Rublee) Ritchie of Newport, Judith C. Donovan and James Rublee of Burlington; also two sisters, Mrs. Mae Ingraham of South Ryegate and Mrs. Cora Young of Lake Wales, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews. . . ." (Richford Journal and Gazette (Richford, Vermont) 4 Aug 1955, Thu, page 4).

Children:

- 461 ii. Stillborn Child Rublee b. 6 Sep 1906 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 6 Sep 1906 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁶
- + 462 iii. James Marquis Rublee b. 6 Sep 1906.
- + 463 iv. Alice Cora Rublee b. 8 Aug 1911.

324. **Ruth "Dora" Christine⁵ Rublee** (George⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 8 May 1871 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT, d. 26 Apr 1959 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁴⁷ buried in Hillside Cem., Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴⁷ In 1900, John and Dora Willey lived in Richford, VT with son Howard J. After John died, Dora became the third wife of Homer Westover. Ruth Dora Westover died suddenly while visiting her step-daughter Katherine in Newport.

She married (1) **John Chandler Willey**, 18 Dec 1889 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 16 Dec 1866 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **John A. Willey** [1828 - 1907] and **Sarah Jane Burt** [1822 - 1904]), d. 14 Sep 1911 in Kern Co., CA, buried in Main Street Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT.²²³ John Willey's date of birth is given as 17 Dec 1867 on his tombstone.

Children:

- 464 i. Howard John⁶ Willey b. 8 Nov 1893 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 17 Sep 1938 in Hancock Co., OH,⁴⁸¹ buried in Maple Grove Cem., Findlay, Hancock Co., OH.⁴⁸¹ Howard's middle name is given as Rublee on his birth record; however, it appears that it was John. By 1929, he was divorced and spending time at various facilities caring for disabled veterans, including the Vermont Soldiers Home in Bennington, VT.

FINDLAY Sept 20- A Ralph D. Cole post American Legion rifle squad will pay last respects today to Howard Willey 47-year-old World war veteran who was killed Instantly Saturday night in the Dixie-hy near Rawson when he dashed in front of an auto. Funeral service will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Otto funeral home in Rawson with the American Legion rite being used in addition to a sermon by Rev. Hilliard D. Camp. Burial will be in the Maple Grove cemetery, Findlay. It will be a government burial for Willey died penniless and without immediate family in this country. His mother Mrs. H. H. Westover, the only known relative, resides in Verdun, Quebec. It was learned Monday that she was seriously ill and due to her advanced age would not attend the funeral. Willey had no home, his last plan of residence being the Soldier's Home in Dayton when he recently underwent several

operations. It was the fear of poor health and despondency caused by the disappearance of his wife five years ago, police said they believed that caused him to step into the path of the auto operated by Waldo Baber, 22, of 204 W Elm-st, Lima." (The Lima News (Lima, Ohio) 20 Sep 1938, Tue, page 2).

He married Theresa Mary Colombo, 26 Apr 1922 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 30 Jun 1899 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of John Colombo and Angela Bizzozero), d. aft 1930.

She married (2) **Homer Howard Westover**, 22 Sep 1915 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 8 Feb 1879 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC,³⁵ (son of **Gilman B. Westover** and **Maria Shufelt**), d. 21 May 1957 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Hillside Cem., Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁸² In 1920, Homer and Dora Westover lived in Richford, VT. Homer was an engineer. Also in the home were daughters Hazel, age 16; Katherine, age 14; and Wilma, age 12 and Homer's mother Maria Farnsworth, age 70 (?).

"RICHFORD - Funeral services were held Monday at 2 pm at the Methodist Church for the late Homer Howard Westover who died suddenly Friday morning, May 31, at his home. Rev. Grover B. Jay officiating. He was born in Dunham, Que, on February 4, 1789 [sic], the son of Howard and Elmira (Shaw) Westover. He is survived by his wife, Dora (Ruble) Westover; a brother, Melvin E. Westover, of Verdun, Que.; 2 three daughters, Mrs. Harold (Katherine) Crandall of Newport, Mrs. Kenneth (Hazel) Leach of Rutland, and Mrs. Joel (Wilma) Necessary of Los Angeles, Calif, one son, Howard Westover Kendall of Richford. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews and one granddaughter. A Masonic service was conducted at the grave in Hillside Cemetery by Missisquoi Lodge No 9. . . ." (Richford Journal and Gazette (Richford, Vermont) 6 Jun 1957, Thu, page 1).

325. **Maude L.⁵ Rublee** (George⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Jun 1873 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 31 Dec 1957 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

She married **Dexter Hilton Stanhope**, 26 Nov 1895 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 19 Nov 1872 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **Spencer Stanhope** [1833 - 1913] and **Paulina Leavens Larabee** [1841 - 1908]), d. 26 Apr 1936 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ ENOSBURG FALLS. The funeral of Dexter Hilton Stanhope, who died Sunday afternoon was held from his late home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. R. H. Moore of Richford officiating. The bearers were A. B. Clark, Dr. F. J. Lawliss, R. F. Larabee, T. C. Royce, H. A. Giddings, and L. T. Jeffords. Interment was in the family lot in Berkshire Center cemetery. Dexter Hilton Stanhope was born in Berkshire November 19, 1872, son of Spencer and Paulina (Larabee) Stanhope. He attended school in Enosburg Falls and was a member of the class of 1892, St. Johnsbury Academy. November 26, 1895 he married Maud L. Rublee of Berkshire who survives, also one son, Merritt A. Stanhope, three sisters, Mrs. Theodore Kelsey of Keyport, N. J.; Mrs. Laura V. Colpitts of Berkshire and Mrs. Charles W. Richardson of Richford. In 1920 he bought the old Stanhope homestead in Berkshire where he lived at the time of his death. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 1 May 1936, Fri, page 9).

Children:

- 465 i. Merritt Andrus⁶ Stanhope b. 3 Jun 1896 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 11 Nov 1963 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ BERKSHIRE - Mrs. Dorcas Stanhope, 61, died in Mary Fletcher Hospital, Burlington Saturday night following a brief illness. . . ." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 17 Dec 1951, Mon, page 4)

"Merritt A. Stanhope, 67, a lifelong resident of Berkshire Center, died unexpectedly at his home late Monday afternoon. Mr. Stanhope was born in Berkshire Center, June 3, 1896, the son of the late Dexter H. and Maude (Ruble) Stanhope. He had been active in town affairs. He had been selectman and auditor for a number of years. Mr. Stanhope was a member and trustee of the Second Congregational Church in Berkshire Center, a member of Lincoln Lodge 78, F&AM, and of American Legion Post 42, Enosburg Falls. Mr. Stanhope leaves one son, Spencer M. Stanhope of Berkshire Center; three daughters Mrs. Frederick (Barbara) Lovelette of Berkshire Center; Mrs. Joseph (Pauline) Cluba of Enosburg and Mrs. Stanley (Betty) Mossey of St. Albans; 11 grand1 children and several cousins. . . ." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 12 Nov 1963, Tue, page 2).

He married Dorcas Eula Hammond, 21 Mar 1923 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 4 Dec 1900 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of Gordius Elmer Hammond [1868 - 1929] and Lillian "Lillie" Belle Hicks [1865 - 1939]), d. 15 Dec 1951 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

326. **Albert Hiram⁵ Rublee** (Cornelius Dan⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 21 Feb 1862 in Highgate, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 4 Jun 1932 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴ In 1900, Mary E. Rublee lived in Boston, a boarder with Nina Huckings. She was divorced. In 1910, Mary Ella Rublee continued to live in Boston. She was a stenographer. She lived in the home of O. H. Smith.

In 1920, Albert and Helen Rublee lived in St. Albans. Albert was a coachman at a livery stable. Helen was a music teacher. Daughter Helen, age 31, was "at home".

"ALBERT H. RUBLEE Albert H. Rublee 70 of Rublee st died in the St. Albans hospital this morning at 4:10 o'clock. Although in poor health for some time, he entered the hospital only yesterday afternoon for medical treatment. He is survived by one daughter, Helen, who made her home with him. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 4 Jun 1932, Sat, page 8)

Albert Rublee died without making a will. At the time of his death he was in the process of settling his mother's estate.

He married (1) **Mary Ella Simonds**, 29 Nov 1882 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 13 Jul 1863 in Melrose, Middlesex Co., MA,¹¹² (daughter of **Charles H. Simonds** and **Mary P. Farrow**), d. 9 Aug 1918 in Cambridge, Middlesex Co., MA,¹¹⁴ buried in Wyoming Cem., Melrose, Middlesex Co., MA.¹¹⁴

He married (2) **Helen Mary Miller**, 24 Feb 1887 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 24 Mar 1859 in Rochelle, Ogle Co., IL,⁶ (daughter of **Henry Mertin Miller** and **Helen Whittemore** [1834 - 1859]), d. 31 Jul 1923 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴ In 1860, when Helen was only 1 year old, she lived in St. Albans in the household of her grandfather John Whittemore. Her mother had died by then; her father was not living in the household. In 1870, she lived with her uncle Rodney Miller and family, next door to her grandfather in St. Albans. In 1880, she again lived with her grandfather, who was 84.

"Funeral of Mrs. Helen Rublee. The funeral of Mrs. Helen (Miller) Rublee wife of A. H. Rublee, who died Tuesday evening at her home on Rublee st was held at the First Congregational church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The bearers were H. D. Carlisle. John Flinn, C. B. Allen, C. L. Orton, P. L. Culver and Clarence Jeffrey. Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Hubbard, of Brasher, N. Y., Rev. Robert Ball, of Fair Haven, Mr. and Mrs. A. Guy Hinckley, of Hartford, Conn., Mrs. A. J. Whittemore, son and daughter, of Burlington, Mrs. C. A. Barber, of Burlington and Mrs. Simpson, of West Somerville, Mass., and several members of the Kings Daughters of Swanton. Members of the What-So-Ever Circle of King's Daughters attended in a body. Burial was in Greenwood cemetery. Mrs. Rublee was active in church and social organizations. She was a communicant of the First Congregational church for 40 years and leader Of the What-So-Ever Circle of Kings Daughters for 21 years. She was Branch president of the International Order of Kings Daughters and Sons. Mrs. Rublee was also a member of the Autonoe Club, Woman's Board of Management of the Warner Home, and Bellevue Chapter. D. A. R. The casket was covered with a blanket of pink and white carnations from the Kings Daughters of Franklin county." (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 4 Aug 1923, Sat, page 8).

Children:

- 466 i. Helen Marie⁶ Rublee b. 1 Mar 1888 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 23 Jan 1947 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Greenwood Cem., St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁴⁴ "ST. ALBANS, Jan. 24. Miss Helen Marie Rublee, 59, died this morning following a lingering illness. She was born March 1, 1888 in St. Albans, the daughter of the late Albert Rublee and Helen (Miller) Rublee. She is survived by a cousin, Miss Cordelia Ball of Fair Haven. . . ." (Burlington Free Press, 25 Jan 1947). Helen died at the Vermont State Hospital.

327. **Helen Bond⁵ Rublee** (Marquis "Marcus" D.⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. Nov 1868 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),⁴⁸³ d. 18 Mar 1952 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL,⁴⁸⁴ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰ In 1900, Helen (Rublee) Smith lived in Huntsville, AL. She was a widow who had given birth to three children, only one living. Her daughter was Ella B. Smith. They lived with Helen's aunt Ella M. (Johnson) Baldrige. By 1910, Helen had re-married to Charlie Shaver. Ella is listed a step-daughter in the home. In 1915, it appears Helen R. Shaver, age 44, and son Charles E. Shaver, age 7, were living with Helen's in-laws L. E. and Mary Shaver in Troy, NY. The census was taken on 1 Jun 1915. In 1920, Helen was again a widow, living in Huntsville, AL. Ella, now age 27, lived with her, as did Charlie.

"Helen Rublee Shaver returned to Huntsville in 1916 as a young widow, after the death of her husband, Charles Edwin Shaver. She purchased a plot of land and built a Craftsman style bungalow that has been home for three generations of Shavers. She lived here with her son Charles and when he married Sarah Binford Moorman they moved into the house with Helen.

In the 1950's the house was remodeled including turning the screened porch into a den, adding an HVAC system, installing aluminum siding and adding a carport.

Today it is owned by her granddaughter Susie Shaver Harper and her husband Tommy, who purchased the property in 2005. They began a major renovation and addition taking every care to recycle materials from the original house and to reinstate some of the original structure. A natural brick wall was discovered in the kitchen and the ceiling was restored back to its original height. A large den was added at the rear and wood siding from the "coal basement" was installed behind the bookcase shelves. A staircase replicated from the original front stairway leads to a guest bedroom and office.

Visitors will enjoy seeing the many family pieces from the Harper and Shaver families that add to the history of this "family home".

(<http://huntsville.about.com/od/historichomes/ss/2011-Historic-Homes-Tour.htm>).

She married (1) **Robert L. Smith**, 30 Nov 1893 in Madison Co., AL,⁴⁸⁵ b. abt 1870 in AL,³⁴⁰ (son of **Robert Crosby Smith** and **Virginia Amelia Fariss**), d. 2 Aug 1898 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob), buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰

Children:

- 467 i. Child 1⁶ Smith b. est 1894, d. bef 1900.
- 468 ii. Child 2 Smith b. est 1896, d. bef 1900.
- 469 iii. Ella B. Smith b. Apr 1898 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob), d. aft 18 Mar 1952 in New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA? . In 1930 and 1940, Frank and Ella Moore lived in New Orleans, LA.

She married Frank Calhoun Moore, aft 1920 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL?, b. Apr 1895 in Paducah, McCracken Co., KY (prob) (son of Theophilus Moore and Mollie McCutchen), d. aft 1940 in New Orleans, Orleans Parish, LA?

She married (2) **Charles Edwin Shaver**, 7 Feb 1907 in Morgan Co., AL,⁴⁸⁵ b. Mar 1870 in Troy, Rensselaer Co., NY? (son of **Lewis E. Shaver** and **Mary Annette _____**), d. 6 Nov 1916 in Troy, Rensselaer Co., NY.⁸⁷

Children:

- 470 iv. Charles Edwin Shaver, Jr. b. 7 Dec 1907 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL,³⁴⁰ d. 11 Nov 1993 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL,³⁴⁰ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰

He married Sarah Binford Moorman, 25 Jun 1938 in Madison Co., AL,⁴⁸⁵ b. 9 Apr 1913 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³⁴⁰ (daughter of Marion Ridley Moorman and Susie Dement), d. 28 May 2004 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³⁴⁰ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰

328. **Mary J.⁵ Rublee** (Marquis "Marcus" D.⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 2 Mar 1870 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³⁴⁰ d. 15 Apr 1960 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL,⁴⁸⁴ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰ Charles and Mary Gilbert lived in Huntsville in 1900 with their infant

daughter Helen. They continued to live there in 1910. Helen was still their only child. In 1920, Mary was a widow. Her daughter Helen (spelled Hellen) lived with her. In 1930, Mary R. Gilbert and Helen lived in Anniston, Calhoun Co., AL. Their ages, 49 and 24, are incorrect. However, I believe these are the right women. Mary is listed in the city director for Anniston in 1931, as the widow of Charles. By 1940, the two had returned to Huntsville.

"Mrs. Gilbert's Funeral Is Set. Lifelong Resident, 90, Dies At Home - Mrs. Mary Rublee Gilbert, of 503 Adams St., died at her home at 6 a. m. today and will be buried here following a service Sunday afternoon. A service will be held at 3:30 p.m. Sunday at Laughlin-Service chapel with the Rev. Harry B. Wade officiating. Interment will be in Maple Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Gilbert was born in Huntsville March 3, 1870 and was a lifelong member of the First Presbyterian Church. She was the widow of the late Charles Gilbert. Mrs. Gilbert attended the former Huntsville Female College here. She had been hospitalized recently, but had been released and was able to be out yesterday. She became suddenly ill again shortly before her death this morning. Survivors are a daughter, Miss Helen R. Gilbert; a nephew, Charles Shaver of Huntsville; and a niece, Mrs. Frank C. Moore of New Orleans. . . ." (The Huntsville Times (Huntsville, Alabama) 15 Apr 1960, Fri, page 1).

She married **Charles Henry Gilbert**, abt 28 Apr 1896 in Madison Co., AL,⁴⁸⁶ b. 28 Apr 1868 in AL (son of **Charles Henry Gilbert** and **Pocohuntus Williams**), d. 1919 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³⁴⁰ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰

Children:

- 471 i. Helen Rublee⁶ Gilbert b. 13 Jul 1899 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob), d. 1 Aug 1979 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob), buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰
- 472 ii. Charlie H. Gilbert, III b. 1906 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³⁴⁰ d. 1907 in Huntsville, Madison Co., AL (prob),³⁴⁰ buried in Maple Hill Cem., Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.³⁴⁰ I am guessing that this child was the son of Charles and Mary, based on his name and burial in the same cemetery.

333. **Olive C.⁵ Stevens** (Sarah Pettibone⁴ Rublee, Hiram Addison³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1868 in IA, d. 12 Aug 1897 in Shenandoah, Page Co., IA, buried in Rose Hill Cem., Shenandoah, Page Co., IA.³⁴¹ Zachariah Sneed was a civil war soldier, serving with Company H, 8th Iowa Cavalry. He entered services on 7 Aug 1863 from Centerville, IA and was discharged on 16 Jun 1865 in Louisville, KY. He was married first, in 1869, to Martha "Mattie" Burgess and had 3 children - Jess, Wesley and Luella. The couple divorced in 1884.

In 1895, Zachariah and Olive lived in Shenandoah, Page Co, Iowa with their two daughters Irene and Nina.

Zachariah died of an accident. On his gravestone, his name is given as Zackary W. Sneed. The 1894 date of death appears to be correct. However, it conflicts with the 1895 Iowa census.

"At Shenandoah recently a carpenter by the name of Sneed was killed while working on a new business block which is being built on Sheridan Avenue. He was at work only a few feet high and fell only four feet, his back striking a joist. The deceased leaves a wife and several children." (The New Era (Humeston, IA) Wednesday, October 31, 1894; p. 6, col. 3)

"George Snead, of Elm Creek Township, received a telegram late Saturday evening from Shenandoah, Iowa, informing him that his brother, Z. W. Snead, had been accidentally killed. Of course, additional particulars were not furnished, but it is presumed that he fell from a scaffold of a building, as he is a carpenter. Mr. Snead left at once on the evening train for Shenandoah to be present at the funeral." (Salina Daily Republican-Journal (Salina, KS) Monday Evening, October 22, 1894; p. 3, col. 1).

The name Mrs. Olive C. Snead appears in the 1897 City Directory for Leadville, CO. Her brother Charles lived in Leadville. Did she die there? On 16 Sep 1897, R. W. Morse petitioned in Page Co., IA to be appointed guardian of Linnie and Nina.

In 1900 Irene and Nina lived in Enosburg, VT with their grandmother Sarah (Ruble) Stevens in Enosburg.

She married **Zachary or Zachariah W. Snead**, 10 Oct 1886 in Holt Co., MO,¹⁷⁵ b. 15 Aug 1848 in Richmond, Henrico Co., VA,³⁴¹ d. 19 Oct 1894 in Shenandoah, Page Co., IA,³⁴¹ divorced 18 Apr 1884 in Oregon, Holt Co., MO, buried in Rose Hill Cem., Shenandoah, Page Co., IA.³⁴¹

Children:

- 473 i. Linnie "Irene"⁶ Snead b. 3 Nov 1887 in Oregon, Holt Co., MO, d. 16 Feb 1973 in McConnellsville, Morgan Co., OH,⁴⁸⁷ buried in Rose Hill Cem., Shenandoah, Page Co., IA.³⁴¹ In 1912 and 1913 Irene and Nina both worked at the Franklin Square House in Dorchester, MA. Irene was a clerk and Nina a phone operator. Both joined the Bromfield Street Methodist Episcopal Church in 1913.

Irene lived in Boston in 1940. She was a cashier in a hotel. She was living in the same place in 1935.

"Miss L. Irene Snead, 85, of 17 1/2 North Sixth St., died at 2:35 p.m. Friday at the Mark Rest Center, McConnellsville, after a lingering illness. Born Nov. 3, 1887 in Oregon, Mo., she was the daughter of Zachary and Olive Stevens Snead. She was a member of the Grace United Methodist Church, and has been a Zanesville Resident since 1949.

Surviving are a nephew, James Irons of Burkley, Mich., and a niece, Mrs. Olive Fleming of Southfield, Mich. One sister is deceased. . ." (posted by Mary Allen on findagrave.com).

- 474 ii. Nina Louisa Snead b. Jan 1890 in MO, d. aft 1940. In 1912 and 1913 Irene and Nina both worked at the Franklin Square House in Dorchester, MA. Irene was a clerk and Nina a phone operator. Both joined the Bromfield Street Methodist Episcopal Church in 1913.

Edward and Nina lived in Michigan by 1917, as their children James and Olive were born there. In 1920, 1930 and 1940, they lived in Detroit. Edward had come to the US in 1884, and was a naturalized citizen. When he registered for the WWII draft in 1942, he gave his employer as a person who would always know his address. He worked in the auto industry.

She married Edward Wallace Irons, abt 1925, b. 17 Mar 1880 in Dundee, Scotland,⁴⁵⁶ d. aft 1942 in Detroit, Wayne Co., MI?

334. **Norman Cortes "Curtis"⁵ Rublee** (Rodney D.⁴, Hiram Addison³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Jul 1871 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 22 Oct 1926 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA,¹⁷² buried in Forest Hill Cem., Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA. In the 1880 VT census, an eight year old son of Rodney and Emily Rublee is listed as Cortes, presumably Norman Rublee's middle name. However, by the time of his marriage in 1898, he was using the spelling Curtis. His occupation at that time was listed as optician. He apparently lived in Boston before moving to Fitchburg a few years before his marriage.

At the time of the 1920 census, Norman Rublee was living in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA with his wife Florence, age 46 and son N. Curtis, age 11, both born in MA. The Rublees owned and ran the Superior Manufacturing Co. in Fitchburg. In 1930, Florence was a widow living in Fitchburg. Son N. Curtis Rublee, age 21, lived in the home.

"Norman Curtis Rublee, who has been engaged in the optical business in this city for the past 31 years died Friday night at his home, 152 Myrtle avenue, following an illness of about 18 months. Mr. Rublee had been in ill health for the past year and a half and his health became such last January that he was compelled to remain away from business. During the summer months, he gave much of his time to outdoor work on his farm in Lunenburg and it was believed that his health was improving but his condition took a sudden change for the worse Thursday. Mr. Rublee was born In Enosburg Falls, Vt., the son of Rodney and Emily (Lowrey) Rublee. In April 1895, Mr. Rublee came to Fitchburg as manager of an optical business owned by John Sanborn of Boston and the year later Mr. Rublee bought and continued in it up to the time his death. He was a member or the Methodist church at Enosburg and of the local and state optometrists' societies. He was a member of the Fitchburg Chamber of Commerce. He also served in the city council from Ward 5 In 1905. Mr. Rublee was highly respected by his business associates and friends. He was devoted to his family and business but he always found time to do kindly acts for those who needed assistance. He was most generous and was always ready and willing to help others or do a kindly act. Mr. Rublee was one of the owners of the Bijoux Amusement Co. and a stockholder in the Allied Theater Co., which controls the Lyric, Cummings and Universal theaters in this city. He is survived by his wife Florence I. (Lawton) Ruble, a son Norman Curtis Rublee, Jr., a sister Mrs. John Gibson of Enosburg Falls, Vt. . . ." (Fitchburg Sentinel (Fitchburg, Massachusetts) 23 Oct 1926, Sat, page 1).

He married **Florence Isabella Lawton**, 7 Nov 1898 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² b. 6 May 1872 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² (daughter of **Roswell Lawton** and **Julia Thompson**), d. 14 Dec 1946 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA.⁴⁸⁸

Children:

- 475 i. Stillborn Son⁶ Rublee b. 23 Oct 1899 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 23 Oct 1899 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA.¹¹²
- 476 ii. Norman "Curtis" Rublee b. 25 Nov 1908 in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA,¹¹² d. 10 Nov 1976 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA,⁴⁸⁹ resided in Fitchburg, Worcester Co., MA.

336. **Deforest Mark⁵ Rublee** (Marshall Milton⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 13 Nov 1859 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 22 Jan 1902 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Deforest Rublee died of typhoid fever at age 42 in 1902, without a will. His real estate was valued at \$2000. He had invested \$2000 in the firm of A. J. Croft and Co. His other personal estate was valued at \$381. In addition, the value of the farm in Berkshire owned by his wife

Estella (Wheeler) Rublee, including stock, was \$1687. Deforest owned the Thayer farm in Berkshire, comprising of 140 acres, valued at \$3000. His Enosburg village residence was worth \$2000.

His inventory consisted of a horse, a surrey, a road wagon, a sleigh, harnesses, two chamber "suits" complete, a dining set, 6 chairs, a sideboard, a tea and dinner set, a sewing machine, a refrigerator, and office desk, a clock, a fur robe, a lumber wagon and box, sleds, a set of horse sleds, a range, a parlour suite and 4 stands.

At the Thayer farm, he had 19 cows, equipment and hay.

On the Rublee farm, he had 32 cows, some hogs, hay, machines and small tools.

Text from obituary for Deforest Rublee:

FUNERAL OF D. M. RUBLEE

Services Largely Attended at Enosburg Falls

Enosburg Falls, Jan. 25 - The funeral of Deforest M. Rublee, who died Wednesday morning, January 22, after an illness of three weeks with typhoid fever, was held at his home on Main St., Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. L.O. Sherburne, assisted by the Rev. W. J. M. Beattie and the Rev. B. F. Jefferson, officiated. J. A. Gibson was in charge of the service.

The bearers were M. A. Hull, B. S. Jeffords, Harlow Comings, and Philo Ladd, of Richford, and Eugene Lawrence of this place. Music was rendered by a quartette consisting of Mrs. A. A. Aseltine, Mrs. J. B. Jones, W. H. Yaw and C. H. Abell. The Masons, of which order Mr. Rublee was a member, conducted the burial service. The body was placed in the vault at the Missisquoi Cemetery and later will be buried at Berkshire Center.

Among those in attendance from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Rublee [Merritt B. Rublee, uncle] of Hatley, Que., N. A. Beach and daughter, of Derby Line [Nathan A. Beach, related to grandmother Lemira Beach Rublee?], Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Comings [Herbert H. Comings, of Sweat-Comings Furniture], Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Comings [Mother Marcia Hammond Rublee's sister married W. H. Comings], Leo Estey, Mrs. E. F. Green, W. S. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Comings, Mrs. H. M. Kendall, of Richford, Mrs. and Mrs. H. J. Rublee of Montgomery (Hannibal J. Rublee), Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hubell, W. B. Skeels, of Highgate, [William B. Skeels, whose father William was a brother to Lydia (Skeels) Beach] Mrs. and Mrs. R. H. Brown, Mrs. and Mrs. P. C. Hammond [mother was Marcia Hammond Rublee], Mrs. Chloe Stanley, of Franklin, J. C. Weld, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Noble, Mrs. Earl Col[c]ord, Mrs. Aurilla Rublee [perhaps Orvilla Rublee, widow of Hiram J. Rublee], Mrs. Gracia Hammond, of West Berkshire, [Gratia Marsh Hammond, widow of Calvin Hammond, who Deforest's maternal uncle] William Comings, Mrs. and Mrs. N. P. Ladd, George Rublee [son of Dan Rublee], Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jolley, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stanhope, Mrs. J. W. Willey, Frank Willey, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hull, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Willey, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. (Burton S.) Jeffords, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cassidy, Thomas Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Demar, of Berkshire, H. Elmer Wheeler, of St. Albans [cousin to Estella (Wheeler) Rublee], W. Sherman, of Herrick and C. A. Oliver of Sheldon.

Deforest Marshal [sic] Rublee was born at Berkshire on November 13, 1859, begin the eldest in a family of two children of Marshall M. and Marcia A. Rublee. He lived at the old house in Berkshire until a little over a year ago, when he and his family moved to this place. In November 1899, Mr. Rublee entered into partnership with A. J. Croft, and in 1900 he severed his connection with the firm. One year ago this month the partnership was resumed and has continued up to the present time. November 30, 1880, Mr. Rublee married Estella Rugg Wheeler, of Berkshire, who with two children, Glenn W. and Clair D., survives him. He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Rublee and a brother, Clayton B. Rublee, of Berkshire. During Mr. Rublee's stay in this place he has gained a large circle of friends.

He married **Estella Rugg Wheeler**, 30 Nov 1880 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 2 Jul 1861 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁹⁰ (daughter of **Horace Everett Wheeler** [- 1885] and **Sarah L. Andrus** [- 1881]), d. 13 Jan 1935 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Estella Rublee was a lifelong resident of Berkshire, until she and her husband moved to Enosburg Falls in 1900. She shared her residence with her son Glenn and his family after his marriage to Lillian Towle. When she died without a will in 1935, the house and lot were valued at \$3300. She had a bank balance of \$3663 as well as shares of stock for the Enosburg bank. Her real estate was divided between sons Glenn and Clair Rublee. Each son also received half of her cash assets.

DEATH OF ESTELLA RUBLEE

Estella Rugg Rublee died at her home on North Main Street in this village at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning, death resulting from a paralytic shock from which she did not rally. She was 73 years of age.

The funeral was held at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. W. S. Harris officiating. Burial was in the family lot in the Berkshire Center cemetery. The bearers were Clayton Rublee [her brother-in-law], Emmet Rublee [Clayton's son], W. S. Judd [Walter Judd, family friend] and J. G. Gaines.

Estella (Wheeler) Rublee, daughter of H. E. Wheeler, was born in Berkshire, July 2, 1861, and after her marriage of Deforest M. Rublee of Berkshire, lived in that town until 1900, when the family moved to Enosburg Falls. Mr. Rublee died in 1902.

She is survived by her two sons, Glen [sic] W. Rublee of this place and Dr. Clair D. Rublee of Newport and four grandchildren.

Among those present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Comings, Mrs. A. L Estey, Mrs. E. F. Greene, C. H. Austin of Richford, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Hubbard, and J. C. Hammond of Franklin.

Card of Thanks

To the many friends who so kindly showed their sympathy and rendered their assistance in our late bereavement, we wish to extend our sincere thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rublee
Dr. and Mrs. C. D Rublee.

Children:

- 477 i. Stillborn Son⁶ Rublee b. 13 Apr 1892 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ d. 13 Apr 1892 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁶
- + 478 ii. Glenn Wheeler Rublee b. 17 Aug 1893.
- + 479 iii. Clair Deforest Rublee, M.D. b. 22 Jun 1897.

337. **Clayton Beach⁵ Rublee** (Marshall Milton⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 7 Jun 1867 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 14 Oct 1949 in W. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Clayton Rublee lived all his life on the farm he had inherited from his father on the road between Berkshire Center and Enosburg Falls, VT. He was very active in town and community affairs, serving many years a selectman. He served one term as town representative to the legislature. A few years before his death, the townspeople presented him a gold headed cane in appreciation for his many years of service (Charles Rublee manuscript). The Rublees may have had another infant who died 28 Jun 1902.

"BERKSHIRE CENTER. Funeral services for Mrs. Grace Larabee Rublee, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Viola Chaffee of West Berkshire Monday, April 14, were held at her late home in Berkshire Wednesday, April 16, the Rev. A. J. Carr of Richford officiating. Bearers were Austin Clark, Edson Clark, Meritt Stanhope and Robert Larabee. Interment was at the family lot in the Berkshire Center Cemetery. Besides her husband and daughter she is survived by a son, Emmett Rublee and two grandchildren. Patricia and Nelson Rublee of Berkshire; one niece, four nephews and several cousins. A son, Clayton, died in infancy. Among those attending from away were Dr. C. D. Rublee, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Chaffee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coff, Mrs. Hattie Larabee and granddaughter of Newport, Mrs. Charles Pitman, Mrs. Gardie Rublee and Mrs. Charles Rublee of Sherbrooke, Que., Mrs. Carlton Pratte and son, Stuart of Quincy, Mass. Many friends and relatives from the surrounding towns also attended. Mrs. Rublee was a charter member of the Second Congregational Church, a member of the Dorcas Society of Berkshire and a lifelong resident of this town." (St. Albans Daily Messenger, St. Albans, Vermont, 22 Apr 1947, Tue, page 5)

"BERKSHIRE - Clayton B. Rublee, 82, died here late Friday morning following an illness of several months. A farmer and a lifelong resident of this town, Mr. Rublee was born here June 7, 1867, the son of the late Marshall M. and Marcia Hammond Rublee. He is survived by one son, Emmet H. Rublee, one daughter, Mrs. Wesley Chaffee, and two grandchildren, all of Berkshire, and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at the Old Homestead Monday at 1 p. m. Burial will be in the family lot in the Berkshire Center Cemetery. The Rev. A. J. Carr will officiate." (Vermont Sunday News (St. Albans, Vermont) 16 Oct 1949, Sun, page 13).

He married **Grace Edna Larabee**, 30 Sep 1891 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 2 Nov 1869 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **Edson B. Larabee** [1839 - 1902] and **Susan Shufeldt** [1846 - 1912]), d. 14 Apr 1947 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

Children:

- 480 i. Clayton Larabee⁶ Rublee b. 31 May 1903 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 15 Mar 1904 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT?
- + 481 ii. Emmet Hammond Rublee b. 9 Oct 1905.
- 482 iii. Viola Rublee (adopted) b. 12 Jun 1907 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 2 Oct 1967 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ Viola

Rublee was the adopted daughter of Clayton and Grace Rublee. Her name at birth was Viola Blair. Her birth parents were John H. Blair and Viola E. Louks. John and Viola were married in 1905; it was a second marriage for both. Viola Blair died before 25 Jul 1907 when J. H. Blair was appointed administrator of her estate. In 1910, John H. Blair was boarding in Enosburg. His marital status is given as divorced.

Viola's adoption was finalized on August 4, 1908.

"Viola Rublee, daughter of Clayton Rublee and Grace Larabee, was born in Berkshire, VT on 12 June 1907. She attended one year of college, studied nutrition, worked as a home economics advisor, and as an office assistant for the USDA in St. Albans, VT. In 1931, Viola married Berkshire native, Homer Chaffee. The couple had no children to nurture, so Viola's love was given to the town she grew up in, being very active in town offices and the concerns of the people around her. She died on 2 October 1967 in St. Albans, her residence still being her home town where she is also buried. She is in the group photo of town officers that was taken in the late 1940's." (Facebook page of the Berkshire Historical Society)

"West Berkshire - Mrs. Viola R. Chaffee, 60, died unexpectedly Monday morning at a St. Albans hospital. Mrs. Chaffee was born in Berkshire, June 12, 1907, daughter of the late Clayton B. and Grace (Larabee) Rublee. She was a life-long member of Berkshire, member of the Second Congregational Church and Dorcas Society of Berkshire Center. She was employed at the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in St. Albans for the past 13 years. She leaves her husband H. Wesley Chaffee; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Hattie Rublee of Enosburg Falls and a niece and a nephew." (Obituary, paper unknown).

She married Homer "Wesley" Chaffee, 4 Aug 1931 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 22 Oct 1905 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²⁹⁷ (son of Homer Howard Chaffee and Hattie Ethel Rogers), d. 30 Aug 1986 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.

339. **Hannibal Jenne⁵ Rublee** (Hiram A.⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 20 May 1868 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,²¹² d. 14 Oct 1944 in Denver, Denver Co., CO, buried in Crown Hill Cem., Wheat Ridge, Jefferson Co., CO.⁴⁹¹ Hannibal Rublee was a merchant in Montgomery, VT in the early 1900s.

"A singular series of events happened in Vermont, a few weeks ago. While the wife of Albert [Alfred] Rublee, of that village, was dying, his drug store was burning, and at the same time Hannibal J. Rublee, another of the family, was being married. The Rublee brothers are cousins of H. I. Rublee, of this city." (The Auburn Bulletin, 3 Feb 1890)

After the death of his wife in 1905, he moved with his children and his mother to Kansas City, MO. In 1906, he was a travelling salesman for a company there. In 1915, he and Lulu, Dorcas and Glenna lived in Lawrence, Douglas Co., KS.

In 1920, his mother died, and he brought her body back to Vermont for burial. Hannibal and his three daughters continued to live in Missouri (Towle, 1989, page 267).

"H. J. RUBLEE, traveling salesman for the Richford Garment Company is home from a three months trip thought the west and south west in the interest of his company." (Richford Gazette, January 1907)

At the time of the 1915 Kansas state census, Hannibal was living in Lawrence, Douglas Kansas. He was 47. His wife was Lulu, age 35. Also in the home were Dorcas Rublee, age 18; Glenna Rublee, age 16; Vionell Porter, age 17 and Marie Porter, age 9. In 1920, he continued to live in Lawrence, Douglas, KS. Also in the home were wife Lulu V. Rublee, age 40, his daughter Glenna G. and step-children Vionelli Toms (female), age 20; Marie Porter, age 14 and granddaughter Reva Toms, age 3 1/2. In 1930, Hannibal and Lula were living in Omaha, NE.

Hannibal J. Rublee is listed in the 1936 and 1940 city directories for Omaha. He and Lulu appear in the 1940 census, in Omaha.

Lula's first husband was John Porter. The Porters were living in Council Bluffs, Pottawattamie, IA in 1910 with children Vionell and Marie, both born in Nebraska. They had been married for 13 years.

"H. J. Rublee. Word has been received on the death of H. J. Rublee, age 77, which occurred Saturday, October 14, in Denver, Colo. Mr. Rublee was a former resident of Lawrence, but in recent years had made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Albert Oswald in Denver. Funeral services will be held Wednesday in Denver. He is survived by three daughters, Miss Mae Rublee and Miss Dorcas Rublee, of Lawrence, and Mrs. Albert Oswald, of Denver." (Lawrence Journal-World, 16 Oct 1944)

"Mrs. Lulu R. Rublee of Springfield, Nebr. Passed away Thursday July 13, 1961 at a rest home in Omaha, at the age of 82 years. Mrs. Rublee was born June 9, 1879 in Wisconsin. She made her home in Omaha for a number of years. After the death of her husband she moved to Springfield and made her home with her daughter Mrs. Marie Bennett who lived in the Meadow area. Three years ago failing health required her to make her residence in a nursing home in Omaha. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Vionelle Kuykendall of Denver and Mrs. Marie Bennett, Omaha; one grandchild and 3 great-grandchildren, one sister Mrs. Una Crowe of Denver Colo. Funeral services were held Saturday July 13 at Norton Kans. where she was laid to rest in the family lot. Fusselman Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements." (Louisville Courier (Louisville, Nebraska) 20 Jul 1961, Thu, page 2).

He married (1) **Etta Emma Shedd**, 8 Jan 1890 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 17 Apr 1871 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT (daughter of **Arah Hanson Shedd** [1833 - 1900] and **Melissa Harriet Brown** [1839 - 1923]), d. 26 May 1905 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Franklin Cem., East Franklin, Franklin Co., VT. "WEST BERKSHIRE. Death of Mrs. H. J. Rublee at Home of W. R. Noble. Mrs. Etta (Shedd) Rublee, wife of H. J. Rublee, formerly of Montgomery, died at the home of W. R. Noble in this village at 2 o'clock Friday morning. The burial will take place in the East Franklin cemetery at 10: 30 o'clock Sunday morning. Mrs. Rublee is survived by her husband and three daughters." (St. Albans Daily Messenger, St. Albans, Vermont, 27 May 1905, Sat, page 2).

Children:

- 483 i. Mae⁶ Rublee b. 4 Apr 1895 in Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 22 Feb 1988 in Lawrence, Douglas Co., KS,⁴⁹² buried in Oak Hill Cem., Lawrence, Douglas, KS.⁴⁹³ At the time of the 1915, Kansas state census, Mae was head of household in Lawrence, Douglas, KS. She was

26. Her sister Dorcas, age 24, was living with her. Dorcas also appears in their father Hannibal's household.

In 1920, Mary or Mae was head of household in Lawrence, Douglas, KS. Living with her were her sister Dorcas and her grandmother Mrs. O. M. Rublee. Both Mae and Dorcas, were stenographers. In 1930, the sisters, now age 35 and 30, continued to live in Lawrence. Both worked in an office as a secretary.

Mae was the Assistant Registrar at Kansas University for 40 years, retiring in 1962. The university has a Mae Rublee Scholarship in Business.

- 484 ii. Lillian "Dorcas" Rublee b. 8 Mar 1897 in Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. Oct 1987 in Lawrence, Douglas Co., KS (prob), buried in Oak Hill Cem., Lawrence, Douglas, KS.⁴⁹³ Lillian's birth listed under infant female Rublee.

"Miss Dorcas Rublee, for 18 years secretary to three Kansas University chancellors, will retire on Sunday after devoting 48 years to the University. Here she is shown enjoying a surprise farewell party given by her friends Friday afternoon in the chancellor's office. Miss Rublee and her sister, Miss Mae Rublee, who retired last year as assistant registrar after 40 years as assistant registrar, have a combined total of 88 years of service to the University." (Lawrence World-Journal, 29 June 1963).

- 485 iii. Glenna Grace Rublee b. 22 Nov 1899 in Montgomery, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 29 Jul 1991 in Denver, Denver Co., CO,³³¹ buried in Crown Hill Cem., Wheat Ridge, Jefferson Co., CO.⁴⁹¹ In 1920, Glenna lived with her father and stepmother in Lawrence, KS. In 1930, she and her husband lived in Denver, CO where Albert was a meatcutter. He was 40 and she was 30. There were no children in the home. They continued to live in Denver in 1940.

She married Albert O. Oswald, abt 1921 in KS (prob), b. 5 Jan 1890 in Lawrence, Douglas Co., KS,²⁴¹ (son of Michael J. Oswald and Sarah E. Elston), d. 1956 in Denver, Denver Co., CO,⁴⁹¹ buried in Crown Hill Cem., Wheat Ridge, Jefferson Co., CO.⁴⁹¹

He married (2) **Lulu Blanche V. (Simpson) Porter**, 28 Nov 1912 in Norton Co., KS,⁴⁹⁴ b. 9 Jun 1879 in Ithaca, Richland Co., WI?,⁴⁹⁵ (daughter of **Joshua Fletcher Simpson** and **Emlen Valnettie Dow**), d. 13 Jul 1961 in Omaha, Douglas Co., NE,⁴⁹⁶ buried in Norton Cem., Norton, Norton, KS.⁴⁹⁶

340. **Milton Addison⁵ Rublee** (Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 1 Oct 1870 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 19 Apr 1932 in North Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC,^{497,35} buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹ Milton Rublee worked first as a buttermaker, then as a farmer (Charles Rublee manuscript). He never renounced his US citizenship, as a report of his death was made, as required, by the American Foreign Service.

He married **Gardness Lillian Johnson**, 16 Aug 1899 in Adventist Church, Brookbury, Sherbrooke, QC,^{497,35} b. 2 Jul 1880 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ (daughter of **Homer "Edmond" Johnson** [1846 - 1929] and **Mary Elizabeth Bean** [1852 - 1940]), d. 12 Jul 1967 in Richmond, QC,²¹⁹ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹

Children:

- 486 i. Clayton⁶ Rublee b. 1901 in North Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC?,^{219,498} d. same day, 1901 in North Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC?.⁴⁹⁸
- 487 ii. George Mayo (foster) b. 1905,⁴⁹⁹ d. 1955,⁴⁹⁹ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC. George Mayo was the foster son of the Rublees (Charles Rublee). He may have been George Reynolds Mayo, born on 2 Feb 1905 in N. Hatley, son of William Joseph Mayo and his second wife Ella Murich (Hart) Mayo (Drouin Collection).

342. **Orson Elroy⁵ Rublee, M. D.** (Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 7 Nov 1876 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 13 May 1946 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,³⁴⁷ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁵⁰⁰ Orson Rublee graduated from McGill Medical School in 1907. He moved to western Canada in 1909, establishing a practice in Bradwell, Saskatoon. He soon relocated to Allan, SK, remaining there until 1941. In 1924, the town of Allan paid part of the cost of having Dr. Rublee's home moved from Bradwell to Allan. The house was apparently very large, and was moved by two steamers. The house provided home to the Rublee family, medical offices, and rooms for a few patients to stay.

Laura Kezar was a resident of Montreal at the time of her marriage to Orson Rublee. She died of influenza (Charles Rublee manuscript) According to the 1911 Canadian census, Orson and Laura were living with Laura's parent in Hatley, with sons Revel and Dalton.

In 1942, the Rublees moved to Wilke, SK, where Dr. Rublee lived in semi-retirement until his death (Charles Rublee manuscript)

"Pioneer Bradwell Doctor Succumbs. Aged 68, Dr. Orson Elroy Rublee died Monday night after a lengthy illness. He had resided at Wilkie for the last four years but had practiced before that for about 34 years in the Bradwell and Allan districts, being very well known throughout that area. He is survived by his widow, two daughters and six sons. The daughters are Dr. Jean and Helen at Wilkie, and the sons are, Reval at Kenaston, Dalton, Elric, Merritt and William at Dodsland, and Dr. Jack, who is now on his way home from overseas service with the Canadian Army. The funeral will be held at 3.30 o'clock, Thursday afternoon from McKagues chapel." (Star-Phoenix (Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada) 15 May 1946, Wed, page 3).

He married (1) **Laura Eva Kezar**, 12 Oct 1906 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. Apr 1876 in Ayers Cliff, Stanstead Co., QC (daughter of **George Kezar** and **Sarah _____**), d. 9 Nov 1918 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,^{347,501} buried in Bradwell Cem., Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK.⁵⁰²

Children:

- + 488 i. Reval Alpha⁶ Rublee b. 29 Apr 1907.
- + 489 ii. Dalton Elroy Rublee b. 5 May 1909.
- + 490 iii. Eric Arlo Rublee b. 7 Jul 1912.

He married (2) **Florence Catherine Driscoll**, 1919 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ b. 1898 in Lindsay, ON (daughter of **John Driscoll** and **Jean Cameron**), d. 13 Jun 1973 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,⁵⁰⁴ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁵⁰⁰ After her husband's death, Florence Rublee lived in Saskatoon, where she worked for a doctor's office for many years before retiring.

"Moved with her family to Conquest and then to Saskatoon. She finished her Grade Eleven at Nutana Collegiate, and then, at the age of 17, (1914/15) she began teaching south of Dinsmore, and thereafter in other places in the province, including Bradwell. In 1919/20 she married Dr. Orson Elroy Rublee, the local doctor in Bradwell whose wife had died in November 1918 in the influenza epidemic leaving three young sons. Information obtained from Florence Rublee.

"The death of Mrs. Florence D. Rublee of Apartment 101, 2905 7th Street, East Saskatoon occurred in a local hospital on June 13 1973. The memorial service will be held on Friday, June 15th at 2 pm from McKague's Funeral Home conducted by Rev D. Johns. The family would appreciate donations to the Saskatchewan Heart Foundation." (Saskatoon StarPhoenix June 14, 1973).

Children:

- + 491 iv. John "Jack" Driscoll Rublee b. 17 Jul 1920.
- 492 v. Merritt Johnson Rublee b. 3 Jun 1921 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,³⁴⁷ d. 14 Dec 1991 in Hamilton, ON,⁵⁰³ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁵⁰⁰ In the early 1970's, Merritt Rublee had not married (Charles Rublee manuscript).
- + 493 vi. William Orson Rublee b. 18 Jul 1922.
- + 494 vii. Jean Elizabeth Rublee, M.D. b. 26 Dec 1924.
- + 495 viii. Helen Anita Rublee b. 28 Jan 1928.

343. **Marcia Lemira⁵ Rublee** (Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Apr 1879 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ d. 10 Jun 1965 in Victoria, BC, Canada,^{219,505} buried in Victoria, BC, Canada. REED - September 3, 1964 at Victoria, George Henry Reed, of 3811 Cedar Hill Road, born in Lennoxville, P.Q., aged 87, a resident of this city for many years. Mr. Reed was a member of Bethel No. 40 AF&AM of Edmundston, New Brunswick. Survived his wife. Marcia; one daughter. Mrs. Alice Ross; two sons, Charles and Floyd Reed; 10 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, all of Victoria: one sister, Mrs. J. H. Turner In Quebec. . . ." (Times Colonist (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada) 4 Sep 1964, Fri, page 22)
 Reed - June 10, 1965, at Victoria, Marcia Lemira, beloved mother of Mrs. S. (Alice) Ross, 3811 Cedar Hill Road. Mrs. Reed was born In Quebec and had resided at Victoria since 1948 She was a member of the United Church of Canada. Mrs. Reed was predeceased by her husband Harry Reed, in 1964, and is also survived by two sons: Charles. Kamloops, B.C. and Floyd, Montreal; also 9 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and 1 brother and sister. . . ." (Times Colonist (Victoria, British Columbia, Canada) 11 Jun 1965, Fri, page 25).

She married **George Henry Reed**, 10 Jan 1900 in Methodist Church, Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ b. 26 Jun 1877 in North Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC,²¹⁹ (son of **Wilder Reed** [1834 - 1916] and **Alice Almira Bean** [1836 - 1913]), d. 3 Sep 1964 in Victoria, BC, Canada.^{219,505} George Reed was a band saw filer. He was employed by Fraser Ltd. and Price Brothers, two companies that owned large saw mills in New Brunswick and eastern Quebec. He retired in 1948, moving from Matane, QC to Victoria, BC. He opened a shop for sharpening lawn mower blades and filing saws. His grandson, Gordon Reed, took over the business after the elder Mr. Reed's death (Charles Rublee manuscript).

Children:

- + 496 i. Charles George⁶ Reed b. 6 Oct 1905.
- + 497 ii. Floyd Rublee Reed b. 1 Oct 1912.
- + 498 iii. Alice Marcia Reed b. 9 Aug 1917.

344. **Marshall Cleveland⁵ Rublee** (Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 22 Jun 1884 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,²¹⁹ d. 20 Mar 1961 in Hope Valley, Wainwright, AB, Canada,^{219,506} buried in Rosedale Cem., Wainwright, AB, Canada.⁵⁰⁷ "Marshall Rublee was born and raised in Minton, Quebec. In the summer of 1910, when he was 26 years old, he went to the Canadian West in a freight car loaded with household furniture and some livestock destined for a farm near Wainwright, Alberta, which had been purchased by Dr. C. J. Edgar of N. Hatley, Quebec. The following year, Marshall was joined by his fiancée, Margaret McRae. They were married February 14, 1911 at Bradwell, Saskatoon, where his brother, Dr. Orson Rublee, was living. After a few months of working for Dr. Edgar on his farm, they took advantage of the Canadian Homestead Act, and acquired for \$1,000 a quarter section of virgin prairie in a new settlement called Hope Valley on the Battle River, not far from Dr. Edgar's farm. It was rugged going at first, plowing the tough prairie sod with a team of oxen. They experienced frosts and hailstorms and one time fought a prairie fire. Wainwright, over 20 miles away, was the nearest place of business, and trips to and from were on a rough farm wagon drawn by slow moving oxen. Money for purchasing seed and implements were scarce. On one occasion they sold the diamond from Margaret's engagement ring, and replaced it with a cheaper stone for badly needed cash. Once they were late starting the return trip from Wainwright and spent the night camped under the wagon. They took an active and important part in the town and community development of their area. The hard work paid off and the well-stocked and equipped farm is presently being run by their son Merritt." (Charles Rublee manuscript).

He married **Margaret "Maggie" Ann MacRae**, 14 Feb 1911 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,²¹⁹ b. 1 Dec 1887 in Tolsta, Winslow Co., QC,³²⁶ (daughter of **John MacRae** and **Catherine Morrison**), d. 9 Nov 1965 in Hope Valley, Wainwright, AB, Canada,⁵⁰⁶ buried in Rosedale Cem., Wainwright, AB, Canada.⁵⁰⁷

Children:

- + 499 i. Merritt John⁶ Rublee b. 22 Sep 1914.
- 500 ii. Alice Rublee b. 11 Dec 1916 in Hope Valley, AB, Canada?, d. 4 Mar 2003 in Victoria, BC, Canada,⁵⁰⁸ buried in Hatley Mem. Gardens, Coldwood, BC, Canada.

She married Clifford Dan Clueit, 3 May 1958 in Victoria, BC, Canada,³⁴⁷ b. abt 1905 in Eng. (son of John Clueit and Esther Ann _____), d. 23 Dec 1988 in Victoria, BC, Canada.⁵⁰⁵

Clifford Clueit was born in England. He came to Canada in 1921 at the age of 16 to live with his sister and brother-in-law in Regina, SK. At that time, his occupation was "fitter". Clifford and Alice Clueit lived in Victoria, British Columbia (Charles Rublee manuscript).

345. **Charles "Charlie" Merritt⁵ Rublee** (Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 21 Dec 1892 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{347,35} d. 22 Apr 1981 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,²¹⁹ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹ Charles Rublee grew up on the family farm in Minton, QC. He took over the running of the farm as a young man. In 1933, after his doctors advised him to get lighter work, he and his family moved to Sherbrooke, QC. He worked for the Orient Hosiery Co. in Sherbrooke until his retirement in 1957. He was active in church affairs, first in Minton and then in Sherbrooke. He was active in the Canadian Bible Society (Obituary, 1981).

Charlie Rublee was interested in family history. His collection of genealogical data and family anecdotes made a valuable contribution to Rhoda Berger's Rublee genealogy and to my research as well. I enjoyed a wonderful correspondence with him.

He married **Mabel Annie Pitman**, 5 Aug 1917 in Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ b. 3 Jan 1893 in Belvidere, QC,³⁴⁷ (daughter of **William Joseph Pitman** [1864 -] and **Anna "Annie" Chinn**), d. 17 Aug 1983 in Huntingdon, Huntingdon Co., QC, Canada,²¹⁹ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹ "MABEL RUBLEE. Formerly of Sherbrooke, Quebec. Mabel Annie Rublee passed away peacefully at Grace Christian Home in Huntingville on August 17, 1983. Mrs. Rublee was the daughter of the late William and Annie Pitman, and was born on a farm at Belvidere, Quebec, on January 3, 1893. In 1917 she was married to Charles M Rublee, a farmer living at Minton. Quebec. Their three sons, Reginald, Ronald and Earl were born on the farm. In 1926 the family moved to Sherbrooke. A devoted wife and mother, Mrs. Rublee's principal interests centered around her home and her family. She also enjoyed her plants, and had a great variety of African violets, as well as other plants. She was a faithful member, first of the Methodist Church at Minton, and later of Trinity United Church in Sherbrooke, and subsequently of Plymouth Trinity After the death of her husband in 1981 Mrs. Rublee moved to Grace Christian Home in Huntingville where she lived until her death. Mrs. Rublee is survived by her two sons, Ronald of Sherbrooke and Earl of Lennoxville. Her eldest son Reginald predeceased her in 1979. Also left to mourn her loss are three daughters in-law, seven grandchildren and ten greatgrandchildren." (The [Sherbrooke] Record, 20 Sep 1983).

Children:

- + 501 i. Reginald Arnold⁶ Rublee b. 24 Aug 1918.
- + 502 ii. Ronald Irving Rublee b. 12 Feb 1921.
- 503 iii. Earl Alden Rublee b. 23 Aug 1922 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁴⁷ d. 15 Jan 2011 in Lennoxville, Sherbrooke Co., QC (prob), buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.⁴⁹⁹ Earl Rublee was employed by Combustion Engineering Company in Sherbrooke, Quebec. He lived in Lennoxville, Quebec (Charles Rublee).

"Passed away peacefully at Grace Christian Residence, on January 15, 2011, at the age of 88, Mr. Earl Alden Rublee, beloved husband of the late Cécile Lanctot. . . . Mr. Rublee is survived by his children Michel Thiffault (Susan), Ottawa and Florence Thiffault from La Tuque; his grandchildren Wendy, Sandra and Jacqueline; his great-grandchildren Shania and Heidi, as well as his nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends."

He married Marie Anna "Cecile" Lanctot, 15 Jul 1967 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,⁵⁰⁹ b. 18 Sep 1919 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ (daughter of Joseph Arthur Lanctot and Rose Mercier), d. 1992, buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC. Cecile Lanctot married a Mr. Thiffault first, and had two children.

346. **Myrtle Alice⁵ Rublee** (Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 10 Jan 1897 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{347,35} d. 1994, buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.

She married **Charles Dorie Pitman**, 20 Sep 1916 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{347,35} b. 24 Apr 1891 in Belvidere, QC,³⁴⁷ (son of **William Joseph Pitman** [1864 -] and **Anna "Annie" Chinn**), d. 13 May 1952 in Belvidere, QC,³⁴⁷ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC. Charles Pittman lived all of his life on the farm on which he was born. He took an active part in town and community life (Charles Rublee manuscript). I am unable to find a town called Belvidere; it may have been part of Ascot, as Charles Pitman is referred as "of Ascot" in the vital records.

Children:

- 504 i. Aileen Maude⁶ Pitman b. 2 Jan 1918 in Belvidere, QC,^{347,35} d. 5 Jul 2008 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC, buried in Massawippi Cem., Estrie Region, QC. "Passed away peacefully at the CHUS Hotel-Dieu in Sherbrooke, on Saturday, July 5, 2008, at the age of 90. Beloved wife of the late Wilfred Raymond and the late Irving Lord. Cherished mother of: the late Marilyn, Gail (Eddie Anderson), and Douglas (Helen Walker); loving grandmother of: Bruce, Sherri, Jeffrey, Christopher, and the late Lisa. Aileen will also be sadly missed by many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends."
(<http://casshomes.ca/en/print-obituary.aspx?obituaryId=1010>).

She married (1) Wilfred Edward Alvin Raymond, 9 Sep 1939 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁵ b. 18 Sep 1906,⁵¹⁰ (son of Oliver Raymond and Virginia Benard), d. 27 Jul 1966 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,⁵¹⁰ buried in Massawippi Cem., Estrie Region, QC.⁵¹⁰
She married (2) Irving Charles Lord, 15 Jun 1968 in Rock Island, Stanstead Co., QC,⁵¹⁰ b. 18 Dec 1908 in Massawippi, Estrie Region, QC,⁵¹⁰ d. 28 Sep 1973 in Massawippi, Estrie Region, QC,⁵¹⁰ buried in Massawippi Cem., Estrie Region, QC.⁵¹⁰

- 505 ii. Doris Irene Pitman b. 20 Mar 1919 in Belvidere, QC,^{347,35} d. 20 Jan 2018 in Huntingville, Compton Co., QC. Doris, served as a missionary near Tuss in Angola, Portuguese West Africa for over 28 years.

"Doris Pitman, at the age of 98, passed away peacefully at Grace -Village in Huntingville on January 20th, 2018. She leaves to mourn her sister Gwen Parker, and is fondly remembered by her nieces, nephews, cousins and their children, as well as friends and colleagues from Grace Chapel and the mission field in Angola. She was predeceased by her sister Aileen Lord and brother Douglas Pitman." (Sherbrooke Record, 23 Jan 2018).

- 506 iii. Gwendolyn "Gwen" Mabel Pitman b. 18 Jul 1921 in Ascot, Sherbrook Co., QC.^{347,35}

She married Sterling Henry Parker, 25 Aug 1956, b. 27 May 1928 (son of Henry Joaquin Parker and Margaret Beryl Bean [1898 - 1993]), d. 2004, buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹

- 507 iv. Douglas William Pitman b. 22 Apr 1927 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,^{347,35} d. 23 Sep 2010 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC. "At the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Sherbrooke Que. On Thursday, September 23, 2010 at the age of 83 years. Douglas William Pitman beloved husband of Thelma Parker and dear father of Neil and Karen. Doug was the cherished grandfather of Charles and Iriyan. He is survived by his sisters Doris and Gwen and was predeceased by his sister Aileen and is also survived by several nieces and nephews."

He married Thelma Parker, 12 Aug 1951, b. abt 1928, d. 9 Feb 2012 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC. "At the Hôtel-Dieu Hospital, Sherbrooke, on Thursday, February 9, 2012 at the age of 84 years. Wife of the late Douglas Pitman and dear mother of Neil and Karen (Rick) Thelma was the cherished grandmother of Charles and Iriyan. Thelma is survived by her brother Warren Parker (Faye) and was predeceased by her brother Sterling Parker (Gwen)."

347. **Albert Andrew⁵ Rublee** (Andrew Humphrey⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Jul 1877 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 31 Jan 1964 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Plainfield Ctr. Cem., Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁵¹¹ An Albert A. Rublee, age 22, is listed as a servant to Stephen Myette of Jericho, VT at the time of the 1900 census. His mother, Olive Rublee is listed as a same residence as a boarder.

"PLAINFIELD - Mrs. Albert A. Rublee 79 succumbed to a heart ailment at her home at 7 this morning following a long illness. State police and the regional medical examiner Dr. Thomas A Dunleavy of Barre were summoned by Dr. Frank Corson who found his patient dead when he arrived there. Mrs. Rublee was born in Ireland July 11, 1881 the daughter of Michael and Mary Mahoney. She came to this country at the age of 11 and received her schooling in North Walpole, N. H. She was married April 21, 1906 at Montpelier to Albert A. Rublee. Survivors include her husband, three daughters Mrs. Ada Dupuis of Lewiston, Maine; Mrs. Helen Tierney and Miss Mary Rublee both of Plainfield; one son Roy of East Hardwick, a niece Mrs. Lena Savoie of Claremont N. H. also several grandchildren. . . ." (The Times Argus (Barre, Vermont) 28 Mar 1960, Mon, Page 10)

"PLAINFIELD - RUBLEE, Albert Andrew, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bartley Tierney on Barre Hill Road, Friday. He had been ill since last Town Meeting Day, when, walking to the village from his farm on South Hill to vote, he fell and fractured one arm. He had spent many weeks in hospitals in Barre and Burlington, but had been at his daughter's for a month. Mr. Rublee was born July 30, 1877, in Enosburg Falls. He was married to the late Minnie Mahoney of Tralee, Ireland, in Montpelier in 1905. The couple, lived in Barre, before moving to a farm in the Plainfield South Hill district 57 years ago. He leaves a son, Roy of Hardwick; three daughters, Mrs. Ada Dupuis of Lewiston, Maine, Mrs. Bartley (Helen) Tierney of Plainfield and Miss Mary, 10, grandchildren and eight great grandchildren." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 3 Feb 1964, Mon, page 16).

He married **Minnie Agnes Mahoney**, 21 Apr 1906 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 11 Jul 1880 in Tralee, Ireland,⁶ (daughter of **Michael Mahoney** and **Mary Murphy**), d. 28 Mar 1960 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Plainfield Ctr. Cem., Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁵¹¹

Children:

- + 508 i. Ada May⁶ Rublee b. 4 Jan 1907.
- 509 ii. Carl Oliver Rublee b. 28 Oct 1908 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 30 Apr 1920 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Plainfield Ctr. Cem., Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁵¹¹ "PLAINFIELD. Funeral of Carl Rublee Held Saturday from His Home. The funeral, services of Carl Oliver Rublee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rublee, who, died Wednesday with kidney trouble, were held from his late home Saturday afternoon at 2, Rev. A. W. Hewitt officiating. Mrs. Daisy Bartlett and Miss Grace Brown sang two selections, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Nearer My Home To-day." The bearers were Charles, Ray and Ralph Perry and Leland Bartlett. Burial was in the Center cemetery.

Carl Rublee was born in Plainfield Oct. 28, 1908. He is survived by his parents, two brothers, three sisters and grandmother, Mrs. Olive Rublee.

Those from out of town to attend the funeral were Mrs. M. Mahoney and Mrs. John Reill of Bellows Falls, Mrs. William Roya and Mrs. Weeks of East

Calais and Mrs. Ethel Tierney of Brookfield." (The Barre Daily Times, 6 May 1919).

- 510 iii. Wellington Louvey Rublee b. 30 Oct 1910 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 1 Nov 1931 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Plainfield Ctr. Cem., Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁵¹¹ "WELLINGTON RUBLEE Plainfield Young Man 21 Had Been Patient Sufferer Plainfield Nov 13 — Wellington Rublee, 21, died Wednesday afternoon at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rublee of this village after an illness of about six years. Born in Plainfield on Oct 30, 1910 he attended the schools of that town until forced to leave high school when stricken ill with diabetes. He then established a poultry business at his home and was very successful at it. However his health continued to fail and toward the last he was often confined to his bed. He had many friends in town who knew and were fond of him and to these people as well as members of his family his death brings sorrow. He is survived by his parents, three sisters Ada, Helen and Mary and one brother Roy all of whom live at the Plainfield home. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home with Rev Laurence H. Blackburn of Barre officiating. Burial will be in the family lot in the Plainfield Center cemetery." (The Barre Daily Times, Barre, Vermont 13 Nov 1931, Fri, page 7).

+ 511 iv. Roy Albert Rublee b. 15 Jun 1912.

512 v. Stillborn Female Rublee b. 30 Jan 1914 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 30 Jan 1914 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁴⁰

+ 513 vi. Helen Nora Rublee b. 27 Oct 1916.

514 vii. Mary Evangeline Rublee b. 17 Jun 1918 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 19 Nov 2005 in Barre, Washington Co., VT.⁷⁹ "BARRE - Mary E. Rublee, of the Rowan Court Health and Rehabilitation Center, died on Saturday, Nov. 17, 2005, [note: She died on 19 Nov] where she had been a resident for several years.

She was born in Plainfield on June 17, 1918, the daughter of Albert and Minnie (Mahoney) Rublee. She lived on the Rublee Farm on Upper Middle Road in Plainfield with her parents until she moved to Lewiston, Maine, to live with her sister, Ada Dupuis. In 1993, she moved back to Plainfield and lived with her sister, Helen Tierney, until declining health required that she move to Berlin Health and Rehabilitation Center in 1996.

She is survived by nine nieces and nephews living in Florida, Maine, Texas, Vermont and Washington. Besides her parents, she was predeceased by two sisters, Helen Rublee Tierney and Ada Rublee Dupuis, and three brothers, Carl, Wellington and Roy Rublee. . . ." (Barre-Montpelier Times Argus, 30 Jun 2006).

349. **Ethel Julia⁵ Rublee** (Andrew Humphrey⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 15 May 1883 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 21 Jun 1926 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT. In 1900, Ethel Rublee was a domestic in the household of J. Kimball in Enosburg, VT. She was 16 years old. In 1920, Ethel Turney, age 36, was a housekeeper in the household of George Tunnnett (?) in Ryegate. She was a widow. Also in the home was her son Bartley Turney, age 7. Ethel was born in VT, her father in Canada and her mother in VT, which matches this Ethel. Ethel died at the Vermont State Hospital.

"Enosburg Falls -- News has been received here of the death Monday morning of Mrs. Ethel (Rublee) Tierney, of Montpelier, after two weeks' illness. The funeral was held Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. J. A.

Gibson, Mrs. Martha Rublee and daughter, Hallie Rublee, and V. A. Jones from here attended the funeral."

She married **Charles Bartley Tierney**, 3 Jul 1911 in Rockingham, Windham Co., VT,³² b. 10 Jul 1878 in Jericho, Chittenden Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **Matthew Tierney** and **Elizabeth McLain**), d. 11 Jul 1914 in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.⁷⁹ Charles Tierney died by accidental electrocution.

"LINEMAN DIES ON POLE. Charles B. Tierney Gets 2,300 Volt Shock While Working in Montpelier - Montpelier, July 11, Charles B. Tierney, aged 36 year, a lineman for the Consolidated Lightning Co., was electrocuted while at work among the high tension wires in front of the Pavilion hotel at 8 o'clock this morning. A current of 2,300 volts passed through his body. He was strapped to the pole and was dead when taken down. He is survived by a wife and child." (St. Albans Weekly Messenger (Saint Albans, Vermont) 16 Jul 1914, Thu, page 6).

Children:

+ 515 i. Bartley Matthew⁶ Tierney b. 28 Oct 1912.

352. **Doris Louise⁵ Rublee** (Alfred A.⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 26 Jul 1896 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 1 Sep 1964 in Williamsburg, Hampshire Co., MA.⁹⁰ Doris lived with her mother in Enosburg, VT in 1920. In 1930, Cecil and Doris lived in Williamsburg, Hampshire, MA.

She married **Cecil Clarence Loomis**, 27 Oct 1923 in Williamsburg, Hampshire Co., MA,⁹⁰ b. 6 Jun 1899 in Williamsburg, Hampshire Co., MA,²⁹¹ (son of **Clarence Loomis** and **Fannie Rhoad**), d. 7 Feb 1966 in Northampton, Hampshire Co., MA,⁹⁰ buried in High Street Cem., Haydenville, Hampshire, MA.⁵¹²

354. **Gladys M.⁵ Rublee** (Alfred A.⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 7 Jun 1900 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 21 Jan 1956 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT. Gladys (Rublee) Hadd resided in Alburg, VT at the time of her death.

She married **Gerald Herbert Hadd**, 28 Sep 1920 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 28 Mar 1900 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **Herbert F. Hadd** and **Minnie Turner**), d. 22 Aug 1968 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT. Gerald Hadd's last residence was Alburg, VT.

Children:

523 i. Kenneth Gerald⁶ Hadd b. 13 Apr 1921 in Enosburg Falls, Franklin Co., VT,⁵¹³ d. 20 Feb 1994 in Berlin, Washington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,¹⁸⁶ resided in Montpelier, Washington Co., VT.⁶ Kenneth Hadd graduated from Enosburg Falls High School in 1938. He attended Coyce Electrical School in Chicago and took courses at the Wentworth Institute in Boston and the University of Vermont. He served in the Navy during World War II. He worked for the Green Mountain Power Co. in Burlington, VT, retiring in 1986 after more than 40 years of employment. (Obituary)

His wife, Lois Brown Hadd was a state representative in 1988.

He married Lois May Brown, 9 Apr 1944 in Harrisburg, PA,⁵¹⁶ b. est 1924 in Camp Hill, Cumberland Co., PA? (daughter of Harold D. Brown and Hazel D. _____), d. living 2013.

- 524 ii. Donald Cedric Hadd b. 27 Jul 1925 in Barnet, Caledonia Co., VT,³³¹ d. 24 Oct 2008 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ resided in Shelburne, Chittenden Co., VT, buried in Shelburne Village Cem., Shelburne, Chittenden Co., VT.⁵¹⁴

He married Teresa Lucille Labombard, 2 Jan 1950 in Alburgh, Grand Isle Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. abt 1929 in Isle La Motte, Grand Isle Co., VT (daughter of Paul J. LaBombard and Lillie Dean).

355. **Hallie Irene⁵ Rublee** (Alfred A.⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 10 Jul 1902 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT (prob),⁴⁸⁹ d. 14 Feb 1986 in Northampton, Hampshire Co., MA,⁴⁸⁹ buried in High Street Cem., Haydenville, Hampshire, MA.⁵¹² Hallie Rublee graduated from Enosburg High School in 1922. She married Albert Kittell when she was in her thirties. He has at least 2 previous wives. He married Hildred Lavalla in 1912 and Jessie C. Hart in 1915.

In 1940, Hallie and Albert lived with Hallie's mother Martha Rublee in Enosburg Falls, VT. The census indicates they had been living in the same place in 1935. The couple later lived in Haydenville, MA.

She married **Albert Gordon Kittell**, bet 1930-1935, b. 3 Feb 1891 in Sheldon, Franklin Co., VT,^{331,241,40} (son of **Jonathan Kittell** and **Lena Fanton**), d. 12 Oct 1980 in Williamsburg, Hampshire Co., MA,⁹⁰ buried in High Street Cem., Haydenville, Hampshire, MA.⁵¹²

Children:

- 525 i. Alfred⁶ Kittell b. 8 Feb 1943 in Northampton, Hampshire Co., MA,⁹⁰ d. 15 Feb 1943 in Williamsburg, Hampshire Co., MA,⁹⁰ buried in High Street Cem., Haydenville, Hampshire, MA.⁵¹²

359. **Cora Arabella⁵ Rublee** (Francis Alberry⁴, William "Martindale"³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. Oct 1862 in Bangor, LaCrosse Co., WI?, d. Oct 1926 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI,³⁶⁴ buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.⁶⁴ In 1900, Robert and Cora Ladd lived in LaCrosse, WI with their two children. They had been married for 20 years. Cora's father Francis A. Rublee lived with them. In 1910, a Chas. K. Harrison lived in La Crosse. His wife was Cora. They had been married for 8 years.

"Mrs. Cora Harrison, 65, 1215 Winnebago street, wife of Charles K. Harrison, well known real estate man, died just before midnight Sunday at a local hospital after a lingering illness. She was born in Lewis Valley, La Crosse County, October 29th, 1861, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Rublee, early settlers of La Crosse county. Her girlhood was spent in West Salem. She has been a resident of La Crosse for about thirty-five years. She is survived by her husband, a sister, Mrs. Delia Billings, of Kansas City, Mo., and two daughters, Mrs. E. K. Fleischer of Minneapolis and Mrs. V. W. Kidder of this city. All except the sister were at the bedside when the end came. . . ." (The La Crosse Tribune (La Crosse, Wisconsin) 25 Oct 1926, Mon, page 6)

In 1930, Cora's second husband Charles K. Harrison lived in Portland, OR with his mother Flora Harrison, also widowed. He continued to live in Portland in 1940; his mother had apparently died by then.

She married (1) **Robert Anderson Ladd**, 29 Aug 1879 in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI,¹³³ b. 20 Mar 1860 in Farmington, Jefferson Co., WI,⁵¹⁵ (son of **Martin B. Ladd** and **Cleora Dean**), d. 10 Feb 1921 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI (prob), buried in Asbury Cem., Onalaska, La Crosse, WI.⁵¹⁶ In 1920, Robert Ladd lived in Onalaska, La Crosse, WI. His future wife and her 3 children lived in the home. Her role in the household was servant. By 1920, they had married and continued to live in Onalaska, La Crosse, WI. Likely his wife was Elizabeth Boisvert Ladd, who died in 1946 in La Crosse. She was born 2 Jan 1868. It appears that Boisvert was her first married name.

"Robert A. Ladd, former sheriff of La Crosse county, died at his home at Lytles at 4 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, after an illness of two years. Mr. Ladd was born March 20, 1860. For many years the family lived at West Salem. After serving several years as railway mail clerk he was elected sheriff of the county in 1893, serving one term in this office and the following two years as under-sheriff. Surviving are a wife, three daughters, Mrs. W. V. Kidder of La Crosse, Mrs. E. K. Fleischer of Minneapolis, and Margery, aged 20 months at home; four stepdaughters and two step-sons, and two sisters, Mrs. Purple of Trempealeau and Mrs. Sherwin of Minneapolis. . . ." (The La Crosse Tribune (La Crosse, Wisconsin) 11 Feb 1921, Fri, page 6).

Children:

- 526 i. Bay Bee⁶ Ladd b. 22 Nov 1880 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,⁴⁵³ d. 27 May 1971 in La Crosse Co., WI,⁵¹⁷ buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.⁶⁴ In 1910, Emil and Bay Fleischer lived in St. Paul, Ramsay Co., MN. When Emil registered for the WWI draft, the couple lived in St. Paul. In 1920, Bay was head of her own household in St. Paul. She was married, but Emil was not in the home. She was working as a manufacturing agent. She had 2 lodgers. That year, Emil was a patient at the St. Peter State Hospital in St. Peter, Nicollet Co., MN. His marital status is also given as married. He died the following year.

In 1930, Bay lived in Minneapolis. She a widow working as a stenographer who lived in a boarding house. By 1941, she has returned to live in La Crosse, WI.

She married Emil Kirby Fleischer, bet 1905-1910, b. 25 Mar 1875 in Stillwater, Washington Co., MN,³⁹² (son of Isaac Fleischer and Helen _____), d. 1921 in St. Peter, Nicollet Co., MN?, buried in Mount Zion Temple Cem., St. Paul, Ramsey Co., MN.⁵¹⁸

- 527 ii. Deanie Bell Ladd b. 15 Feb 1883 in W. Salem, La Crosse Co., WI,⁴⁵³ d. 28 Mar 1946 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI, buried in Oak Grove Cem., La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI.⁶⁴ In 1901, Roy Handson is listed in the city director for La Crosse, WI. He was a bookkeeper. In 1905, Roy and "Deane" Handson lived with her father Robert Ladd in La Crosse. That same year Roy and Deane Handson appear in the City Directory for Rock Island, IL. He was still a bookkeeper.

In 1910, Dean lived with her second husband in La Crosse. He was a newspaper editor. They continued to live there in 1920 and 1930. By 1940, Dean was a widow living in La Crosse.

"DIVORCEE IN SERIES OF MARITAL MIXUPS DIES AT LaCROSSE -LaCrosse, Wis., March 29 - Mrs. Dean Ladd Kidder, 63 year-old heiress, who married a dapper itinerant tree trimmer three years and then had the marriage annulled after learning he had long criminal record,

died of a heart attack yesterday. Mrs. Kidder, widow of the founder of the Pyroll Manufacturing Co. was 60 when she married Ross W. Hastings, then 30, former Peoria, Ill., tree trimmer. She said he had done "a fine job" working at her estate. Hastings first was arrested on charge of kidnaping Mrs. Kidder but the charge was dropped she said she willingly had left estate to marry him at Peoria, Ill. He next was arrested on a charge of obtaining \$6,385 from the matronly Mrs. Kidder on false pretenses. This charge also was dismissed after Mrs. Kidder was excused from testifying because ill health. Mrs. Kidder was granted an annulment after she learned about Hastings' criminal record and that he had divorced his first wife Rose, only a day before he married her. The first Mrs. Hasting was Mrs. Kidder's maid." (The Edwardsville Intelligencer (Edwardsville, Illinois) 29 Mar 1946, Fri, page 3)

The name on her gravestone is Dean Ladd.

She married (1) Leroy "Roy" G. Handson, 5 Dec 1901 in La Crosse Co., WI,¹⁵³ b. Nov 1880 in Leclaire, Scott Co., IA (son of George O. Handson and Alzina "Allie" Woodward), d. 20 Aug 1908, buried in Glendale Cem., Le Claire, Scott Co., IA.⁵¹⁹

She married (2) William Gregory Vinsonheller Kidder, 8 Sep 1909 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI, b. 10 Aug 1881 in Urbana, Champaign Co., OH,⁵²⁰ (son of George Winslow Kidder and Susan Helen Vinsonheller), d. 5 Apr 1934 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI. "W.V. Kidder Dies of Heart Attack. LaCrosse Man, former Republican Committeeman, Passed Away - LA. CROSSE, April 6 (AP)— W. V. Kidder, 63, president of the Pyroil company and former newspaperman, died at his home here Thursday night after a heart attack. Starting as a cub reporter on the old La Crosse Morning Chronicle, he followed the newspaper profession for many years. He joined the staff of the La Crosse Tribune following its organization and remained with the paper for a number of years after its merger with the Leader-Press. Later he launched a monthly boating paper, "Open Exhaust". For ten years he was secretary of the Mississippi Valley Power Boat association and a member of its racing commission. A decade ago he became associated in the Motor Inventions company, marketing a carburetor attachment for automobiles. Five years ago he perfected a new lubricant and organized the Pyroil company. Mr. Kidder's political affiliations were with the La Follette Progressives. He served as a member of the Republican state central committee and was a delegate to the Republican national convention when Herbert Hoover was nominated. In 1924 he was one of the Wisconsin electors to cast a vote for the late Robert M. La Follette for president. Mr. Kidder was born Aug. 10, 1881, at Urbana, Ohio. He is survived by his widow, his father, George W. Kidder, and a brother, Joseph Kidder. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon." (The Rhinelander Daily News (Rhinelander, Wisconsin) 6 Apr 1934, Fri, page 5).

She married (2) **Charles King Harrison**, 20 Mar 1902 in La Crosse, La Crosse Co., WI,¹⁵³ b. Apr 1869 in WI (son of **Daniel B. Harrison** and **Flora W. King**), d. 4 Apr 1947 in Portland, Multnomah Co., OR,³⁶² buried in Lincoln Mem. Park, Portland, Multnomah Co., OR.⁵²¹

361. **Eloise "Louise" A.⁵ Rublee** (Marcius Altamont⁴, William "Martindale"³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Jan 1874 in Kilbourn City, Columbia Co., WI,¹⁷¹ divorced bef 6 Dec 1894, d. 27 Nov 1941 in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI?, buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹² Louise was only

16 when she married Bert Hayden. They apparently divorced, as Louise married William Blatchley before Elbert died. In 1900, William H. Blatchley (born Oct 1872, WI), wife Louisa (born Jan 1873, WI, father born in VT and mother in NY) and daughter Theodosia Blatchley (born Mar 1892 in WI) lived in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI. William was a photographer. The marriage record for this couple lists her name as Louise Rublee.

In 1910, William and Louise continued to live in Kilbourn, where William had his own photography studio. That year, Theodosia Hayden, age 20, lived with her grandmother Mary Rublee in Kilbourn. Theodosia was a music teacher. In 1920, Theodosia Hayden lived with the Blatchleys in Kilbourn. In 1930, the Blatchleys continued to live in Kilbourn.

Her gravestone indicates that her name was Eloise. She was likely named after her great-grandmother Eloyce (Gray) Rublee.

Like other members of her family, Louise was apparently musically talented. She studied music at the Cosmopolitan Conservatory in Chicago.

She married (1) **Elbert "Bert" J. Hayden**, 10 Aug 1889 in La Crosse Co., WI,¹³³ b. 12 Apr 1869 in Onalaska, LaCrosse Co., WI (prob) (son of **Isaac D. Hayden** and **Almira "Myra" Smith**), d. 3 Jan 1898, buried in Onalaska City Cem., Onalaska, LaCrosse Co., WI.³⁷⁴

Children:

- 528 i. Theodosia⁶ Hayden b. 31 Mar 1891 in Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co, WI,¹⁹² d. 30 Aug 1977 in Baraboo, Sauk Co., WI,¹⁹² buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹² In 1930, Theodosia A. Barrett, wife of Josiah H. Barrett, lived in Kilbourn City, WI. They were 39 and 38, both born in WI. They were 31 and 29 when they were first married. In 1940, Theodosia lived in Wisconsin Dells, WI, where she operated a resort hotel. She had lived in Wisconsin Dells in 1935.

"WISCONSIN DELLS - Theodosia H. Barrett age 86 died Tuesday August 30, 1977 at a Baraboo Hospital. The former Theodosia Hayden was born March 31, 1891 in Kilbourn, WI. She was a member of St. Cecilia's Catholic Church, a graduate of Carroll College, and taught music in the Wisconsin Dells schools for a number of years. She and her husband built the Blackhawk Hotel in 1924. She was married to Josiah Barrett in 1922, he preceded her in death in 1939. Mrs. Barrett was a lifelong resident of Wisconsin Dells. . . ." (Wisconsin State Journal (Madison, Wisconsin) 1 Sep 1977, Thu, page 39).

She married Josiah James Barrett, 1922, b. 26 Jul 1890 in Plainville, Adams Co., WI,²⁴¹ (son of Charles "Harry" Barrett and Ellen N. Kinney), d. 18 Jul 1939 in Olmsted Co., MN,¹¹⁹ buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹²

She married (2) **William Seymour Blatchley**, 6 Dec 1894 in Necedah, Juneau Co., WI,¹³³ b. 1 Oct 1872 in Randolph Ctr., WI (son of **Washburn Blatchley** and **Alice Electra Plank**), d. 24 Mar 1931 in Kilbourn, Columbia Co., WI?, buried in Spring Grove Cem., Wisconsin Dells, Columbia Co., WI.¹⁹²

362. **Francis "Frank" Manville⁵ Rublee III** (Francis Manville⁴, Francis Manville "F. M."³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 Apr 1883 in Arapahoe, Furnas Co., NE,³⁶⁷ d. 26 Nov 1937 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,¹⁴⁷ buried in Grand View Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁷² "...Shera Thompson had sent me . . . an article on John Homer Grunn and his cousin Frank M. Rublee. The Francis Rublee line appears to have been a very musical family. I suspect that Eloise may have been the originator of this musical talent. Frank and Lena, and their children Francis (my dad) and Helen traveled to and played as a "family band" in "Resort Hotels" across California. Sometimes Papa (Frank's father) joined them. My father could play the trumpet, trombone, saxophone, drums, and the piano. He always played by ear or memory. Some of my fondest memories are of when he would play the piano. I have done some research into John Homer Grunn and there is quite a bit of info out there on him. I was looking for a connection to see if he played with this "family band" or if he was the bandleader". (Lynne Strunk)

In 1900, Lena Moore lived with her parents in Broken Bow, Custer Co., NE. Francis also lived in Broken Bow with his parents. Francis and Lena were born the same year; they were probably schoolmates. In 1910, the Rublees lived in Los Angeles. They did not have children yet. Francis was a teller at a bank. In 1920, they lived in Gardena, Los Angeles Co with their two children. In 1930, they lived in Beverly Hills, Los Angeles Co., CA.

In 1940, Lena was a widow living in Los Angeles, CA. Her son Francis and his wife Florence lived with her.

He married **Lena Blanche Moore**, 30 Apr 1907 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 23 Jan 1883 in Carbon, Adams Co., IA,³²⁹ (daughter of **Alphonso Moore** and **Alice E. Phelps**), d. 31 Aug 1943 in San Bernardino Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in Grand View Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.³⁷²

Children:

- + 529 i. Francis Manville "Bud"⁶ Rublee b. 28 May 1911.
- + 530 ii. Helen Elizabeth Rublee b. 9 Aug 1912.

371. **Grace Belle⁵ Rublee** (Charles "Albert"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 18 Jul 1892 in Kemp, Kaufman Co., TX,³⁸³ d. 25 Sep 1978 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Laurel Land Mem. Park, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.⁵²² In 1910, Gracy Rublee, age 18, lived with Abbie Boles in Forney, Kaufman Co., TX (ED 26, Sheet 55, Vol. 87) as a nurse-companion. In 1920, Charlie and Grace Johnson lived in Justice Precinct #2, Dallas Co., TX with their two children. In 1930, they lived in Dallas, now with 3 children. They continued to live there in 1940. Harry, age 20, still lived with them.

She married **Charles "Charlie" Lemuel Johnson**, est 1912 in TX (prob), b. 15 Oct 1891 in Argenta, North Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR (son of **Thomas Jefferson Johnson** and **Harriet "Hattie" Matilda Duncan** [1866 -]), d. 29 May 1972 in Dallas Co., TX, buried in Laurel Land Mem. Park, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.

Children:

- 531 i. Mabel Louise⁶ Johnson b. 17 Jul 1913 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁵²³ d. Nov 1993, buried in Restland Mem. Park, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.

She married William Grady Brown, 23 Apr 1934 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁵ b. 15 Aug 1913 in Ellis Co., TX (son of William L. Brown and Katie Curry), d. 18 Jul 1979 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX, buried in Restland Mem. Park, Dallas, Dallas Co., TX.

- 532 ii. Charles "Leonard" Johnson, Jr. b. 20 Apr 1916 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁵²⁶ d. 12 Oct 1999 in El Cajon, San Diego Co., CA (res).⁵²⁴
- 533 iii. Harry Kollman Johnson b. 25 Mar 1920 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁵²⁵ d. 16 Jun 1994 in San Antonio, Bexar Co., TX (res).^{331,416}

373. **William Ariel "Wrylie" "Rile"⁵ Rublee** (Charles "Albert"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 16 Sep 1902 in Seagoville, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁸ d. 5 Nov 1975 in Houston, Harris Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Houston, Harris Co., TX.⁵²⁶ In the 1910 and 1920 census, his name is given as Arial P. Rublee.

William Rublee bought 5000 acres of land near Dallas. It turned out that the title was not clear and several others had claim to the land. It is likely that the seller deliberately defrauded him. He never recovered the funds. After this, he returned to Wisconsin where he owned several businesses. He discovered that his daughter, Ada Grunn, to whom he had given power-of-attorney when he went to Texas, had sold all his property, took the money and moved to California. (Linda Milan)

The Rublees lived in Dallas Co., TX at the time of the 1930 census. In 1940, they lived in Seagoville, TX. The surname is given as Raubulle, or something similar, in the census. William's first name was given as Rile. Children were Mildred, Charles, Mary Ellen and Addie Lou. They had been living in the same house in 1935.

Who was the W. A. Rublee, age 40, divorced, who was living in Houston, TX in 1940? He was a car salesman.

William may have had another middle name Wrylie. Or, it may have been a nickname of sorts, a combination of his first and middle names.

He married **Lula Viola Wheat**, abt 1924, b. 3 Mar 1903 in Winnsboro, Wood Co., TX,³⁸⁶ (daughter of **Isaac Drew Wheat** [1849 -] and **Lona Patterson Lindsey** [1879 -]), d. 4 Aug 1982 in Houston, Harris Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Houston, Harris Co., TX.⁵²⁹

374. **Adeline Patty⁵ Rublee** (Charles "Albert"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 16 Mar 1905 in TX, d. 21 Mar 2001 in Long Beach, Los Angeles, CA (res), buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Cypress, Orange Co., CA.³⁸⁴ Adeline (Rublee) (Wills) Lancaster was an artist. In 1998, her grand-niece Lynda Milan described her as very elderly, living in Long Beach, CA.

In 1930, Adeline was married to Arthur Lancaster, and living in Dallas TX. She was 25 and he was 44. Also in the home was Evelyn C. Lancaster, age 1 5/12 daughter of Arthur and Doris J. Wills, age 5, stepdaughter. Olive Rublee, Adeline's mother, was also in the home.

In 1940, Arthur and Adeline lived in Kansas City, MO.

Arthur was married first to Mary Lovey Ryan; they had two sons Benjamin Leslie Lancaster, born 20 Nov 1902 in Dallas, TX and Joe, born abt 1906. Since Mary lived until 1950, it is apparent that they divorced.

She married (1) **Connor "Bud" Wills**, est 1923, b. 14 Feb 1901 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁶ (son of **David Wills** and **Emogene Myers**), d. 14 Jul 1970 in San Antonio, Bexar Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Sam Houston National Cem., TX.

Children:

- 539 i. Imogene Olive "Doris"⁶ Wills b. 26 Sep 1924 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁵²⁷ d. 10 Oct 2012 in N. Hollywood, Los Angeles Co., CA (prob). In 1940, "Doris" lived with her uncles Charles Rublee and his wife Mary in Bexar, TX. Her mother and step-father have moved to Kansas City, MO by then.

She apparently used the name Doris Jean Wills, although her name at birth was Imogene Olive Wills.

"DORIS HALL. Age 88, passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, October 10, 2012. She was born in Texas on September 26, 1924 to Connor Wills and Adeline Rublee. Her mother went on to give her two sisters, Evelyn and Rosemary. Doris married William Henderson Hall on August 23, 1947; and they were blessed with nine children, seven girls and two boys. For 47 years, they built and shared their lives through the triumphs and tribulations until Bill passed away in 1994.

In July, 1996, Doris joined the First Southern Baptist Church in North Hollywood, where she was actively involved with Bible Study, the Christmas Baskets and Tape Ministries. With her profound faith in God and his unwavering love for her and for us, she taught us to look on the bright side of life even through adversity. No matter how she was feeling, if you asked her, she would always say "fine and dandy, peachy keen." And she had an amazing ability to connect with people in a deep and positive way, touching so many lives, particularly in her later years.

Doris truly embraced life to the fullest in everything she did, whether it was holidays, birthdays, Girl Scouts, the PTA, and, of course anything to do with animals; but especially her dogs. She had a wicked sense of humor and a smile larger than life, teaching all of us how to have fun. Doris is now with the Lord and her family; and we can hear her saying "Hot Diggity Dog, this is grand."

Doris is preceded in death by both of her parents; her sister, Evelyn Moralee; her husband, Bill; and her son, William Henderson Hall, Jr. She is survived by her sister, Rosemary Hill; children, Ellen Hall, Sandra Hennessy, Catherine (Walter) Wittel, Robert (Letricia) Hall, Jeanne (Will) Windham, Patricia (Tony) Jamison, Pamela Hall, Judith Hall; and all of her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and friends.

A celebration of Doris' life was held on November 3, 2012 at the First Southern Baptist Church, 10853 Victory Boulevard, North Hollywood, CA, Pastor Charles Cutney presiding." (Los Angeles Daily News, 11 Nov 2012).

She married William Henderson Hall, 23 Aug 1947, b. 15 Jan 1920 in WV,²⁸¹ (son of William H. Hall and Gladys L. Knight), d. 18 Apr 1994 in Sun Valley, Los Angeles Co., CA (res).^{331,281}

She married (2) **Arthur Leslie Lancaster**, bef 1928 in TX, b. 27 Dec 1881 in Vernon Co., MO,³³¹ (son of **Benjamin F. Lancaster** and **Clara C. Bell**), d. Mar 1967 in Long Beach, Los Angeles, CA (res),³³¹ buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Cypress, Orange Co., CA.³⁸⁴

381. **Seymour Jackson⁵ Rublee** (Andrew F. "Tink"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 29 Apr 1887 in Pipestone, Pipestone Co., MN,^{528,392} d. 17 Jul 1973 in Hickory Hills, Cook Co., IL.⁴⁰² In 1910, Seymour and Louisa lived in Chicago with Louisa's parents, Englebert and Dorothy Haesloop. In 1920, they had their own household in Chicago. Daughter Dorothy was two. Seymour Rublee was a barber. He registered for the selective service during World War II, as part of the "Old Man's Draft". He was still living in Chicago, employed as a barber. The Rublees continued to live in Chicago in 1930.

In 1940, they are listed as Jack and Louise Rublee (indexed as Rubler). They lived in Chicago with children Paul, age 20 and "Madelya", age 15. Brother DeWayne and wife Lola lived next door

On his World War I draft registration card, Seymour gives his middle name as Samford. However, most records give his middle initial as J.

"WOMAN KILLED, HUSBAND HURT BY AUTOMOBILE. Steel Employee Dies in Whiting Accident. Mrs. Mary Jane SANAGHAN, 62, of 2915 E. 91st., was killed and her husband Hugh, 65, a cabinetmaker, was injured critically last night when they were struck by an automobile while crossing 47th St. at Dorchester Av. The driver was Seymour J. Rublee, 59, of 5461 Kenwood Av." (Chicago Tribune, 26 Oct 1946)

"Seymour J. Rublee, beloved husband of the late Louise C; dear father of Dorothy George Jackson, Paul (Mary) and Madelyn, Lying at rest in the Bilger Funeral Home, 1420 E. 87th St. at Dante Av. Visitation Friday 9 to 10 p. m. Services and Interment private." (Chicago Tribune, Chicago, Illinois, 19 Jul 1973, Thu, page 63).

He married **Louisa Caroline Haeslip**, 25 Aug 1909 in St. Joseph, Berrien Co., MI,⁵²⁹ b. 29 May 1895 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,²¹² (daughter of **Englebert Haesloop** and **Dorothy Bohne**), d. 2 Mar 1950 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL.⁴⁰²

Children:

- 542 i. Louise "Dorothy"⁶ Rublee b. 29 Sep 1917 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁶ d. 8 Jun 2002 in Sarasota, Sarasota Co., FL.⁵³⁰ "Dorothy Louise Jackson, 84, Sarasota, died June 8, 2002. She was born Sept. 27, 1917, in Chicago and came to Sarasota 28 years ago from there. She was a retired bank switchboard operator and a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of Fraternal Order of Eagles Lodge 2756. She was an Episcopalian. Survivors include her husband George W.; a sister, Madeline Rublee of Sarasota; and a brother, Paul Rublee of Harrisonburg, Va. . ." (Sarasota Herald Tribune, 12 Jun 2002).

She married George W. Jackson, bef 1940?, b. 7 Dec 1911 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL?, d. 16 Jan 2008 in Sarasota, Sarasota Co., FL, buried in Florida National Cem., Bushnell, Sumter Co., FL. "Jackson, George W. Jr., Dec. 7, 1911 - Jan. 16, 2008. George W. Jackson Jr., 96, Sarasota, formerly of Chicago, died Jan. 16, 2008. Burial will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Hawkins Funeral Home is in charge. Survivors include his

brother and sister-in-law Paul and Mary Ellen Rublee of Harrisonburg, Va." (Sarasota Herald Tribune, 20 Jan 2008).

- + 543 ii. Paul DeWayne Rublee b. 9 Sep 1923.
- 544 iii. Madelyn Jane Rublee b. 16 Mar 1925 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,⁵³¹ d. 27 Jun 2007 in Sarasota, Sarasota Co., FL (res).³³¹ "Madelyn Jane Rublee, 82, Sarasota, formerly of Chicago, died June 27, 2007. Services will be private. Hawkins Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements. Survivors include a brother, Paul D. of Harrisonburg, Va." (Herald Tribune July 1, 2007).

383. **Elmer DeWayne "Wayne"⁵ Rublee** (Andrew F. "Tink"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 21 Feb 1900 in MN,³²⁹ d. 17 Nov 1972 in Riverside, Riverside Co., CA,³²⁹ buried in North English Cem., North English, Iowa Co., IA.⁵³² In 1940, Elmer DeWayne and Lola Rublee lived in Chicago, along with son DeWayne Fremont Rublee. Elmer's father Andrew lived with them. Brother "Jack" lived next door. On his California death record, Elmer's year of birth is given as 1901. The Social Security Death Index gives it as 1900.

He married **Alice Lobina "Lola" Strausser**, 1935 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL?,⁵³³ b. 1905 in N. English, Iowa Co., IA,⁵⁴⁰ (daughter of **Christopher Samuel Strausser** and **Mary Loretta Cheney**), d. 5 Sep 1998 in Hemet, Riverside Co., CA,⁵⁴⁰ buried in North English Cem., North English, Iowa Co., IA.⁵³⁹ Lola's name on her gravestone is given as Lola Rublee, although she had a 3rd husband, John Hindman. Her first husband, Leo Vaverka died two years after they married, from a fall. Her parents are buried in this same cemetery.

"NORTH ENGLISH - Alice Lobina Lola Rublee Hindman, 92, of Hemet, Calif, formerly of North English, died Saturday, Sept 5, 1998 in her home after a long illness. Her body was cremated. Memorial services 11 am Saturday, Sept 26 North English Christian Church by the Rev Don Ridenour. Burial of ashes: North English Cemetery. Powell Funeral Home, North English, is in charge of arrangements. Survivors include her son, DeWayne Rublee of Hindsdale, Ill; a sister, Lorean Colon of Peach Tree, Ga; and a brother Myrlin Strausser of North English." (The Gazette (Cedar Rapids, Iowa) 11 Sep 1998, Fri, page 12).

393. **Adam "Ramey"⁵ Rublee** (Harmon "Harmie" B.⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 19 Feb 1905 near Forney, Kaufman Co., TX,⁵³⁴ d. 13 Jul 1981 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,³⁸⁶ buried in Hillcrest Cem., Forney, Kaufman Co., TX.⁴¹⁷ On his birth record, his name is given as Adam. Was his name Adam Raymond, with Ramey being a nickname for Raymond? On his estate records, his name is given as Ramey Adam Rublee.

In 1930, "Raymond Rublee", lived with his mother and step-father in Precinct 2 of Kaufman Co., TX. He was married to Nellie G., age 17, born in Alabama. I cannot find him in the 1940 census.

He married (1) **Nellie "Grace" Bannister**, 6 Apr 1929 in Kaufman Co., TX,³⁸⁵ b. abt 1913 in AL (daughter of **Charles Bannister** and **Lenora Braden**), divorced 1940.

Children:

- 546 i. Charles Avery⁶ Rublee, Sgt. b. 2 Sep 1930 in Forney, Kaufman Co., TX,⁵²⁸ d. 28 Dec 1950 in North Korea, buried in Honolulu Memorial Cem., Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii. Charles was

living in Dallas, TX when he entered the service and was a Light Weapons Infantryman with Company B, 1st Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division.

"Sergeant Rublee was a member of Company B, 1st Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division. He was seriously wounded by the enemy in Korea on September 1, 1950 and returned to duty later that day. He was seriously wounded again on September 23, 1950 and returned on October 8, 1950. He was listed as Missing in Action while fighting the enemy in North Korea on December 28, 1950. He was presumed dead on December 31, 1953. For his leadership and valor, Sergeant Rublee was awarded the Silver Star, the Purple Heart with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters, the Combat Infantryman's Badge, the Korean Service Medal, the United Nations Service Medal, the National Defense Service Medal and the Republic of Korea War Service Medal." (Source: Korean War Veterans Honor Roll)

His name is inscribed on the Courts of the Missing at the Honolulu Memorial.

His mother, Grace Miller attempted to sue the United State for a payment due in the amount of \$3,502.29 by reason of his service in the United States Army. "Grace Miller, joined by her husband, is the mother of the deceased soldier. Under the provisions of 10 U.S.C.A. 868, the unpaid portion of the salary due a deceased soldier is required to be paid to the mother and father of such decedent, in equal parts. The amount so due is alleged to be \$3,502.29 which has been paid by the United States to the father, Ramey A. Rublee, and the step-mother, Mattie A. Rublee, of the deceased, the father and mother of the deceased soldier having been divorced in 1940. Plaintiff, Grace Miller, made application for the payment of one-half of said amount to her, which was denied, and thereafter, joined by her present husband, brought this suit for the amount which she alleges is due her." The suit was dismissed by the court due to lack of jurisdiction.

He married (2) **Martha Etta "Mattie" (Lowrey) Watts**, aft 1940, b. 5 Nov 1895 in TX,⁴¹⁷ d. 23 Aug 1983 in Dallas Co., TX,⁴¹⁶ buried in Hillcrest Cem., Forney, Kaufman Co., TX.⁴¹⁷

394. **Andrew "Frank"⁵ Rublee** (Harmon "Harmie" B.⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Jan 1907 near Forney, Kaufman Co., TX,⁵²⁸ d. 12 Dec 1993 in Dallas Co., TX,⁴¹⁶ buried in Hillcrest Cem., Forney, Kaufman Co., TX.⁴¹⁷ In 1920, Arcia Roach lived with her parents in Justice Precinct 2, Rockwall, Texas. She continued to live with them in the same location in 1930. In 1940, Frank and Arcia lived in Dallas, TX with Betty Lou, age 2.

He married **Arcia Selena Roach**, 21 Oct 1936 in Kaufman Co., TX, b. 17 Nov 1911 in Rockwall Co., TX (prob) (daughter of **Edward L. Roach** and **Bertha Pearl Lemley**), d. 16 Dec 1991 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁴¹⁶ buried in Hillcrest Cem., Forney, Kaufman Co., TX.

398. **Herbert Horace⁵ Rublee** (Herbert Ashton⁴, Myron³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. abt 1879 in Dunham, Missisquoi Co., QC, d. 11 Jan 1966 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada, buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁴¹⁹ Herbert apparently lived in Escondido, CA for a period of time as a young man, leaving there about 1899. A newspaper article published in the Escondido Weekly Times-Advocate on 17 Jun 1949 describes his return for a visit after a 50 year absence, along with his wife and daughter Alice.

Herbert and Alice (Woods) Rublee moved to Saskatchewan about 1912. They lived briefly in Asquith, 15 miles west of Saskatoon, before moving to Saskatoon along with Herbert's mother Alice Rublee.

"H. H. Rublee Succumbs at 86 - Herbert H. Rublee, 86, of 718 Eastlake Ave., a pioneer resident of Saskatoon, died Tuesday, in hospital. Funeral service will be at 3:30 p.m. today, from the chapel of the Saskatoon Funeral Home. The Rev. Beverley Johnston will officiate. Mr. Rublee, who was born in Dunham, Quebec, and came west to Saskatoon In 1912, was associated with the retail and wholesale business until he retired as manager of the Independent Biscuit Co., 20 years ago. He is survived by his wife, Gertrude. He was predeceased by his only daughter Alice, in 1962." (Star-Phoenix (Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada) 13 Jan 1966, Thu, page 18).

He married **Alice Gertrude "Gertie" Mills**, 7 Mar 1906 in Knowlton, Monterégie Region, QC,^{535,35} b. 23 Apr 1885 in Knowlton, Monterégie Region, QC (daughter of **Ernest Edward Mills** and **Minnie Etta Hewson**), d. 1 Jan 1973 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,⁴¹⁸ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.

Children:

- 549 i. Alice Mills⁶ Rublee b. 27 Apr 1907 in Knowlton, Monterégie Region, QC,³⁵ d. 28 Apr 1962 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada, buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁴¹⁸ Alice Rublee graduated from Victoria School, Nutana Collegiate and then the University of Saskatchewan in 1929. She was employed by the University Hospital in Saskatoon from at least 1946, first as a cashier then as assistant librarian. Eventually she became Chief Librarian. She continued to live with her parents until she died of a heart attack in 1962. She was active in her church and community, belonging to the Business and Professional Women's Club, the University Women's Club and other organizations.
- 550 ii. Ernest Herbert Rublee b. 1 Mar 1913 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,⁴¹⁸ d. 7 Feb 1914 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,⁴¹⁸ buried in Woodlawn Cem., Saskatoon, SK, Canada.⁴¹⁸

401. **Hazel Maude⁵ Rublee** (Manville Williams⁴, Myron³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 23 May 1884 in Winnipeg, Selkirk Co., MB, Canada,⁵³⁶ d. 4 May 1941 in S. San Gabriel, Los Angeles, CA,²⁸¹ buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵

She married **Jesse Theodore "Ted" Robinson**, 16 Nov 1911 in Winnipeg, Selkirk Co., MB, Canada,^{537,429} b. 26 May 1881 in Sleaford, Lincolnshire, Eng.,⁵⁴⁴ (son of **George Edward Robinson** and **Sarah Ann Raynor**), d. 17 Jun 1933 in S. San Gabriel, Los Angeles, CA,^{544,274} buried in Forest Lawn Mem. Park, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁷⁵ In 1930, the Robinsons lived in San Gabriel, Los Angeles Co., CA. They were aliens, having come to the US in 1926. Jesse was a milker on a dairy farm.

Children:

- 551 i. Clara "Patricia"⁶ Robinson b. 17 Mar 1913 in Leamington, Essex Co., ON, Canada,^{538,212} d. 30 Mar 2001 in Laguna Hills, Orange Co., CA.³³¹ Clara petitioned for naturalization on 18 Jan 1945 in Los Angeles.

She married (1) Charles B. Stuart, 21 Feb 1934 in Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵³⁹ b. 21 Nov 1910 in AL (son of _____ Stuart and Carrie Wiley), d. 31 Mar 1995 in Tulare Co., CA.²⁸¹

She married (2) James Chandler Woodward, 6 Apr 1944 in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴⁰ b. 1 Jul 1913 in Phoenix, Maricopa Co., AZ,⁵⁴¹ (son of Thomas B. Woodward and Jennie M. Trask), d. 5 May 2000 in Laguna Hills, Orange Co., CA (res).

- 552 ii. Hazel "Margaret" Robinson b. 18 Mar 1915 in Leamington, Essex Co., ON, Canada,^{545,212} d. 17 Feb 2003 in San Gabriel, Los Angeles Co., CA (res).^{281,331} Margaret H. (Robinson) Vawter petitioned for naturalization on 22 Nov 1940 in Los Angeles Co., CA.

She married Jamieson David Vawter, 3 Aug 1942 in Oceanside, San Diego Co., CA,⁵⁴⁷ b. 2 Jun 1913 in Monterey, Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴² (son of Jamieson S. Vawter and Edith E. Doyle), d. 25 Mar 1975 in Monterey Park, Los Angeles, CA (res).^{331,281}

- 553 iii. Elizabeth "Jeanette" Robinson b. 11 Sep 1917 in Leamington, Essex Co., ON, Canada,^{545,212} d. 18 Jan 1996 in Los Angeles Co., CA.²⁸¹

She married (1) Wesley Davis Haworth, 16 May 1937 in Santa Ana, Orange Co., CA,⁵⁴⁶ b. 9 Jan 1917 in Glenwood Springs, Garfield Co., CO,²¹² (son of Osrow Demond Haworth and Lillian May Rice), d. 2 Jul 1999 in Palm Springs, Riverside Co., CA (res).³³¹

She married (2) Keith Stone Conlee, 26 Apr 1941, b. 27 Apr 1909 in Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴⁹ (son of Monroe H. Conlee and Mabel Stone), d. 13 Nov 1997 in Alhambra, Los Angeles Co., CA (res),^{331,147} buried in Rose Hills Mem. Park, Whittier, Los Angeles Co., CA.⁵⁴³

- 554 iv. Ethel Geraldine "Gerry" Robinson b. 15 Mar 1919 in Leamington, Essex Co., ON, Canada,⁵⁴⁵ d. 9 Jan 1989 in San Gabriel, Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Rose Hills Mem. Park, Whittier, Los Angeles Co., CA.⁵⁵⁰

She married William Clayton Baker, 8 Sep 1937 in Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴⁶ b. 5 Apr 1916 in Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴⁹ (son of William Joseph Baker and Frances Leona Sutton), d. 15 Sep 1979 in Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Rose Hills Mem. Park, Whittier, Los Angeles Co., CA.⁵⁵⁰

- 555 v. Herbert Manville Cleland "Cle" Robinson b. 25 Dec 1920 in Leamington, Essex Co., ON, Canada,²¹² divorced bef 12 Mar 1944, d. 15 Jul 2000 in Upland, San Bernadino Co., CA,^{545,212} buried in Rose Hills Mem. Park, Whittier, Los Angeles Co., CA.⁵⁴⁵

He married (1) Genevieve Ruth Bonus, 12 Mar 1939 in Yuma, Yuma Co., AZ, b. 8 Apr 1921 in Lark, Grant Co., ND,⁵⁴⁵ (daughter of Frederick Henry Bonus and Eleanor Beatrice Leaf), d. Aug 1985 in Palmdale, Los Angeles Co., CA (res).³³¹ Genevieve Bonus and Cleland Rublee were divorced in 1944. She married second Don Rauol De Vadas.

He married (2) Carrie Jane Boergadin, 12 Mar 1944 in Santa Ana, Orange Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 9 Apr 1922 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴⁵ (daughter of Vernon Boergadin and Charlotte Dixie Frazer), d. 10 Oct 2007 in Ontario, Malheur Co., OR,³³¹ buried in Rose Hills Mem. Park, Whittier, Los Angeles Co., CA.⁵⁵⁰

406. **Clair Orson⁵ Wright** (Eunice Marion "Minnie"⁴ Rublee, Harmon A.³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 20 Dec 1878 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,^{6,490} d. 3 Aug 1939 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁶ Claire Wright

carried on the family farm in Franklin, VT. Bessie (Morgan) Wright died when her son Neal was only four years old (M. Towle, 1989, page 284).

In 1900, Claire lived in Sheldon with his brother-in-law and sister, LeRoy and Charlotte Tittermore. In 1910, Claire and Bessie and their two children lived with Bessie's parents in Franklin. In 1920, Claire and his second wife Daisy lived in Franklin. Neal, age 14 and Margaret, age 3, lived with them.

Daisy (Smith) Wright was from Canada (M. Towle, 1989, page 284). The 1920 census indicates she immigrated in 1914.

"The funeral of C. O. Wright was held Saturday at 2.30 p. m. at the home of his mother Mrs. O. T. Wright with Rev. D. G. Denle officiating. The bearers were P. H. Gates, V. C. Record, R. A. Titemore, E. L. Pierce, Otis Hefflon and G. H. Towle. There were many beautiful flowers. Those from away attending the funeral were Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright and son John and Mrs. George Wilson of Waterbury, Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Hefflon of Jamaica, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Winchester of Berkshire, Mrs. Byron Kendall and Mrs. George Phelps of Enoburg Falls, Mrs. Smith of Pigeon Hill, Que., A. S. Towle of South Franklin. (St. Albans Daily Messenger (St. Albans, Vermont) 9 Aug 1939, Wed, page 2).

He married (1) **Bessie Lyra Morgan**, 15 Jun 1904 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. cal 24 May 1882 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **Charles W. Morgan** and **Edna Wilder**), d. 16 Aug 1910 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹

Children:

- + 556 i. Neal Morgan⁶ Wright b. 10 Sep 1905.
- 557 ii. Annie Bessie Wright b. 18 May 1909 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ d. 18 Sep 1910 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹

He married (2) **Daisy May Smith**, 12 Dec 1912 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 23 May 1884 in St. Armand East, Missiquoi Co., QC,^{445,35} (daughter of **Albert Dillon Smith** and **Alexcena Wilson**), d. aft 1940.

Children:

- 558 iii. Marguerite Smith Wright b. 18 Oct 1916 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ d. 3 May 1982 in Alachua Co., FL.

She married Armand S. Roberts, 7 Mar 1936 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.³²

Generation Six

410. **Olin Merrill⁶ Jeffords** (James Morrill⁵, Pliny S.⁴, Stephen³, Rebecca² Rublee, William¹ Robblee), b. 8 Jun 1890 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 10 Oct 1964 in Rutland, Rutland Co., VT.⁷⁹ Olin Jeffords was chief justice of the Vermont Supreme Court.

He married **Marion Hausman**, 23 July 1928 in Manhattan, New York, NY,⁵⁴⁴ b. 22 Feb 1896 in Jamaica, Queens Co., NY,⁷⁹ (daughter of **Nicholas Hausman** and **Laura Smith**), d. 9 Apr 1977 in Rutland, Rutland Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Evergreen Cem., Rutland, Rutland Co., VT.⁵⁴⁵

Children:

- 559 i. Mary Helene⁷ Jeffords b. 7 Oct 1932 in Rutland, Rutland Co., VT.⁷⁹
560 ii. James Merrill Jeffords, Sen. b. 11 May 1934 in Rutland, Rutland Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ d. 18 Aug 2014 in Washington, DC. "US Senator. He graduated from Yale University in 1956 and served in the Navy from 1956 to 1959, and in the Navy Reserve until retiring as a Captain in 1990. He graduated from Harvard Law School in 1962, and practiced in Rutland. He served in local office including Shrewsbury Grand Juror, Town Agent, Zoning Administrator, Republican committee Chairman, and county Board of Property Tax Appeals Chairman. He served in the Vermont Senate from 1967 to 1969, and as Attorney General from 1969 to 1973. He ran unsuccessfully for Governor in 1972. In 1974 he won Vermont's US House seat, one of the few post-Watergate scandal wins for Republicans. He served from 1975 to 1989, and developed a reputation as a moderate who sided with Democrats on domestic policy. In 1988 he won election to the Senate, and he served from 1989 until 2007. In May 2001 he became an Independent allied with Democrats, enabling them to regain control of the Senate. Jeffords served as Chairman of the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions and the Committee on Environment and Public Works. In retirement he resided in Washington, D.C., and he died at the Knollwood military retirement facility." (Bio by Bill McKern on findagrave.com).

He married Elizabeth "Liz" Cecile Daley, 1961 and 1986 in VT, b. 10 Feb 1939 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of John J. Daley and Louise Laird), d. 13 Apr 2007 in Shrewsbury, Rutland Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Northam Cem., N. Shrewsbury, Rutland Co., VT.⁵⁴⁶

417. **Bertrand "Bert" Homer⁶ Rublee** (Alston⁵, Homer Phelps (twin)⁴, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 29 Jul 1887 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁴¹ d. 16 Apr 1956 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸⁷ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹ In 1920, 1930 and 1940, Bertrand and Minnie lived in Ellington, NY. In 1940, Minnie's mother Emma Rowley lived with them.

"Bertrand H. Rublee, 68, of Ellington, died at 8:15 A.M. Monday, April 16, 1956, in WCA Hospital. Mr. Rublee was born in Ellington July 29, 1887, the son of Alstan [sic] and Flora Herrick Rublee. Mr. Rublee, who operated a farm, was a member of Farm Bureau, the GLF, Ellington Grange and Ellington Volunteer Fire Department. Surviving are his wife, Minnie Rublee; one son, Robert Rublee of Buffalo; three grandchildren, Lawrence, Parke and Charlotte Lynn Rublee, all of Buffalo.

Friends may call at Mattison Funeral Home, Kennedy, where services will be conducted at 3 P.M. Thursday. The Rev. Lance Zavitz of Ellington Congregational Church will officiate. Burial will be in Valley View Cemetery, Ellington." (Obituary: April, 1956 News Clipping Scrapbook, Jessie Rublee -posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

He married **Minnie Miriam Rowley**, 22 Jun 1911 in Randolph, Cattaraugus Co., NY,²⁵² b. 23 Nov 1883 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of **Ernest Frank Rowley** and **Ella Mary Older**), d. 12 Oct 1958 in Millard Fillmore Hospital, Amherst, Erie Co., NY,²⁵⁹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹ "Mrs. Minnie R. Rublee, 74, formerly of Ellington, died Sunday, Oct. 12, 1958, in the Niagara-Lutheran Nursing Home in Buffalo. She was born Nov. 23, 1883, the daughter of Ernest and Ella Older Rowley. Mrs. Rublee was the wife of the late Bertrand Rublee and the mother of the late Robert M.

Rublee. Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Ernestine R. Milks of Jamestown and Mrs. Bessie M. Hayes of Miami, Fla.; one brother C. Lynn Rowley of Winter Haven, Fla., and three grandchildren.

Funeral service will be held at 2 P.M. Wednesday in the Ellington Congregational Church. Memorial gifts may be made to the Ellington Library Assn. or the Western New York Chapter of the American Cancer Society." (Obituary: October, 1958 News Clipping Scrapbook, Jessie Rublee, posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

Children:

- 561 i. Robert Vincent⁷ Rublee b. 3 Dec 1914 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{547,474} d. 3 Dec 1914 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁵⁵⁴
- 562 ii. Robert Merrill Rublee b. 25 Jan 1919 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 25 Feb 1958 in Millard Fillmore Hospital, Amherst, Erie Co., NY,²⁵⁹ buried in Forest Lawn Cem., Buffalo, Erie Co., NY.⁵⁴⁸ "Mrs. Robert Merrill Rublee, who before her marriage last evening Miss Margaret Robinson Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Rice of Eggertsville. The ceremony took place at the Rice home, the Rev. David S. MacInnes officiating. Lieut. Rublee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand H. Rublee of Ellington. The couple will make their home in Blytheville, Ark., where Lieut. Rublee is stationed." (Buffalo Courier-Express, 21 May 1944)

Robert Rublee died at age 39. In 1941, he is listed in the city directory for Buffalo, NY.

"R. M. Rublee, Insurance Official, Dies. Robert M. Rublee, 39, of 148 Roycroft Blvd., Snyder, vice-president and treasurer of the Buffalo Fire Office, general insurance agency, died yesterday at Millard Fillmore Hospital after a long illness. Prominent in various organizations, he was the first chartered property and casualty underwriter in Buffalo. He was a past president of the Buffalo Chapter of the Chartered Property and Casualty Underwriters.

Mr. Rublee was born in Ellington, near Jamestown. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1941, and was a member of the Theta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. He served as a lieutenant in the Air Force during World War II. A former vice president of the Greater Buffalo Assn. of Insurance Agents, Mr. Rublee was a member of the Casualty & Insurety Club and the Insurance Club of Buffalo. He joined the Buffalo Fire Office in 1946, after working briefly for the Socony Mobile Oil Co. in Buffalo.

A past director of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, he was the recipient of the Bredenberg Award, given each year to an outstanding director of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Rublee was an immediate past president of the trustees of Lafayette Ave. Presbyterian Church. He also had served as a deacon and elder. Past president of the Cornell Club of Buffalo, Mr. Rublee was a member of the Gyro Club; Mid-Day Club; University Club, and a past president of the Harlem Rd. School PTA. He was a former member of the Greater Buffalo Advertising Club.

He is survived by his wife, the former Margaret Rice; two sons, Clarence 11, and Parke 8; a daughter, Charlotte Lynn, 6; and his mother, Mrs. Minnie Rublee. Memorial services will be held at 4 tomorrow afternoon at Lafayette Ave. Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Paul David

Poling will officiate." (Obituary: February 26, 1958 News Clipping Scrapbook, Jessie Rublee posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com)

Note: Older son is Lawrence, not Clarence.

He married Margaret Robinson Rice, 20 May 1944 in Buffalo, Erie Co., NY,^{549,323} b. 16 Jan 1923 in Buffalo, Erie Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of Frederick H. Rice and Florence Page Robinson), buried in Forest Lawn Cem., Buffalo, Erie Co., NY, d. 29 Mar 2021 in Chapel Hill, Orange Co., NC. Margaret married second, Allen Rider. Her two husbands share a gravestone.

"Allen W. Rider, '40, of Chapel Hill, N.C., July 23, at 83. He majored in social science and social thought and was a member of Sigma Nu. During World War II, he served as a pilot in the Marine Corps. He was president and general manager of Alcor Envelope Co. in Buffalo, N.Y. His first wife, Sylvia, died in 1958. Survivors: his wife of 43 years, Margaret Rublee; six children, Lawrence, Parke and Charlotte Rublee, Richard and Janet Rider, and Debora Radke; 11 grandchildren; and his brother." (Stanford University Magazine, Jan-Feb 2003)

"Died peacefully on March 29, 2021 at Carol Woods Retirement Community, Chapel Hill, North Carolina. She was the wife of Robert M. Rublee (deceased 1958) and Allen W. Rider (deceased 2002). She was born in Buffalo, New York January 16, 1923 the daughter of Frederick H. and Florence R. Rice. A graduate of the Buffalo Seminary and Smith College, she and her husband moved to Chapel Hill from Orchard Park, New York in 1993. A lifelong Presbyterian, she was a member of the University Presbyterian Church, Chapel Hill. She was a past volunteer for Planned Parenthood, United Way, American Red Cross (all in Buffalo) and the Ronald McDonald House, Charles House, UNC Hospitals, and Carol Woods Residents Activities. She is survived by six children, Lawrence D. Rublee, Olney, MD, Parke A. Rublee, Greensboro, NC, Richard A. Rider, Bethesda, MD, Charlotte Lynn Rublee, Cambridge, MA, Deborah R. Radke, Bridgeville, PA and Janet D. Rider, DeWitt, NY. Also surviving are eleven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Remembrance gifts may be made to any of the above named organizations for whom she volunteered."

422. **Lynn Homer⁶ Rublee** (Hiram "Leroy"⁵, Homer Phelps (twin)⁴, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 30 Jun 1885 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁵⁵⁰ d. 28 Jul 1957 in Clear Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY (res),⁵⁵¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹ In 1930, the Rublees were living in Ellington. The children's ages were 17, 14, 12, 7 and 5.

"LYNN HOMER RUBLEE— Born on a Chautauqua county farm and early inducted into farming process and methods, Lynn H. Rublee chose agriculture for his life work, preparing for it as a young man by courses at the College of Agriculture, Cornell University, and learning the "Why" of the things he was doing and learning how to meet the problems which daily confront the farmer. He is a young man, but a successful one, and owns a farm in section 17, town of Cherry Creek, on the line road between Cherry Creek and Ellington. This farm he bought in 1918, and is there maintaining a fine herd of dairy cows in addition to general farming. He is a son of Leroy and Ida (Capp) Rublee, his father lives in the town of Ellington, and a farmer. Lynn Homer Rublee was born in the town of Ellington, Chautauqua county, N. Y., June 30, 1885. After completing study in Ellington Union School, he attended the New York College of Agriculture, Cornell University, there pursuing two short courses. He then returned to farming and since

1918 has devoted himself to the care and cultivation of his own farm of 120 acres in the town of Cherry Creek. He is a member of the Patrons of Husbandry, the Congregational church, and in political action independent and liberal. Mr. Rublee married May 15, 1912, in Ellington, Frances Willard Laurence, born in Ellington, April 21, 1887, daughter of Hiram P. and Mary (Hallenback) Laurence. Mr. and Mrs. Rublee are the parents of three children: Marion H., born Feb. 24, 1913; Laura M., born Aug. 23, 1916; Lawrence H., born July 28, 1918." (Source: Downs, History of Chautauqua County, New York, and its People, 1921, pp 632-3). Note that the names and birthdates for his children are not entirely accurate.

"Mrs. Frances Willard Lawrence Rublee, 74, widow of Lynn H. Rublee, died at the home of her son Roger R. Rublee, Ellington, at 2 A.M., today (Sept. 15, 1961) She was born April 21, 1887, the daughter of Hiram and Mary Hollenbeck Lawrence. Surviving are three sons, M. Homer Rublee, Cherry Creek, H. Lawrence Rublee, Kennedy, and Roger R. Rublee, Ellington; two daughters, Mrs. Laura Stevens, Winter Park, Fla., and Mrs. Ruth Page, Conewango Valley; a brother, George Lawrence, Ellington; two sisters, Mrs. Etta Wellman, Springview, Ore., and Mrs. Effie Sample, Jamestown; 22 grandchildren; and two great grandchildren. Services will be held Sunday in the Ellington Methodist Church at 2 P.M., with Rev. Richard McEntarfer, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Valley View Cemetery, Ellington. . ."

(Jamestown Post-Journal, 15 Sep 1961).

He married **Frances Willard Lawrence**, 12 May 1912 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,²⁵² b. 21 Apr 1887 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ (daughter of **Hiram P. Lawrence** and **Mary Hollenback**), d. 15 Sep 1961 in Clear Creek, Chautauqua Co., NY (res),²⁵⁹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁸⁹

Children:

- 563 i. Marvin "Homer"⁷ Rublee b. 24 Feb 1914 in Poland, Chautauqua Co., NY,²¹² d. 9 Nov 1989 in Ocala, Marion Co., FL.⁴⁰⁴ "Three members of a family were burned, one severely, and the kitchen of their home was destroyed in a kerosene explosion at about 2:30 P.M. Sunday, on the Ellington-Cherry Creek Town Line Road. Linda Rublee, 11, was reported in "fair" condition at Jamestown General Hospital with second degree burns of the arms, legs and face. Her sister, Kathleen, 4, was also in "fair" condition at the hospital with burns of the face and right hand, and their father, Homer Rublee, 42, was in "fair" condition at W.C.A. Hospital with burns about the face, and burns and scratches on his hands. Mr. Rublee was credited with saving both of the girls. Mrs. Wilma Rublee and the other six children in the family escaped unharmed.

Ramona Rublee, 14, oldest of the children, told The Post-Journal that she, Linda and their father were in the kitchen, while the other members of the family were in the adjoining dining and living rooms of their seven-room house. Linda, opening a bag of potato Chios, spilled them on the floor, and while sweeping them up, overturned and broke a glass kerosene tank, and the oil spread over the kitchen floor. Mr. Rublee told Ramona to go to the woodshed, adjoining the kitchen, a turn off the oil tank which supplied a hot water heater in the kitchen. The girl said that she turned off the tank, and was about to reenter the kitchen when the room burst into flames. Linda was trapped in a far corner of the kitchen by the flames. Mr. Rublee, who was in an archway between the kitchen and dining room, was burned when he crossed the room and carried the girls from the house. Ramona escaped through the woodshed, and other members of the family fled through the dining room door.

When it was discovered that Kathleen was still in the burning house, Mr. Rublee broke a living room window and reentered the house twice before he found her and carried her out.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Rublee returned twice to carry out their Chihuahua dog, which later died of smoke. Harold Peters, Cherry Creek constable, drove Mr. Rublee to W.C.A. Hospital, and Howard Carver, Conewango Valley, drove the two injured girls to General Hospital. Later, Mrs. Rublee and all other members of the family except Ramona went to the General Hospital. The children are Ramona, Linda, Kathleen, Mary, 10, LeRoy, 8, Suzanne, 7, Daniel, 3, and Deborah, 1 1/2.

The alarm was turned in by a neighbor, Lyle Oakes, who said his children, playing outside, ran in and told him the Rublee home was afire. The Cherry Creek Fire Department, headed by Howard Mowry, chief, responded to the alarm with two engines and about 25 men. Shortly after 3 P.M. Conewango was called for water, and that department, led by Chief E. Lee Harrison, responded with a tank truck and pumper, with about 15 men. Firemen were able to confine the principal damage to the kitchen. Other first floor rooms were scorched, and damaged by smoke and water, and flames traveled up an outside partition over the kitchen, damaging a bedroom wall and charring portions of the attic. Chief Mowry estimated damage to the house at \$3,000. It was expected that the family would stay with neighbors, and with relatives in Jamestown and Kennedy. The school age children are pupils at Pine Valley Central School. The Rublee family had owned their 160-acre farm for about nine years, moving there from Mud Creek. They have about 40 head of dairy cattle, including calves. Mr. Rublee had been laid off about three weeks ago from his employment in a Jamestown metal plant." (Jamestown Post-Journal, 4 Apr 1955)

Homer and Wilma Rublee were killed in an automobile accident caused by a drunk driver (Markey, Donna. Personal Correspondence).

"Homer Rublee, 76, and his wife, Wilma E. Rublee, 68, of Summerfield, Fla. died Thursday, Nov. 9, 1989 as the result of an automobile accident. Mr. Rublee, a long-time resident of Cherry Creek and Ashville before retiring to Florida, was formerly a farmer and had retired from Watsons Manufacturing in Jamestown. A native of Randolph, Mrs. Rublee had lived in Cherry Creek and Ashville before moving to Summerfield. She had been employed by Marlin Rockwell Corp. as part of the Canteen Crew.

Mr. and Mrs. Rublee were active members of Belleview First Baptist Church and the Senior Citizens Club in Lakewood. Mr. Rublee is survived by two sons: Le Roy Rublee, Jamestown; Daniel Rublee, Falconer; eight daughters: Ramona Rublee, Kennedy; Lynda Hermitage, Tenn.; Mary Heeter, Sumpter, S.C., Suzanne Jackson, Frewsburg; Kathleen Rublee, Jamestown; Debbie Jo Lingenfelter, Sinclairville; Jeanine Rublee, Gerry; two brothers, Lawrence Rublee, Kennedy; Roger Rublee, Randolph; two sisters, Laura Stevens, Winter Park, Fla.; Ruth Page, Falconer; 32 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her ten children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Mrs. Rublee is survived by her mother Mrs. Edith R. Williamson, Ashville; two brothers: William Williamson, North Fort Myers, Fla.; Raymond Williamson, Ashville." (The Randolph Register, 6 Dec 1989)

The Rublee family has a fire in their Cherry Creek home in 1955; this is reported in the 4 April 1955 edition of the Buffalo Courier-Express.

He married Wilmah E. Williamson, 1 Jun 1939 in Leon, Cattaraugus Co., NY,³²³ b. 22 Jan 1921 in Randolph, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of Raymond V. Williamson and Edith R. Whitmore), d. 9 Nov 1989 in Ocala, Marion Co., FL.^{331,404}

- 564 ii. Laura Mae Rublee b. 23 Aug 1915 in Poland, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 21 Jan 2008 in Winter Park, Orange Co., FL, buried in Glen Haven Memorials, Winter Park, FL.⁵⁵² "Laura M. Rublee Stevens, 92, born Aug. 23, 1915, in Cherry Creek, N.Y., long-time resident of Winter Park, widow of Winter Park home-builder L. E. Stevens, died at home on Monday, Jan. 21, 2008. She is survived by her son, D. L. Stevens (Ranita) of Orlando, her daughter, Donna Markey (George) of Orlando, and her daughter, Patti Walsh (Rick) of Maitland, as well as seven grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren; and a brother, Roger Rublee of Randolph, N.Y. A memorial service was held Jan. 29 in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Orlando, Fla. Interment was in Glen Haven Memorial Park". (Post-Journal on-line, 2/6/2008).

She married Leonard Eugene Stevens, 12 Feb 1937 in NY,³²³ b. 29 Apr 1910 in Steamburg, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (son of Deforest Aruni Stevens and Iva Lewis), d. 12 Aug 1987 in Winter Park, Orange Co., FL,⁸¹ buried in Glen Haven Memorials, Winter Park, FL.⁵⁵⁹ L. E. Stevens came from NY to FL in 1946 and built a successful business as a building contractor. (Markey, Donna).

- 565 iii. Herman "Lawrence" "Mike" Rublee b. 26 Jul 1917 in Conewago, Cattaraugus Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 21 Apr 2004 in Kennedy, Chautauqua Co., NY.³³¹ H. Lawrence Rublee. April 22, 2004. A lifelong area resident, he was born July 26, 1917, in the town of Conewago, the son of Lynn and Frances Lawrence Rublee.

He was a 1936 graduate of Cherry Creek High School and had served in the U.S. Army from 1940 to 1945 with Company A, Signal Battalion, in the European Theatre during World War II. He had operated Rublee's Garage in Waterboro and later in Levant for many years. In his retirement, he had a bait and maple syrup business in Kennedy.

He was a member of the Kennedy United Methodist Church, where he had served as a trustee, was a member of the Samuel Derby Post 556, American Legion in Frewsburg, a charter member of the Cherry Creek Veterans of Foreign Wars, and a former member of the Kennedy Fire Department and the Randolph Moose.

He was a devoted husband, who was very proud of his children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, his daughters-in-law, Ann and Mary, and his sons-in-law, Norman and Barrett.

He is survived by his wife, Janice Ayling Rublee, whom he married Sept. 15, 1946, in the Gerry Methodist Church; two sons: Lawrence J. Rublee of Indiana, Pa., and David Rublee of

Frewsburg; three daughters: Ronda Rublee of Marietta, Ohio, Marlene Murphy of Reno, Ohio, and Laurel Hoch of Ellington; nine grandchildren: Michael Rublee of Frewsburg, Christopher Rublee and Lynda Fay, both of Corry, Pa., Nicholas and Andrew Murphy, both of Reno, Ohio, Jennifer Booth of Jamestown, Michelle, Amy and Timothy Hoch, all of Ellington; four great-grandchildren; a brother, Roger Rublee of Randolph; and a sister, Laura Stevens of Winter Park, Fla.

He was preceded in death by a brother, M. Homer Rublee; and a sister, Ruth Page.

The funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Falconer Funeral Home. The Rev. Violet A. Davidson, pastor of the Kennedy United Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Valley View Cemetery, Ellington. (2013 The Times Observer).

He married Janice Jae Ayling, 14 Sep 1946 in Gerry, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{553,323} b. 20 Jun 1922 in Charlotte, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of Clarence Leroy Ayling and Ruth Catherine Pattysen), d. 21 Jan 2016 in Gerry, Chautauqua Co., NY. "Janice A. Rublee, 93, formerly of 614 Second St., Kennedy passed away Thursday (January 21, 2016) in Heritage Village Rehab and Skilled Nursing, Gerry. A lifelong area resident she was born June 20, 1922 in Sinclairville, the daughter of the late Clarence L. and Ruth Pattysen Ayling. Janice was a 1940 graduate of Falconer High School and attended Jamestown Business College. In earlier years she was employed at Jamestown Mutual Insurance, First National Bank of Jamestown and prior to retirement by Uniguard Insurance Company. She was a member of the Kennedy United Methodist Church and had served as secretary, was a member of the church choir and directed the junior choir for many years. Janice was a founding member of the Kennedy Free Library, having served as secretary and founding member of Kennedy Pride. She was also a member of the Samuel Derby Post 556, American Legion Auxiliary, Ellicott Chapter of DAR, Randolph Moose and volunteered at WCA Hospital. Janice always put her family first and made many sacrifices for her husband and children.

Surviving are two sons: Lawrence J. (Patti) Rublee of Warren, PA and David (Ann) Rublee of Frewsburg; three daughters: Ronda Rublee, Marlene (Barry) Murphy all of Marietta, OH, Laurel (Norman) Hoch of Ellington; nine grandchildren: Michael Rublee of Frewsburg, Christopher Rublee of Columbus, PA, Lynda Nuttall of Sugar Grove, PA, Nicholas and Andrew Murphy both of Marietta, Jennifer Brooks of Falconer, Michelle Hoch of Hilton, NY, Amy Koers of Russell, PA, Timothy Hoch of Falconer and eleven great grandchildren."

- 566 iv. Ruth Irene Rublee b. 2 Dec 1922 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 7 Sep 1991 in Falconer, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁸¹ buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY.⁹¹

She married Nelson Henry Page, 2 Oct 1940 in Salamanca, Cattaraugus Co., NY,³²³ b. 23 Jun 1920 in Poland, Chautauqua Co., NY,^{212,474} (son of Marion Page and Mary M. Higley), d. 27 Mar 2004 in Hocking, Hocking Co., OH,⁴⁸⁷ buried in South Vienna Cem., S. Vienna, Hocking Co., OH.⁵⁵⁴

- 567 v. Roger Roy Rublee b. 8 Apr 1925 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 14 Sep 2015 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY, buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co.,

NY.⁹¹ "Roger R. Rublee, Ellington, is executor and legatee in the will of his father Frances [sic] Rublee, Town of Ellington, who died Sept 15, 1961. Other legatees In the estate estimated at \$1,000 and up in both real and personal property, are two other sons and two daughters, H. Lawrence Rublee, Kennedy; M. Homer Rublee, Cherry Creek; Laura Stevens, Winter Park, Fla; and Ruth Page, Conewango Valley."

"Jamestown, NY - Roger R. Rublee, 90, of the Lutheran Home and Rehab Center, formerly of Ellington and Randolph, passed away, Monday, September 14, 2015 in WCA Hospital. Mr. Rublee was born April 8, 1925 in Ellington, NY, the son of the late Lynn and Frances Lawrence Rublee. He was a 1943 graduate of the former Cherry Creek High School. Following High School, he served in the United States Army during WWII from March 28, 1945 to November 29, 1946, where he was a Supply Clerk with a rank of Sgt. in Okinawa, Japan. Roger spent most of his life on the Rublee family Dairy Farm and had also worked for the former Agway Petroleum in Leon and for the Chautauqua County Department of Public Works. Roger was a well known athlete in his youth and was an exceptional basketball player in high school and with the Chautauqua County basketball league. Roger loved his family dearly and is survived by his wife of 65 years, Gladys Anderson Rublee, whom he married May 6, 1950 in Ellington, three sons; Dale Rublee and wife Brigetta of New York City, NY, Dana Rublee and wife Julie of Little Valley and Darrell Rublee and wife Rev. Mary G. Rublee of Honeoye falls, NY., six grandchildren; Robin Foster, Melissa Shawley, Rick Rublee, Benjamin Rublee, Kim Rublee and Jonathan Rublee and 7 seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by four siblings; Homer Rublee, H. Lawrence Rublee, Laura Stevens and Ruth Page. The family will receive friends on Sunday from 5-8 P.M. in the Van Rensselaer & Son Funeral Home 14 Church St. Randolph, from where funeral services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Monday (September 21, 2015). His daughter-in-law, Rev. Mary G. Rublee, pastor of the Honeoye Falls United Methodist Church will officiate. Burial will be in the Valley View Cemetery in Ellington. Military Honors will be conducted at the Funeral Home by the Randolph American Legion Post 181."

He married Gladys Lorraine Anderson, 6 May 1950 in Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY,³²³ b. 14 May 1929 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of Emmons E. Anderson and Gertrude Sweet), d. 18 Sep 2018 in Jamestown, Chautauqua Co., NY, buried in Valley View Cem., Ellington, Chautauqua Co., NY. "JAMESTOWN , N.Y. — Gladys Rublee, 89, of the Lutheran Home and Rehab Center, formerly of Ellington and Randolph, passed away, Tuesday, Sept. 18, 2018, in the home.

Mrs. Rublee was born May 14, 1929, in Jamestown, the daughter of the late Emmons and Gertrude Sweet Anderson.

Gladys and her late husband Roger spent most of their life on the Rublee family dairy farm in Ellington. She was a home maker and had worked for 21 years as a teacher's aide for Falconer Central School at both the Kennedy and Ellington schools, retiring in 1991.

Gladys attended the East Randolph United Methodist Church and formerly attended the Ellington United Methodist Church. She was the past treasurer for the Farmen Free Library

and Ellington Town Historian in Ellington. She enjoyed spending time with her family and flower gardening.

She is survived by three sons: Dale Rublee and wife, Brigetta of New York City, Dana Rublee and wife, Julie of Little Valley, N.Y., and Darrell Rublee and wife, the Rev. Mary G. Rublee of Honeoye falls, N.Y.; six grandchildren: Robin Foster, Melissa Shawley, Rick Rublee, Benjamin Rublee, Kim Masone and Jonathan Rublee; and eight greatgrandchildren. She is additionally survived by two brothes: Allan Anderson of Pittsford, N.Y., and James (Marcia) Anderson of South Dayton, N.Y., and Florida.

Gladys was preceded in death by her husband, Roger R. Rublee, who she married May 6, 1950, in Ellington and who preceded her on Sept. 14, 2015; her parents, Emmons and Gertrude; step-mother, Izola Reynolds Anderson,; a sister, Janice Anderson Young; and a sister-in-law, Polly Anderson.

The family will receive friends on Thursday (Oct. 4, 2018) from 4-6 p.m., in the Van Rensselaer & Son Funeral Home, 14 Church St., Randolph, from where funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday (Oct. 5, 2018). Her daughter-in-law, the Rev. Mary G. Rublee will officiate. Burial will be in the Valley View Cemetery in Ellington."

430. **Guy Leroy⁶ Rubelee** (Walter "William" Rublee or⁵, Rollin "Rolly" Luman⁴ Rublee, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 7 Jan 1897 in Bridge Creek, Eau Claire Co., WI,⁴⁵³ d. 15 Sep 1996 in Phoenix, Maricopa Co., AZ (res),³³¹ buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.²⁵⁴ Guy Rubelee lived in Harrison, AR when he registered for the draft in 1917-18. In 1920, "Leroy Rublee", born about 1896 in WI, lived with wife Elsie in Mitchell, Davison, SD, with an infant daughter of 10 months. In 1940, Guy and "Billie" Rubelee lived in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.

He married **Elsie Edith "Billie" Buell**, 4 Aug 1919 in Lawrence Co., MO,¹⁷⁵ b. 18 Sep 1900 in Lagrande, Union Co., OR,²¹² (daughter of **John R. Buell** and **Leona C. Mason**), d. 26 Feb 1995 in Phoenix, Maricopa Co., AZ (res),³³¹ buried in Grubb Springs Cem., Harrison, Boone Co., AR.²⁵⁴

431. **Victor Dewey⁶ Rubelee** (Walter "William" Rublee or⁵, Rollin "Rolly" Luman⁴ Rublee, Rollin "Rolli"³, William² Rubblee, William¹ Robblee), b. 17 May 1898 in Thorp, Clark Co, WI,^{241,133} d. 26 Apr 1988 in Winfield, Cowley Co., KS, buried in Mount Moriah Cem., Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.⁵⁵⁵ Victor Rubelee lived in Harrison, Boone Co., Arkansas when he registered for the draft in 1918. His father, listed as next of kin, lived in the same town. In 1920, Clarice lived with her parents in Joplin, Jasper, MO.

In 1930, Victor lived in Washington, Jackson, MO with his wife Ruby, age 30, born in IL and son William, age 6, born in Missouri. Victor was a postal clerk. Based on a variety of information, I am concluding that the name Ruby was entered in error, and that Victor had only wife, Clarice. In 1940, Victor and Clarice lived in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.

"Victor D Rubelee, 89, Winfield, Kan., formerly of Kansas City died April 26, 1988 at a hospital in Winfield. He was bom in Thorp, Wis. also lived in Harrison, Ark. and lived in Kansas City for 63 years before moving to Winfield in 1986. Mr. Rubelee was a clerk at the Kansas City Main Post Office for 42 years before he retired. Earlier he worked for the Missouri & North Arkansas Railroad and the Kansas City Public Service

Co. He was a member of the East Gate Masonic Lodge and Ararat Shrine. Survivors include his wife Clarice C Rubelee of the home, a son William C Rubelee, DeSoto Texas; a daughter Dorothy Wood, Winfield; a brother Guy LeRoy Rubelee Phoenix Ariz.; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Services will be at 1 pm Friday at the Hinton Chapel, burial in Mount Moriah Cemetery. Friends may call from 7 to 9 pm today at the chapel where Masonic services will be at 7:30 pm. (The Kansas City Times (Kansas City, Missouri) 28 Apr 1988, Thu, page 40)

"Clarice Calvert Rubelee, 92, Wichita, formerly of Kansas City died June 4, 1992 at a Wichita hospital. Services will be at 11 am Monday at the Hinton Chapel; burial in Mount Moriah Cemetery. Friends may call from 5 to 7 pm Sunday at the chapel. The family requests no flowers and suggests contributions to the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. Mrs. Rubelee was bom in Russellville, Ill and lived in Arkansas and Joplin, Mo. before moving to Kansas City in the early 1920s. She moved to Winfield, Kan in 1985 and to Derby, Kan in 1988. She moved to Wichita in May 1992. She was a past president of the Innercity, Kansas City and Raytown garden clubs. She was a member of the Kansas City Wild Flower Club. She attended the Southeast Presbyterian Church, Kansas City. Survivors include a son William C. Rubelee, De Soto, Texas; a daughter Dorothy R. Wood, Wichita; a sister Grace Moore, Joplin; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren." (The Kansas City Star (Kansas City, Missouri) 6 Jun 1992, Sat, page 37).

He married **Clarice Fleeta Calvert**, 30 Jan 1923 in Jackson Co., MO,¹⁷⁵ b. 9 Sep 1899 in Westport, Lawrence County, IL,²¹² (daughter of **Frank Metz Calvert** and **Elizabeth Hulda Flory**), d. 4 Jun 1992 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO?,³³¹ buried in Mount Moriah Cem., Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.⁵⁶³

436. **Ednah Spicer⁶ Rublee** (Charles Clark⁵, Chauncey Moore⁴, Luman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 20 Oct 1877 in Waterbury, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 28 Nov 1942 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT.⁷⁹ The birth record lists Edna's name as Mand A. Rublee. However, there is a marriage record for Edna S. Rublee with the same date of birth. Her name is seen spelled Edna and Ednah.

Walter and Edna were known affectionately as "Eben" and "Jo" after characters in a play in which they both performed when young (Palmer, Cindy).

"Yesterday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Rublee on Main Street, occurred the marriage of Walter M. Sargent and Miss Edna S. Rublee, both of this place. . . . She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Emilie C. Rublee as bride's maid, who wore white figured silk muslin over blue. Hon. F. G. Fleetwood, Sec'y of State, acted as best man. The happy couple left in the evening for a short wedding trip to Quebec, and from there will go to Island Pond for a short stay with the groom's brother, Dr. Howard Sargent.

Mr. Sargent is one of Morrisville's rising young businessmen. He is a native of Stowe but came here to school and after graduating entered the Union Savings Bank & Trust Co., where he still remains and at present is its teller.

Miss Rublee has always lived here in town and is the second daughter of Dr. C. C. Rublee. She graduated from People's Academy in '96, since which time she has taught in this school, first in the primary grades and later as assistant to Prof. Beebe.

Mr. and Mrs. Sargent will return from their wedding trip about Nov. 1st, when they will be at home to their many friends at the home of Mrs. B. O. Shaw on Wolcott street. Morrisville people are to be congratulated on having these young people remain here in town. The presents were many and beautiful. We extend our most hearty congratulations.

Those present from out of town were Mrs. Babcock of Montpelier, Miss Marrs of Barre, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Sargent of Stowe, and Mrs. W. J. Bigelow of Burlington." (News and citizen (Morrisville, Vt.) 14 Oct. 1903)

"MORRISVILLE, Nov. 29. Mrs. Ednah Rublee Sargent, wife of Walter M. Sargent, Sr., died Saturday morning at the Copley hospital. Mrs. Sargent was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Rublee of this village. She was born in Waterbury and received her education in Morrisville, where she graduated from the public schools and Peoples academy. Following her graduation, she taught here in the first grade and later in the academy. On Oct. 13, 1903, she was married to Walter M. Sargent, Sr., and has spent her whole life in this town. She was a member of the Universalist church and had served as treasurer for many years. She also was a member of Louise M. Slocum class. She is survived by her husband; one son, Walter M. Sargent, Jr.; one sister, Mrs. Emily Rublee Palmer; two small grandchildren, all of this place; two nieces and one nephew. Funeral services will be held at the Sargent home on Park st. Monday afternoon at 2. Interment will be in the family lot at Pleasant View cemetery." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 30 Nov 1942, Mon, page 13)

"WALTER M.SARGENT SR PROMINENT LOCAL BANKER DIES TUESDAY JULY 29 -- Walter M. Sargent, Sr. died Tuesday morning July 29 at the Copley Hospital where he had been a patient for twenty-five months. He was the son of Jackson and Candine Harlow Sargent and was born in Stowe December 27 ,1874. He attended schools in Stowe and then came to Morrisville to attend Peoples Academy where he was graduated in 1896. He immediately entered the Union Savings Bank and Trust where he was employed during his life until ill health forced him to retire. He was teller, then treasurer for several years before becoming president in 1950.

On October 13, 1903 he married Miss Edna Rublee daughter of Dr, C. C. Rublee, a local physician. Mrs. Sargent died November 29, 1942

In addition to his banking duties, he was a partner in the H. A. Smalley Company, a company that sold horses before the coming of the automobile. Mr. Sargent also dealt in mortgages and sold War Bonds. In 1935, he was president of the Vermont Bankers Association. He was also president of the Copley Hospital and a member and trustee of the Universalist Church. He was a member of the Mt. Vernon Lodge No. F and A M and a member of the Morristown Historical Society. His hobby was fishing from which sport he derived a great amount of pleasure.

He is survived by his son Walter M. Sargent, Jr., four grandchildren Richard, Sue, Mary Jo and John Sargent and nieces and nephews. He leaves three sisters-in-law, Mrs. Emilie Palmer who has been at the Sargent home on Park street for fifteen years; Mrs. Christina Foster of Morrisville and Mrs. Florence Rublee of Elliot, Maine.

The funeral was held Thursday the Universalist Church, Rev. Frank Stockwell officiating. The bearers were Oscar Mudgett, Oscar Churchill, Edward J. Welch, Wallace Peck, Erle Foster and Lionel Melcher. Sacred

music was played on the organ preceding and following the service by Mrs. Myra Waite. The beautiful floral tributes were a testimony of esteem for the deceased. Interment was in the family lot in Pleasant View Cemetery." (News and Citizen (Morrisville, Vermont) 31 Jul 1958, Thu, page 8).

She married **Walter Merrill "Sarge" Sargent**, 15 Oct 1903 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT,³² b. 27 Dec 1874 in Stowe, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **Jackson Sargent** and **Caroline "Carrie" M. Harlow**), d. 29 Jul 1958 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT, buried in Pleasant View Cem., Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁷⁹

Children:

- 573 i. **Walter Merrill⁷ Sargent, Jr.** b. 9 May 1909 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ d. 22 Nov 2000 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT.⁷⁹ "WALTER MERRILL SARGENT MORRISVILLE -- Walter Merrill Sargent, 91, of Morrisville died peacefully at his home Wednesday, Nov. 22, 2000. He was born in Morrisville on May 9, 1909. Walter "Sarge" attended Peoples Academy, graduating in 1926. After high school, he attended the University of Vermont, graduating in 1931. A member of the UVM Boulder Society and the Green and Gold, he was Inducted into the UVM Athletic Hall of Fame in 1978 for his achievements in three sports, baseball, tennis and basketball. His UVM baseball pitching record of 44 consecutive scoreless innings still stands today. After graduation, he returned to Morrisville and began employment at the union Bank as a teller and custodian. In 1975, he became the bank's president and served in that capacity until retirement in 1979. Walter had been a member of the Board of Directors of the Union Bank for many years. Drafted into the U.S. Navy during World War II, he was stationed in Le Havre, France, from 1944 to 1946. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion. In 1937, he married Dorothy Doerfler, who predeceased him in 1971. He married Stella Bialecki in 1972. Walter was a charter member of the Copley Country Club, and for many years he enjoyed golf and creating his famed fish chowder for the Men's Twilight League annual banquet. He had been on numerous civic boards and organizations in Morrisville including trustee for the Copley Fund; auditor, Copley Hospital Building Fund; village trustee, and Morristown Planning Commission. He was an active member of the Puffer United Methodist Church for more than 50 years. Walter is survived by his wife, Stella; his son, Richard and his wife, Heather, and their children, Alex, Nickolas, Timothy, and Zachary; his daughter, Sue; his son, John and his wife, Caroline McKinney; and his daughter, Mary Jo and her husband, Daniel Davis, and their children, Stephanie, Margaret, and Beth; his son, Paul and his wife, Thanh, and their child, Joshua; and his daughter, Katherine. Visiting hours will be held Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the White-Feiss Funeral Home, Brooklyn Street, Morrisville. A funeral service will be held in the Puffer United Methodist Church in Morrisville on Saturday, Nov. 25, 2000, at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in his memory to the Lamoille Home Health and Hospice, 54 Farr Ave., Morrisville, Vt. 05661." (Burlington Free Press, 25 Nov 2000).

He married (1) **Dorothy Jean Doerfler**, 11 Sep 1937 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. abt 1914 in Yonkers, Westchester Co., NY,⁴⁴⁵ (daughter of **William J. Doerfler** and **Josephine Camp**), d. 26 Jul 1971 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Pleasant View Cem., Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁷⁹
He married (2) [LIVING]

437. **Emilie Clark⁶ Rublee** (Charles Clark⁵, Chauncey Moore⁴, Luman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 20 Dec 1881 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 17 Sep 1970 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Pleasant View Cem., Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT.⁷⁹

She married **Bloomfield Arlington or Arland Palmer**, 14 Oct 1903 in Hartford, Windsor Co., VT, b. 10 Aug 1874 in Hinesburg, Chittenden Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **David E. Palmer** and **Carrie E. Ellis**), d. 1 Jan 1924 in St. Johnsbury, Caledonia Co., VT.⁷⁹ At the time of Marguerite's birth in Hartford, VT, Bloomfield Palmer was a stationmaster. Mr. Palmer died when his children were still young. His wife Emily supported the family through her job as a buyer for a store in St. Johnsbury, VT. (Palmer, Cindy).

On his birth certificate, Bloomfield's middle name is given as Arlington. On his WWI draft registration, it is given as Arland. His son's name is Arland.

"This afternoon at five o'clock Mr. Bloomfield A. Palmer of Wilder, Vt., was united in marriage to Miss Emilie C. Rublee of this place, at the home of the bride's father, Dr. C. C. Rublee. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Palmer go to Quebec, where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Sargent and before their return will visit the groom's home at Mystic, P.Q., and friends in Burlington, after which they will be at home in Wilder.

Mr. Palmer is a wide-awake young railroad man and was for a number of years employed in the station at this place and while here he made many friends. About two years ago he was given the charge of the station at Wilder, a position which he now holds. Miss Rublee is the youngest daughter of Dr. C. C. Rublee. She is one of Morrisville's most popular young ladies and her departure from town will be regretted by everyone. She has for several years been employed by Geo. P. Drowne & Co. and during the past year has acted as cashier. . . ." (News and citizen (Morrisville, Vt.) 14 Oct. 1903)

"B. A. PALMER DEAD

Bloomfield A. Palmer, one of the leading business men of St. Johnsbury, died Jan. 1 of this year after a long illness. The funeral was held Thursday and was private, with burial at Morrisville.

The St. Johnsbury Caledonian last week printed the following one day last week:

Bloomfield Arian Palmer was the oldest son of David E. and Carrie Ellis Palmer of Wilder and was born in Hinesburg, Aug. 10, 1874. He attended in early boyhood the schools of his native town, later was in school in St. Johns. P. Q., and completed his education at the Burlington Business College. College. He followed the railroad business for a number of years, beginning his career at Morrisville. Later he was station agent and telegraph operator in Wilder and in North Hatley. His warm friendliness, his interest in those about him and his conscientious attention to every detail of duty made him one of the popular railroad men in the division.

With his brother, Cecil A. Palmer, Mr. Palmer came to St. Johnsbury 30 years ago and established the business of Palmer Brothers. The splendid success of the undertaking was due in large part to the personality of the two men who quickly made a place for themselves in the civil life of St. Johnsbury. Mr. Palmer joined the North Congregational Church by letter, he was president for two years of the Brotherhood and a leader in many lines of church activities. An ardent out-of-door man, Mr. Palmer was

practically the organizer of the Winter Sports Club and directed its destinies through its first, difficult years. He was prominently connected with the St. Johnsbury Commercial Club and other organizations.

Oct. 14, 1903, Mr. Palmer married Miss Emilie Rublee of Morrisville, who survives him with two children, Marguerite, 10, and Arland, 11. He leaves also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Palmer of Wilder; his brother and business associate Cecil A. Palmer of St. Johnsbury; Miss Lillian Palmer of Wilder; Raymond Palmer of St. Albans; Lawrence Palmer of Wilder; Miss C. Augusta Palmer of Wilder; Enid, wife of Clyde Locke of Buffalo, N. Y.; and Nita, wife of Ray Howard of Piermont, N. H. With the exception of Mrs. Locke and Mrs. Howard, the brothers and sisters are all here and accompanied the family to Morrisville. Mrs. Palmer's brothers and sisters, Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Rublee of Rochester, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sargent of Morrisville, are also here." (News and Citizen, 9 Jan 1924)

"Mrs. Emilie R. Palmer, 88, of Burlington died Thursday at a local hospital after a long illness. She was born in Morrisville Dec. 20, 1881, the daughter of Dr. Charles and Kate (Spicer) Rublee. Mrs. Palmer was married Oct 14, 1903, to Bloomfield A. Palmer of Wilder, who died in 1924. She attended Morrisville elementary schools and Peoples Academy and was a graduate of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N.Y. St. Johnsbury was her home for many years, and in 1945 she returned to Morrisville. Mrs. Palmer was a member of the First Congregational Church in Morrisville, a charter member of the Unity Club and the Morrisville Women's Club. She was a past worthy matron of Eastern Star in Hartford and a member of Coral Chapter, OES, in Morrisville. Mrs. Palmer leaves one son, Arland R. Palmer of Burlington, with whom she lived for the past several years; two grandsons, a great-granddaughter, a niece and a nephew. Her only daughter, Marguerite R. Birch, died in 1943. A private service for the family will be held at the Pleasant View Cemetery, Morrisville, at 2 p.m. Sunday with the Rev. Robert Langtry officiating. In lieu of flowers friends may contribute to the Copley Hospital Fund, Morrisville. Corbin Palmer in charge of arrangements." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 18 Sep 1970, Fri, page 8).

Children:

- 574 i. Stillborn Daughter⁷ Palmer b. 8 Mar 1906 in Hartford, Windsor Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ d. 8 Mar 1906 in Hartford, Windsor Co., VT.¹⁶⁸
- 575 ii. Marguerite Ruth Palmer b. 1 Nov 1907 in Hartford, Windsor Co., VT,¹⁶⁸ d. 6 Jul 1944 in Hartford, Hartford Co., CT,⁵⁵⁶ buried in Walnut Grove Cem., Meriden, New Haven Co., CT.⁵⁶⁷
"Mrs. Marguerite Ruth (Palmer) Birch of 132 Orange Street, Meriden, was born November 1, 1907 in St. Johnsbury, Vermont, daughter of Vermont natives Emilie (Rublee) and Bloomfield Arland Palmer. She was found dead at the circus grounds after the fire on July 6, and was buried at Walnut Grove Cemetery in Meriden after services at the Flatow Funeral Home. Mrs. Birch attended the circus with her children, Arland and Shirley Ann Birch, who were also victims of the fire. Marguerite is survived by her husband Lawrence E. Birch, who works at the family business, Birch Laundry in Meriden; her mother Emilie Palmer of Vermont; and her brother Arland Palmer, 31.

Body #1567 at the State Armory was identified on July 7 as Marguerite Birch by a relative. On her body was found three rings. Mrs. Birch's estate was awarded \$9,500 by the arbitration board. " (<http://www.circusfire1944.com/birch-marguerite.html>).

She married Lawrence Edward Birch, 30 Aug 1930 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 3 May 1904 in Meriden, New Haven Co., CT,⁴⁴⁵ (son of Edward H. Birch and Alice Roebuck), d. Aug 1958.³³¹

- 576 iii. Arland Rublee Palmer b. 7 Nov 1912 in Hartford, Windsor Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ d. 23 Jan 1993 in Port Richey, Pasco Co., FL (res),³³¹ buried in South Hero Cem., South Hero, Grand Isle Co., VT.⁵⁵⁷ Arland Palmer graduated from St. Johnsbury (VT) Academy. He met his future wife when they were both students at the academy. He graduated from Northeastern University. The Palmers lived first in Boston; they eventually settled in Morrisville. Mr. Palmer was the manager of the C. H. Dana Co. in Hyde Park, VT. He was very active in scouting. In 1964, the Palmers moved to Burlington, where Mr. Palmer was director of the Burlington Community Chest (later the United Way). (Palmer, Cindy).

He married Jean Winnifred Adams, 24 Jun 1939 in W. Roxbury, Suffolk Co., MA, b. 16 Jun 1916 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA (daughter of Edward Adams and Winnifred Taylor), d. 19 Oct 2012 in Plant City, Hillsborough Co., FL (res), buried in South Hero Cem., South Hero, Grand Isle Co., VT.⁵⁶⁸

438. **George Clark⁶ Rublee, M.D.** (Charles Clark⁵, Chauncey Moore⁴, Luman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Mar 1883 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 31 Mar 1937 at sea on S. S. Birmingham.²³⁶ George Rublee was a country doctor in Wolcott, VT. He was known by family members as "Uncle Doc". He had a cabin on Wolcott Pond. Both he and his daughter were very tall; he stood about 6' 7". (Palmer, Cindy)

He apparently also lived in Dover, NH for some years.

He was a veteran of World War I. He was called into active service on 14 Dec 1917, serving in the Medical Corp. His principal station was at Ft. Oglethorpe in Georgia. He was overseas from 8 Aug 1918 to 17 July 1919. He was discharged as a First Lieutenant on 21 July 1919.

In 1920, he lived in Rochester, Strafford, NH. Florence's father Oscar Sherwin, age 75, lived with them. Oscar's obituary states that he had lived with the Rublees in Wolcott and Hardwick, VT and in Rochester, NH. In 1930, George and Florence continued to live in Rochester.

Dr. Rublee's death is recorded in New Hampshire. He died while at sea on the S. S. Birmingham, of a cerebral hemorrhage. His wife's name is given as Jane Sawyer. His obituary confirms that this was an error.

"DEATH OF FORMER HARDWICK PHYSICIAN Dr. George C. Rublee, 53, physician and surgeon of Rochester, N. H., and former race secretary of the Rochester fair, died of a heart attack Wednesday, March 31st, while on board a Florida-Boston boat. He was returning from a winter vacation with his wife and daughter. Dr. Rublee's father, Dr. Charles Rublee, and his grandfather were also holders of doctors degrees. He was born in Morrisville, Vt., attended Peoples academy there and was graduated from the University of Vermont Medical school in 1907. At school and college he was a noted athlete. Upon leaving medical school he practiced in Wolcott, Vt., and then moved to Hardwick. When the World war began he enlisted in Hardwick and saw service overseas in the medical corps, remaining in Germany for a year after the armistice on hospital duty. In 1919 he went to Rochester, N. H., and has practiced there

since. He was a member of the Frisbie Memorial hospital staff, past commander of the Rochester American Legion post, member of the Elks, Masons, Shriners and the New Hampshire and Strafford Medical societies. His widow, Mrs. Florence Rublee, his daughter and two sisters survive. Burial was made in the family lot in Morrisville Saturday, April 3rd. Deepest and most sincere sympathy is extended the bereaved family."

In 1940, a widowed Florence worked as a matron at the state hospital in Waterbury, VT.

"ELIOT -- Mrs. Florence Sherwin Rublee, 90, of 27 Adlington Road, died yesterday at Portsmouth Hospital after a long illness. Born in Morristown, Vt., July 22, 1880, she was the daughter of Oscar and Emily Cross Sherwin. She had lived in Rochester before moving to Eliot 15 years ago. She was formerly a matron at the Vermont State Hospital, retiring in 1951. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. C.K. Palmer of Eliot, and a granddaughter." (The Portsmouth Herald (Portsmouth, New Hampshire) 1 Jun 1971, Tue, page 3).

He married **Florence Emily Sherwin**, 15 May 1907 in Wolcott, Lamoille Co., VT,³² b. 22 Jul 1880 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **Oscar Sherwin** [1844 - 1921] and **Emily A. Cross** [1846 -]), d. 15 Mar 1971 in Portsmouth, Rockingham, NH.

Children:

- 577 i. Elizabeth "Libby" Clark⁷ Rublee b. 1 May 1910 in Wolcott, Lamoille Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 15 May 1971 in Kittery, York Co., ME.³³¹ In 1940, C. Kenneth and Elizabeth Palmer lived in Hopkinton, Merrimack Co., NH.

She married Charles "Smoke" Kenneth Palmer, 28 May 1939 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,³² b. abt 1910 in Rochester, Strafford Co., NH,³² (son of Scott Leo Palmer and Lila Garland).

440. **Henry Alson⁶ Rublee** (Alson Francis⁵, Henry Francis⁴, Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Aug 1873 in Lake Village, Belknap Co., NH,⁵⁵⁸ d. 24 Jul 1949 in Columbus, Franklin Co., OH,⁵⁵⁹ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵ In 1897, he is listed as a plumber in the Newton, MA City Directory. The 1900 city directory for Concord, NH indicates that he "removed to Lakeport". In 1900, Henry and Mabel lived with Mabel's mother Flora Stone in Laconia, NH. The Rublees apparently lived in Ryegate, VT in the early 1900s.

Henry Rublee was the author of "An Authentic History of the First Baptist Church of Lakeport, N.H. (Lakeport, NH: Belknap Pub. Co., 1901). He lived there with his family in 1920. In 1930, they lived in Laconia, NH. Presumably sometime after Mabel died, Henry moved to Columbus, OH to live with or near son Edmund and family.

He married **Mabel Luretta Stone**, 26 Apr 1896 in Gilford, Belknap Co., NH,²⁶¹ b. 16 Oct 1873 in Lake Village, Belknap Co., NH,⁵⁶⁹ (daughter of **George H. Stone** and **Flora A. Hayward**), d. 16 Aug 1939 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,²⁶⁶ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵

Children:

- 578 i. Stillborn Son⁷ Rublee b. 1 Dec 1897 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,⁴⁶⁹ d. 1 Dec 1897 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH (prob), buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.

- 579 ii. George Francis Rublee b. 28 Mar 1902 in Lakeport, Belknap Co., NH (prob), d. 25 Jul 1950 in Alexandria, Fairfax Co., VA,⁵⁶⁰ buried in Cedar Hill Cem., Suitland, Prince George Co., MD.^{571,561} In 1930, George Rublee was 28 years old, and lived with his parents in Laconia, NH. He appears in the city directories for Laconia, NH as late as 1936. He was an upholsterer.

George and Viola divorced in Michigan. The divorce was granted to him, on the basis of extreme cruelty, and was contested. I cannot find George in the 1940 census. He may have been a Marine, starting in World War II but continuing as late as 1957.

There is a little bit of a puzzle about Viola. When she married George Rublee, her parents are given as James Knox and Maud Varnum. But, this is likely the same as woman as the Viola Rublee, age 29, divorced, who married Everett J. Sanborn in Lakeport, NH on 20 Jan 1939. But then, her parents were given as George Rose/Ross and Annie Bartlett, both born in Massachusetts. The SSDI entry for Viola Sanborn who died in Belknap Co., NH gives her birth as 16 Dec 1909 and death as 3 May 2005.

George F. Rublee died by suicide; he took an overdose of barbituates. He was married to Olive L. Rublee at the time he died.

He married (1) Viola Flora Knox, 25 Mar 1933 in Concord, Merrimack Co., NH,²⁶¹ b. 16 Dec 1909 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,^{261,331} (daughter of James Knox and Maud Varnum), d. 3 May 2005 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH (prob).³³¹

He married (2) Olive A. Blodgett, 1939 in Malden, Middlesex Co., MA,²⁹² b. 2 Feb 1895 in WI,³³¹ d. Dec 1978 in Washington, DC (res).³³¹

- 580 iii. Edmund Otis Rublee b. 8 Feb 1904 in Lakeport, Belknap Co., NH,²⁶⁶ d. 3 Mar 1970 in Columbus, Franklin Co., OH,⁴⁸⁷ buried in Union Cem., Columbus, Franklin Co., OH.⁵⁶² In 1930, Edmund O. Rublee lived in Brooklyn, NY as a roomer. His occupation is listed as mechanical engineer. He was a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In 1940, Edmund and Edna lived in New Castle, DE.

He married (1) Viola "Edna" Crandall, 30 Jun 1930 in Tolland, Tolland Co., CT,^{266,563} b. 15 Dec 1911 in Tolland, Tolland Co., CT,²⁶⁶ (daughter of Howard Clayton Crandall and Emma Augusta Martha Stumpf), d. 18 Oct 2000 in Naples, Collier Co., FL,⁵⁶⁴ buried in South Yard Cem., Tolland, Tolland Co., CT.⁵⁶⁵

He married (2) Juliette "Frances" Leduc, b. 24 Mar 1914 in Reims Marne, France (daughter of Francoise Leduc and Julliette Franquinet), d. 30 Jul 1992 in Tucson, Pima Co., AZ, buried in All Faiths Memorial Park, Tucson, Pima Co., AZ.⁵⁶⁶

441. **Cornelia May⁶ Rublee** (Alson Francis⁵, Henry Francis⁴, Norman³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 19 Aug 1878 in Lake Village, Belknap Co., NH,⁴⁶⁹ d. 26 Apr 1971 in Ridgewood, Bergen Co., NJ,²⁶⁵ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵ Cornelia was only 16 when her son Alson was born. In 1900, Cornelia Whitcher and son Alson lived with her parents in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH. She had been married for 4 years. Her husband did not live in the home; he was a boarder in Laconia.

In 1910, Cornelia Whitcher lived in Dedham, Norfolk, MA. She was a widow, 30 years old. Her son Alson lived with her. He was 14. Both were born in NH. Alson's father was born in "Canada English". Cornelia worked as a dressmaker.

By 1920, Cornelia had married Wallace Barr. They lived in Norwood, Norfolk, MA with their daughter Helen, age 4. Alson lived with them, age 23. He was a musician in an orchestra. They continued to live in Norwood in 1930 and 1940.

"RIDGEWOOD Funeral services were held for Mrs. Cornelia M. Barr, 92, or 247 Gateway Road, who died Monday at home. Born in Lakeport, N.H., she resided in Manchester. N.H., Norwood, Mass. and Walpole, Mass. She had been a resident here for six years. Mrs. Barr was predeceased by her husband Wallace R. in 1941. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. William P. (Helen) Robinson of Ridgewood; a son, Alson R. Whitcher of Boston, Mass., three grandchildren and one great-granddaughter." (The News (Paterson, New Jersey) 30 Apr 1971, Fri, page 39).

She married (1) **Ernest Edwin Whitcher**, 9 Oct 1895 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,²⁶¹ b. May 1876 in East Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC (son of **Charles J. Whitcher** and **Isabel Moulton**), d. 15 Dec 1905 in Lakeport, Belknap Co., NH, buried in Riverside Cem., Saugus, Essex Co., MA.⁵⁶⁷

Children:

- 581 i. Alson Rublee⁷ Whitcher b. 9 Feb 1896 in Laconia, Belknap Co., NH,⁴⁶⁹ d. 20 Nov 1988 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA.⁵⁶⁸ In 1930, Alson Whitcher was living in Boston with his wife Florence, age 38; his daughter Shirley M., age 7 and his mother-in-law Shirley Dickinson. He was a musician.

He married Florence Edna Dickinson, 1921 in Norwood, Norfolk Co., MA,²⁹² b. 29 Aug 1892 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA,¹¹² (daughter of Frederick E. Dickinson and Alberta M. Leavitt), d. 23 Dec 1988 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA.⁵⁷⁹

She married (2) **Wallace Robert Barr**, 6 Mar 1912 in Dedham, Norfolk Co., MA,¹¹³ b. 3 Jul 1883 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA,¹¹² (son of **Robert Barr** and **Grace Arthur**), d. 18 Sep 1941 in Norwood, Norfolk Co., MA,²³⁶ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵

Children:

- 582 ii. Helen M. Barr b. 25 Feb 1915 in Dedham, Norfolk Co., MA,⁵⁶⁹ d. 21 Jan 1991 in Barnstable, Barnstable Co., MA, buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵

She married William Phelan Robinson, bef 1940, b. 8 Jun 1913 in Dedham, Norfolk Co., MA,²⁹¹ (son of Warren C. Robinson and Annie V. Landers), d. 10 Nov 1983 in Cotuit, Barnstable Co., MA (res),⁵⁷⁰ buried in Bayside Cem., Laconia, Belknap Co., NH.²⁶⁵

444. **Horace⁶ Rublee** (William Alvah⁵, Horace⁴, Alvah³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 11 Sep 1898 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co., WI,^{218,571} d. 12 Sep 1985 in Windsor, Windsor Co., VT?,³³¹ buried in Chase Cem., Cornish, Sullivan Co., NH.³¹¹ Horace Rublee stayed with his Uncle George Rublee while his

parents were in Vienna and China. After his father died, he continued to live with his aunt and uncle. Horace Rublee's birth record is among the delayed birth registrations for the city of Milwaukee (transcribed on-line at <http://linkstothepast.com/milwaukee/birthsdelmke.html>). In 1920, Horace lived with his mother and step-father in Denver, CO.

In 1930, Horace and Thelma lived in New Rochelle, Westchester Co., NY with son George, age 5. Mr. Rublee was employed as a business methods teacher for Western Electric. They continued to live there in 1940. Thelma's mother Gertrude Wilson lived with them.

He married **Thelma Wilson**, est 1918, b. 18 Nov 1892 in Concord, Merrimack Co., NH,⁴⁶⁹ (daughter of **Allen Wilson** and **Lena Gertrude Rice**), d. 20 Jan 1981 in Windsor, Windsor Co., VT,^{311,6} buried in Chase Cem., Cornish, Sullivan Co., NH.³¹¹

Children:

- 583 i. George⁷ Rublee b. 30 Dec 1925 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³⁹⁶ d. 20 Aug 2020 in Peterborough, Hillsboro Co., NH, buried in Chase Cem., Cornish, Sullivan Co., NH. "George Rublee II, distinguished foreign service officer, lawyer, and U.S. Marine Corps veteran, died peacefully on Aug. 20, 2020 at RiverMead in Peterborough.

He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Ellen MacVeagh Rublee; and his children from his first marriage to Mariamne M. Newbold: Ann Parker Rublee Contreras Harrington and her daughter, Mariamne Harrington; William Alvah Rublee; John Francis Rublee and his daughters, Molly Rublee, Megan Rublee, Madeleine Rublee, Maisy Rublee and Michelle Rublee; Peter Rublee and his wife, Pamela Rublee nee Bush; and George Gordon Meade Rublee, his wife, Sandra Rublee nee Weigl, and their sons Dylan W. Rublee, Crosby A. Rublee and Myles L. Rublee; and by his wife's children from her previous marriages: Ellen Warder Gallagher, Arthur Connell Gallagher, Margaretta (Daisy) Gallagher Archie and Francis Hopkinson Gilbert; and her seven grandchildren.

Mr. Rublee was born on Dec. 30, 1925, to Horace Rublee and Thelma Rublee nee Wilson in Chicago. The family moved to Larchmont, N.Y., shortly thereafter, where he attended public schools. He later attended Philips Exeter Academy in Exeter, graduating in 1943. At the age of 17, he enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps and began his basic training at Parris Island Recruit Depot, in Beaufort, S.C., in a unit preparing for the land invasion of Japan. Japan's unconditional surrender on Dec. 2, 1945, resulted in his being released from active service. He remained in the Marine Corps Reserves and later returned to active duty to serve in the Korean War as captain of an amphibious landing unit. Mr. Rublee retired from the Marine Corps with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

He graduated from Harvard College in 1948 and from Harvard Law School in 1952 after his service in the Korean War. He joined the law firm of Covington & Burling in Washington, D.C., a firm of which his great-uncle, George Rublee, had been a named partner.

During his time at the firm, he and George Blow took on the pro bono case of EVERETT D. GREEN v. the UNITED STATES of AMERICA. This was a 5th-amendment case involving the principle of double jeopardy that Mr. Rublee and Mr. Blow argued before the U.S. Supreme

Court on Oct. 16, 1957. The Court ruled in the affirmative on Dec. 16, 1957, in an opinion by Mr. Justice Black.

Mr. Rublee left Covington & Burling in 1958 to join the government working for a program that was a final vestige of the Marshall Plan. He became one of the early members of the newly created U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID).

In 1968, he was appointed legal attache at the U.S. Embassy in Saigon, South Vietnam, where he served for two years under Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker. He returned to Washington, D.C., in early 1970 prior to taking up his next posting in Montevideo, Uruguay. This assignment was cancelled at the last moment due to the Tupamaro guerilla insurgency, and he was later assigned to Panama. Prior to moving to Panama, he worked on the Chile desk in Washington, D.C. At this time, Chilean President Salvador Allende was elected, and U.S. Ambassador Ed Korrey praised Mr. Rublee's support for the embassy in Santiago during that period. In 1971, he became Deputy Director of the USAID mission in the Republic of Panama. Four years into the Panama assignment, the USAID director died, and Mr. Rublee was asked to remain a fifth year as acting director.

In 1975, he returned to Washington, D.C., to participate in the 1975/76 18th Senior Seminar in Foreign Policy, and while there wrote "Panama, Lessons From the Third World," a case study on farming cooperatives in Panama, lessons which were used to address social issues in the United States.

Mr. Rublee's next career focus pivoted to the Africa desk, and he was appointed Deputy Director of the Regional Economic Development Services Office in Nairobi, Kenya, from 1978 to 1981. In this capacity he supported the USAID missions from Djibouti to Lesotho. He finished his career in Washington, D.C., in various roles covering Africa until his retirement. He retired to Cornish, and later moved to Dublin.

Mr. Rublee will be buried in the family plot on Platt Road in Cornish."

He married (1) Mariamne "Bunny" Meade Newbold, 31 Dec 1954 in Jenkintown, Montgomery Co., PA, b. 2 Jul 1929 in Washington, DC (daughter of John Lowe Newbold and Mariamne Meade Morris), d. 1 Sep 2012 in Mountain Lake Station, Polk Co., FL.
"Mariamne "Bunny" Meade Newbold Rublee Parthenais

Bunny was born on July 31, 1929 in Washington, D.C. to Mariamne Meade Morris and John L. Newbold. She died of cancer on September 1, 2012, and is survived by her husband, Richard J. Parthenais; her five children, Ann R. Harrington (Orlando, Florida), William A. Rublee (Washington, D.C.), John F. Rublee (Danbury, New Hampshire), Peter Rublee (married to Pam) (Harpers Ferry, West Virginia), and George G. M. Rublee (married to Sandra) (Manila, Philippines). She is also survived by her first husband, George Rublee (Dublin, New Hampshire); her brothers, Clement B. Newbold (Betz) (Lake Wales, Florida), Michael Newbold (Sally) (Cornish, New Hampshire), J. Cheston M. Newbold (Nancy) (Cornish, New Hampshire), her sisters-in-law, Judy Newbold (Jock) and Mary Welby Garrison (Fleming), numerous nieces and nephews as well as her grandchildren, Mariamne Harrington,

(Orlando, Florida); Molly Rublee, Megan Rublee, Madeline Rublee, Maisy Rublee, Michelle Rublee, (New London, New Hampshire); and Dylan Rublee, Crosby Rublee and Myles Rublee (Manila, Philippines). Her younger brother, Nicholas W. Newbold (Washington D.C.) died in 1988.

Bunny led an engaged life as a wife, mother, intelligence analyst, athlete, teacher, artist, animal lover, and more. She graduated from Connecticut College in 1952 with a degree in history and moved to Washington D.C. where she began working for the U.S. government in the field of intelligence. She married George Rublee, a Washington D.C. based lawyer, in 1954 and had her first child in 1955. Four children later in 1971 the family moved to Panama where she was a noted tennis player and golfer. While in Panama, she realized a lifelong passion to own and race thoroughbred horses - an activity she sustained for the rest of her life. In 1976 in Panama she returned to working for the U.S. Government, now for the Department of Defense, remaining there until her retirement in August 1988. She was one of the leading intelligence analysts for the United States Southern Command receiving the Commander's Award for Civilian Service in 1988.

She divorced George Rublee in 1985 and married Richard Parthenais in 1988. She and Dick moved to the Mountain Lake community in Lake Wales, Florida in 1988 having escaped the deteriorating political situation in Panama under the Noriega regime. Undaunted by the experience of that chaos, Bunny quickly established herself as a figure at Mountain Lake. She was a keen golfer and artist, and her paintings won numerous awards as well as found places in local and national collections.

Bunny was passionate in her support for the Literacy Council in Lake Wales. She worked tirelessly as a teacher and a fund raiser. She strongly supported the migrant community that passed through Lake Wales in search of a better life. She hoped her English classes aided them in becoming American citizens. Likewise she was a strong advocate for the Polk Community College and served on its Scholarship Board. Together with other residents of Mountain Lake, she helped establish the MLCS Scholarship for worthy students.

In making her final arrangements she was asked what she wanted her obituary to say, she said – "I don't know yet. I haven't made up my mind!"

He married (2) Ellen Margaretta MacVeagh, b. 31 Jan 1932 in Cambridge, Middlesex Co., MA,⁵⁷² (daughter of Francis MacVeagh and Ellen Warder Thoron).

446. **Laura "Christine"⁶ Rublee** (William Alvah⁵, Horace⁴, Alvah³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 13 May 1908 in Vienna, Austria,^{573,331} d. 6 May 1986 in Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., MN.¹¹⁹

She married **Harold Dean Writer**, 25 Nov 1935 in Denver, Denver Co., CO,¹⁰⁷ b. 24 Apr 1894 in Port Jervis, Orange Co., NY,⁴⁵⁶ (son of **Lewis Modena Writer** and **Anna Bell Mapes**), d. Aug 1984 in Denver, Denver Co., CO (res).³³¹

448. **Ethel Francis⁶ Rublee** (Irving Howe⁵, Hiram Irving⁴, Hiram Belden³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 25 Nov 1895 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,¹⁷¹ d. Dec 1991 in Oswego, Tioga Co., NY, buried in New Bridgeport Cem.,

Bridgeport, Onondaga Co., NY. "HASTINGS —Ethel R. Delmatter, 96, of Hastings, died Monday at a nursing home in Oswego. A native of Auburn, Mrs. Delmatter resided in Syracuse for most of her life before moving to Hastings 13 years ago to live with her daughter. Her husband, Lofton, died in 1964. She is survived by two daughters, Mable Phillips of Hastings and Jean Walten of Barrington, N.J., three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a niece. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday from Watson Funeral Home, 206 S. Main St., Central Square. Burial will be in Bridgeport Cemetery. There will be no calling hours." (The Oswego [NY] Palladium-Times, 4 Dec 1991).

She married **Lofton Isaac Del Matter**, 14 Aug 1920 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁵⁷⁴ b. 12 Oct 1894 in MD,⁵⁷⁵ (son of **Elmer Ellsworth Del Matter** and **Mabel Marcellus**), d. 1 May 1964 in Brewerton, Onondaga Co., NY.^{588,259} Lofton Delmatter (DelMatter/Del Matter) was an awning manufacturer in the Oneida Lake NY area. In 1910, Lofton lived with his father Elmer in Sullivan, Madison Co., NY. In 1930, Lofton and Ethel lived in Canastota, Madison Co., NY with their four children.

"Lofton I. Del Matter, 69, Brewerton, died at his home Friday afternoon following a heart attack. Mr. Del Matter was an awning maker in the Oneida Lake area. He was a native of Batterton, Md, born Oct. 12, 1944, the son of Elmer E. and Mabel Marcellus Del Matter. He was a veteran of World War I. Surviving are his wife, Ethel R. Del Matter, a son, Elmer D. Del Matter and two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Phillips of Pennellsville and Mrs. Jean Warren of Barrington, N. J., and a sister, Mrs. Bernice Del Matter, three grandsons." (Madison County Times, 1 May 1964).

449. **Irving Howe⁶ Rublee, Jr.** (Irving Howe⁵, Hiram Irving⁴, Hiram Belden³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 11 Jun 1905 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 29 Jan 1973 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁵⁷⁶ buried in Soule Cem., Sennett, Cayuga Co., NY.⁵⁷⁷ Irving Rublee was in the 1923 graduating class of Auburn (NY) High School. In 1930, Irving and Esther Rublee lived in Auburn, NY. There were no children in the home. Mr. Rublee was an awning maker. In 1940, they were living in Owasco, Cayuga Co., NY. Irving was still an awning maker, a partner in business with his father.

"MISS ESTHER E VAN DUYN BRIDE OF IRVING RUBLEE, JR. At the Van Duyne homestead on Owasco Road at 8 o'clock last evening took place the wedding of Esther E. Van Duyne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Burr Van Duyne, and Irving H. Rublee, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Rublee of Van Duyne Avenue. . . ." (The Auburn Citizen, 13 Sep 1928)

"Irving Rublee dies; awning, canvas manufacturer. Irving H. Rublee, husband of Mrs. Esther Van Duyne Rublee of 13 Van Duyne Ave., died Monday in Auburn Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Born in Auburn, he had lived in Owasco for 43 years. He had owned and operated the Rublee Manufacturing Company, awnings and canvas product, for 50 years. Mr. Rublee was a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Mrs. John Baker of DeWitt; a sister, Mrs. Ethel DelMatter of Hastings; two grandsons, David and Daryl Baker of DeWitt; nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Langham Funeral Home. The Rev. Ralph H. Wagner Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Soule Cemetery. Calling hours will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home." (Auburn NY Citizen Advertiser, 30 Jan 1973, posted by Donna Markey on findagrave.com).

He married **Esther Elizabeth Van Duyne**, 12 Sep 1928 in Owasco, Cayuga Co., NY,^{578,323} b. 4 Sep 1904 in Owasco, Cayuga Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of **John Burr Van Duyne** and **Mary A. Brace**), d. 18 Feb 1990 in NY,⁵⁹² buried in Soule Cem., Sennett, Cayuga Co., NY.⁵⁹²

Children:

- 591 i. Joan Elizabeth⁷ Rublee b. 3 Jun 1934 in Auburn, Cayuga Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ d. 14 Feb 2014 in Dewitt, Chautauqua Co., NY, buried in Lakeview Cem., Fleming, Cayuga Co., NY.⁴⁷⁵ "Mr. and Mrs. Irving H. Rublee of 13 Van Duyne Ave. have announced the engagement of their daughter. Miss Joan Elizabeth Rublee, and John Addison Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Baker of Leominster, Mass. Miss Rublee is a graduate of Auburn East High School and Central City Business Institute of Syracuse. She is a medical secretary in Syracuse. Her fiancé was graduated from Leominster High School and will receive his master of science degree at Syracuse University this June. He is a counselor in the department of psychology at the university. A June wedding is planned." (The Auburn Citizen-Advertiser, 12 Jan 1954)

"Joan Elizabeth Baker, 79, of DeWitt, formerly of Adams Ave., Owasco, passed away peacefully in her sleep with family by her side on Friday, February 14, 2014 at her son's home in DeWitt. Born in Auburn, she was the daughter of the late Irving and Esther VanDuyne Rublee. Joan was an East High School graduate and attended CCBI in Syracuse. She retired in 1987 from Loretto Geriatric in Syracuse where she was employed as a medical transcriptionist.

Joan was married to John "Jack" Addison Baker on June 19, 1954 and celebrated 43 years of marriage together. She was content to be a homemaker and mother. She enjoyed attending plays and theatrical events at the Merry-Go-Round Playhouse in Auburn. Joan was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Jack and by her parents.

Surviving are two sons, David G. Baker and his wife, Tammy of N. Syracuse and Daryl S. Baker and his wife, Maureen of DeWitt; two grandchildren, Zakary and Zoey; and a lifelong friend, Paula Hickey of Clyde, NY."
(<http://obits.syracuse.com/obituaries/syracuse/obituary.aspx?pid=169749402#sthash.nogcNrb8.dpuf>).

She married John "Jack" Addison Baker, 19 Jun 1954 in Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY,³²³ b. est 1931, d. abt 1997.

450. **Philip Shufeldt⁶ Rublee** (Alice Carey⁵, Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 29 May 1892 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 2 Oct 1968 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Hillside Cem., W. Burke, Caledonia Co., VT.⁵⁷⁹ As a young man, Philip Rublee played baseball in Lyndonville, VT. He was selected for tryout with the Eastern Baseball League in Pittsfield, MA. Mr. Rublee worked in a variety of jobs. He worked for the Central Vermont, the Boston and Maine and the Canadian Pacific Railroads. He was assistant manager for the Metropolitan Life Insurance from 1929-1932. Later he worked for the Butterfield Union Twist Drill in Derby Line, VT, retiring in 1958. (Berger, 1974, unpagged) In 1916, he is listed as a blacksmith in the city directory for St. Johnsbury, VT. In 1940, the Rublees lived in Newport, VT.

"PHILIP RUBLEE NEWPORT - Philip Shuefeldt [sic] Rublee, 76, died Wednesday. He was born in Berkshire, May 29, 1892, the son of Marquis and Alice (Cary) Rublee. As a young man he played baseball in Lyndonville every summer and was selected for a tryout with the Eastern Baseball League, Pittsfield, Mass. In the winter he worked as brakeman for Central Vermont Railway. He also worked for the Boston and Maine and Canadian Pacific Railroads in Newport. From 1929-32 he was assistant manager for Metropolitan Life Insurance Co, then worked for Butterfield Union Twist Drill in Derby Line for 16 years, retiring in 1958. He was a member of the United Church of Newport, Memphremagog Lodge 65, F&AM and International Association of Machinists 1829.

In 1913 he married Ona Mae Roundy of Lyndonville. She died in 1957. Their daughter, Alice Louise Rublee, died in 1965. He leaves a half sister, Mrs. Thomas (Alice) Donovan of Burlington; a half brother, James Rublee of Essex Junction. Friends may call Friday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the Curtis Memorial Chapel, where Memphremagog Lodge 55 F&AM will offer committal prayers at 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the chapel with the Rev. Thomas J. Hutchinson officiating. Committal services will follow, in charge of members of International Association of Machinists 1829. Interment will be in Hillside Cemetery, West Burke. Curtis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements." (Burlington Free Press, 4 Oct 1968, Fri).

He married **Ona Mae Roundy**, 26 Nov 1913 in Lyndon, Caledonia Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 25 Jul 1894 in Barton, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **Olin Ellsworth Roundy** and **Alice Elva Gertrude Aldrich** [1869 - 1918]), d. 20 Jul 1957 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Hillside Cem., W. Burke, Caledonia Co., VT.⁵⁹⁵ Ona Roundy Rublee was active in her community of Newport, VT, and in her church. She was employed at Flint's Fashion Shop, the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. and the Goodrich Memorial Library, all in Newport. She sang in the choir at her church, and sang at various musical functions around the Newport area (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

Children:

- 592 i. Alice Louise⁷ Rublee b. 19 Oct 1914 in Lyndon, Caledonia Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 24 Sep 1965 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Hillside Cem., W. Burke, Caledonia Co., VT.⁵⁹⁵ Alice Rublee and Fred Ritchie were divorced, according to Rhoda Berger. Her death record is listed under Rublee, not Ritchie. It confirms that she is divorced. She was a utility worker at the Orleans County Memorial Hospital. She died of cerebral hemorrhage. Her father, Philip Rublee and C.D. Rublee, M.D., were the informants.

In 1930, Fred E. Ritchie lived in Derby, VT with his parents.

She married Alfred "Fred" Ernest Ritchie, Jr., 17 Feb 1945 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 22 Oct 1914 in Weldon, NY,³² (son of Alfred "Fred" Ernest Ritchie and Emily Beatrice Little), d. 15 Oct 1986 in Chelsea, Suffolk Co., MA, buried in Massachusetts National Cem., Bourne, MA.

452. **William Ezra⁶ Rublee** (William Seymour⁵, Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 26 Dec 1903 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 17 Oct 1969 in East Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ As a young boy growing up in East Berkshire, VT, William E. Rublee had infantile paralysis. He eventually walked again. Mr. Rublee attended schools in East Berkshire. At age fifteen, he joined his father in the family store. He continued to work

there until his retirement in 1964, having taken over the business after his father's death in 1942. He was the fourth generation of his family to own and run this store. He was active in community and church. He served as a supervisor of Avery's Gore for ten years (Berger, 1974, unpagged)

"He represented the town of Berkshire in Legislature from 1938 to 1940, was a candidate for State Senator, and served as School Director and Justice of the Peace. William was also a Deacon and moderator of the First Congregational Church in East Berkshire." (Berkshire Historical Society's Facebook page, posted 8/29/2015)

"East Berkshire Former Legislator, Rublee, 65, Dies EAST BERKSHIRE -William E. Rublee, 65, died unexpectedly Friday at his home. He was a town representative in 1939 and was active in town affairs. He was born in East Berkshire Dec. 26, 1903, the son of William S. and Martha (Smith) Rublee. He was a life-long resident of East Berkshire and for many years was the fourth generation to operate the Rublee General Store. He retired in 1964. He was a member of the First Congregation Church and Lincoln Lodge 78, F&AM, of Enosburg Falls. He leaves his wife, Evelyn Ladd Rublee; two sons, Raymond L. of Montpelier and W. Beach of Swanton; a daughter, Mrs. John (Cynthia) Rugg of Swanton; six grandchildren. The body will remain at the Spears Funeral Home, 14 Orchard St., Enosburg Falls, where friends may call Sunday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at the First Congregational Church. East Berkshire, with the Rev. Donald Grover and the Rev. Harry Lindley officiating. Interment will follow in the family lot in the Congregational Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Vermont Heart Fund, in care of Mrs. Ida King. Richford. Spears Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements." (Burlington Free Press, 18 Oct 1969).

He married **Evelyn Margery Ladd**, 11 Sep 1930 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 7 Feb 1908 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ (daughter of **William B. Ladd** [1872 - 1935] and **Abbie Judd** [1870 - 1963]), d. 23 Aug 1972 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Congr. Church Cem., E. Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.²³⁸ Evelyn Ladd the adopted daughter of the Ladds. She graduated from LaSalle Junior College in Auburndale, MA. She was active in her church (Berger, 1974, unpagged). Her children established a scholarship fund in her name at LaSalle college, for students from Franklin Co., VT.

453. **Harriet Moore⁶ Rublee** (Chauncey "Chet" Moore⁵, Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 4 Oct 1913 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 12 Jun 1996 in Shelburne, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.³²⁸ Harriet Rublee Pond graduated from Skidmore College in Saratoga, NY in 1935. After her marriage, she was been active in church and school affairs, and volunteered for such organizations as American Field Service, Meals on Wheels, the American Cancer Society and the Everson Museum (Berger, 1974,

"Harriet R. Pond, 82, died Wednesday, June 12, 1996, in the Linden skilled nursing facility at Wake Robin in Shelburne. Previously, she had been a longtime resident of Montpelier and DeWitt, N.Y. Mrs. Pond was born in East Berkshire, Oct. 4, 1913, the daughter of Chauncey M. and E. Blanche (Wadleigh) Rublee. She graduated from Saint Mary's in the Mountains School and Skidmore College, Class of 1935. Oct. 19, 1935, she married Addison C. Pond of Richford, a World War II veteran, college educator and vice president for National Life Insurance Co. in Montpelier. A beloved woman who spoke her mind, Mrs. Pond welcomed the chance to help others. She served as a home economist in the late 1930s, and for many years she volunteered for the American Cancer Society, the Emerson Museum, Meals on Wheels and Welcome Wagon in DeWitt. She enjoyed bowling, golfing, and viewing wildlife, and was an active member of the Nature Conservancy, Audubon Society and Vermont Institute of Natural Science. Mrs.

Pond was a member of Saint David's Episcopal Church in DeWitt. Surviving are her children, Katherine Pond of Burlington, Sarah Cabell of Hardwick, Margaret Pond of Grand Isle, William Pond of Ely, and Frederick Pond of West Lebanon, NH. Her husband and her sister, Edna Clausen of Ithaca, NY, predeceased her. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 16 Jun 1996, Sun, page 10).

She married **Addison Cramton Pond**, 19 Oct 1935 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 3 Dec 1912 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ (son of **Arthur Maurice Pond** [1879 - 1957] and **Kate Armanelle Cramton** [1880 - 1968]), d. Sep 1984 in Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY (res),³³¹ buried in East Berkshire Epis. Cem., East Berkshire, VT.¹⁶² Mr. Pond received his B.A. from the University of Vermont in 1934, and his M.A. from the same college in 1936. He taught economics at Colby College, the University of Vermont and U.C.L.A before entering the U.S. Army in 1941 as a second lieutenant. Following his discharge, Mr. Pond worked for the National Life Insurance Company in Montpelier, VT for twenty years. From 1967 to 1969, he was finance officer for Vermont State Colleges. In 1969, he began work for the Onondaga Savings Company, Syracuse, NY (Berger, 1974).

454. **Edna Wadleigh⁶ Rublee** (Chauncey "Chet" Moore⁵, Amherst Willoughby⁴, William Seymour³, Hiram A.², William¹ Robblee), b. 18 Aug 1918 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 19 Oct 1993 in Ithaca, Tomkins Co., NY?,³³¹ buried in East Lawn Cem., E. Ithaca, Tomkins Co., NY.⁵⁸⁰ "Edna R. Clausen, 75, of 1421 Slaterville Rd., died Tuesday, October 19, 1993 peacefully at home after an extended illness. Edna was born in East Berkshire, Vermont, daughter of the late Chauncey and Blanche Rublee on August 18, 1918. She received a B.A. from McGill University in 1941 followed by a Master's degree in Botany at Cornell University in 1943. While at Cornell, she met her husband, the late Professor Robert T. Clausen. Edna assisted him in his lifelong study of the genus *Sedum*. This involved extensive travel throughout the United States and Mexico. Edna was a member of the Unitarian Church since the 1960's. She loved natural areas and was an advocate for their protection. Prior to her stroke, Edna had been a member of the Six Mile Creek Overseers Committee. She also participated in various Cayuga Trail Club events and was a driver for FISH. Her gentle, soft-spoken manner will be missed by those who knew her. She is survived by a sister, Harriet Pond of DeWitt, NY; a son, Eric N. Clausen of Minot, North Dakota; a daughter and son-in-law Joanna and Peter Bristol of Kirtland, Ohio; a daughter and a son-in-law Heidi and Robert Ritchie of Thorold, Ontario and a son and daughter-in-law, Tom and Berta Gutierrez of Ithaca. She is also survived by five grandchildren. Holly and Becky Bristol, Willow and Fern Ritchie, and Casey Clausen. . . ." (The Ithaca Journal (Ithaca, New York) 21 Oct 1993, Thu, page 4_.

She married **Robert Theodore Clausen**, 31 Jan 1942 in Ithaca, Tomkins Co., NY,⁴⁷⁷ b. 26 Dec 1911 in New York City, NY,⁴⁷⁷ (son of **Adam P. Clausen** and **Mary Blum**), d. 31 Dec 1981 in Ithaca, Tomkins Co., NY?,^{331,597} buried in East Lawn Cem., E. Ithaca, Tomkins Co., NY.⁵⁹⁷ Robert Clausen received his doctorate in plant taxonomy from Cornell University in 1937. He was still teaching at Cornell in 1974 and was at that time curator of the Wiegand Herbarium. He and his wife and family traveled in this country and in others while he conducted research in his field of expertise. He had described twenty-one new species of plants; fourteen of them are *sedum* (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

"Robert Theodore Clausen
December 26, 1911 — December 31, 1981

Robert T. Clausen, professor emeritus of biology, was born in New York City, the son of Adam and Mary Blum Clausen. His early childhood was spent in that city and subsequently in Passaic, New Jersey, where

he graduated from high school in 1929. His interest in natural history developed during his boyhood, and at various times during his early career he was concerned with birds, insects, reptiles, and amphibians as well as with plants, and he published on each of the animal groups.

Professor Clausen entered Cornell University in the fall of 1929, beginning an association that lasted until his death. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1933, having completed a dual major in vertebrate zoology and botany. His graduate work was carried on in botany and plant taxonomy under the direction of Professor Karl M. Wiegand. He received the Master of Arts degree in 1934, his thesis dealing with the fern genus *Botrychium* in northeastern North America, and the Doctor of Philosophy degree in 1937, with a monograph on the family *Ophioglossaceae*. He became a member of the American Fern Society in his student years and served a three-year term as its president after receiving his doctorate.

On completion of his degree program, Professor Clausen continued his association with the L. H. Bailey Hortorium, where he had been employed as a graduate student, first as an instructor (1937-39), then as assistant professor of botany (1939-41). The latter title continued when he joined the Department of Botany in 1941. There he gained the rank of associate professor in 1944 and professor in 1949. In 1954 he also became curator of the Wiegand Herbarium. He served in this dual capacity until his retirement in 1977, when he was awarded emeritus status.

Professor Clausen was a superb though demanding teacher. Plant anatomy, which he taught for thirty-six years, is not a subject easily taught. He knew how to reach students. His lectures were logically and clearly presented but required close attention. In his unique way he was a marvelous storyteller, and he used that talent to bring his lectures to life. He was a man of incredible energy, and on weekday afternoons he would lead the class to such well-known natural history sites as McLean Bogs or South Hill Swamp. On weekends the forays were longer. He was ever present in the teaching laboratory and equally accessible to students outside for serious discussion. His influence on undergraduates passing through his courses was great, and many went on to pursue professional careers in botany. In recognition of his commitment to teaching, he received the Chancellor's Award for excellence in teaching from the State University of New York in 1974.

Professor Clausen's research interests covered a range of plant groups. In the late 1930s he pursued taxonomic studies in the ferns, published on several genera of aquatic plants, and began to develop an interest in the *Crassulaceae*. After joining the Department of Botany, Professor Clausen continued these interests, augmenting them with research in selected genera of *Leguminosae* and in *Cyperaceae* and the genus *Gentiana*. Many years were spent in a more general floristic manner, surveying parts of the glaciated Allegheny Plateau in New York and Pennsylvania. He was the acknowledged expert on the flora of the Cayuga Lake region of New York and held an honorary membership in the Torrey Botanical Club.

For over three decades, however, the major thrust of Professor Clausen's research centered on *Sedum* of the *Crassulaceae*, a large and difficult genus of over six hundred species. Meticulous and detailed studies of wild populations in the United States and Mexico and experimental studies on plants grown in the greenhouse and garden provided the basis of his approach. These studies, augmented by more-traditional herbarium studies, led to the publication of two major botanical works: *Sedum of the Trans-Mexican Volcanic Belt: An Exposition in Taxonomic Methods* (1959), and *Sedum of North America North of the Mexican Plateau* (1975). Until the time of his death he was actively preparing a third book,

to be titled *Sedum* of the Mexican Cordilleran Plateau. His two published books about *Sedum* were not only monographs of significance, based on an intimate knowledge of the species studied but also statements concerning his taxonomic philosophy and methods.

Professor Clausen believed strongly in fieldwork, experimental approaches, and statistical analyses in taxonomy, and this belief influenced both his teaching and his own research. Fieldwork carried him from the Labrador Peninsula and British Columbia in the north to Mexico, Guatemala, and El Salvador in the south. Incidents other than those botanical abounded in his travels, and his stories, dryly but yet hilariously told, often punctuated his seminars and conversations. Because of its great richness in *Sedum*, Mexico held special interest for him, and had not illness prevented it, he would have spent the better part of 1981 in that country. As it was, during the last year of his life he contented himself with writing and with a continuation of his studies on garden and greenhouse plants. These activities were interspersed with periods of hospitalization for treatment of cancer, a disease that Professor Clausen endured for over half his professional career.

Published works constitute only one element of Professor Clausen's writings. As a boy he acquired the habit of keeping a diary, making daily entries. This habit continued throughout his life. His diary comprises thirty-two volumes, covering the period from 1923 until near his death. The journal, together with his field notes and letters of significance, will be deposited in the Department of Manuscripts and Archives in the Olin Library of Cornell University.

Professor Clausen is survived by his wife, Edna Rublee Clausen, also a botanist, whom he married on January 31, 1942, and four children: Eric Neil, Joanna Margaret, Thomas Paul, and Heidi Elizabeth.

John M. Kingsbury, Charles H. Uhl, David M. Bates" (<http://core.ac.uk/download/pdf/4915492.pdf>).

460. **Howard Wilder⁶ Horskin** (Arlin Daniel⁵, Louisa M.⁴ Rublee, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 16 Jan 1888 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 9 Sep 1960 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹ "FRANKLIN - HORSKIN, Howard W., 72, died at his home Friday evening following a long illness. He was born in Franklin Jan. 16, 1838, son of Arlin and Sarah (Wilder) Horskin. He was a lifelong resident and farmer in Franklin and had served as school director and town selectman. Besides his wife, Sophia (Towle) Horskin, he leaves a son, Robert; a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Wright; a grandson, Gaylord Horskin; a granddaughter Miss Suzanne Horskin, ail of Franklin; a sister, Mrs. Margery Adams of Laconia, N.H., and several nieces and nephews. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 10 Sep 1960, Sat, page 2).

He married **Sophia Ruth Towle**, 2 Oct 1907 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 26 Sep 1886 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **George Miller Towle** [1859 - 1928] and **Jennie Louisa Davis** [1865 - 1943]), d. 9 Dec 1973 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁷⁹ "FRANKLIN - Mrs. Sophia T. Horskin, 87, wife of Howard W. Horskin, died Sunday afternoon at a St. Albans nursing home following a long illness. She was born in Franklin Sept. 26, 1886, the daughter of George and Jennie (Davis) Towle. She was a lifelong Franklin resident, and had been at the nursing home since September. A member of the Franklin Methodist Church and the WSCS, she was library trustee for 40 years. She leaves a son, Robert of Franklin; a daughter, Mrs. John (Elizabeth) Garrett of Lakeland, Fla.; a grandson, Gaylord of Franklin; a granddaughter, Mrs. Stephen (Suzanne) Miller of Burlington; two greatgrandchildren; several nieces and nephews. . . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 10 Dec 1973, Mon, Page 10).

Children:

- 605 i. Robert Howard⁷ Horskin b. 24 Jun 1914 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,^{581,478} d. 7 May 2000 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,^{598,6} resided in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT. Robert Horskin was a lifelong resident of Franklin, VT, where he farmed with his son Gaylord Horskin. He was a member of the Franklin, United Church, the Franklin Band and the Franklin Cemetery Association. He served on the school boards for Franklin and was a member of the Missisquoi Union High School building committee (Obituary, Burlington Free Press, May 9, 2000).

He married Barbara Lucille Bowen, 18 Sep 1937 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 13 Nov 1917 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁷⁸ (daughter of Adelbert "Winslow" Bowen and Hilda Cross), d. 31 May 2002 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

- 606 ii. Elizabeth Ruth Horskin b. 17 Feb 1919 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ divorced bef 15 Dec 1962, d. Apr 1984 in Lakeland, Polk Co., FL?

She married (1) Richard Gilmore Wright, 26 Apr 1941 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁴⁵ b. 20 Apr 1916 in Elkhorn, Douglas Co., NE,⁶ (son of Matthew Wright and Ethel Hammond), d. 5 Oct 2000 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

She married (2) Edward Howard Garrett, 15 Dec 1962 in Swanton, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 30 Jun 1924 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of Howard Roy Garrett and Agnes Olvene Cottnoir), d. 11 Nov 1995 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT.⁶

462. **James Marquis⁶ Rublee** (Marquis "Mark" George⁵, George⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Sep 1906 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 7 Jul 1974 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Holy Family Cem., Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT.⁵⁸² James' residence at time of his marriage was Burlington, VT (marriage certificate, VT Vital Records). The Rublees lived in Essex Jct., VT. James was a student at the Montpelier Seminary in the early 1920's (student list). He enlisted as a soldier in World War II on 29 Apr 1942 in Rutland, VT. He was then married and living in Chittenden Co., VT.

"Jimmy Rublee tells of his trips across the Atlantic to England. He soon hopes to get leave to come to greet his young son whom he hasn't yet seen. He plans to include a day in Richford on this leave. His friends here say "Amen." (Richford Gazette, 1/25/1944)

"JAMES M. RUBLEE ESSEX JUNCTION - James M. Rublee, 67, of 203 Pearl St. died at the Medical Center Hospital Sunday following a long illness. He was born in Richford Sept. 6, 1906, the son of Marquis and Celia (Culver) Rublee. Mr. Rublee was a World War II veteran. He leaves his wife Emily Cross, a son, James R. of Virginia Beach, Va.; three grandsons; a sister, Mrs. Thomas (Alice) Donovan of Burlington; several nieces and nephews. . ." (The Burlington Free Press, Burlington, Vermont, 8 Jul 1974, Mon, page 10).

He married **Emily Anders Cross**, 16 Jun 1941 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,³² b. 24 Aug 1913 in Colchester, Chittenden Co., VT,^{331,478} (daughter of **Richard Paul Cross** and **Hazel Belle Anders**), d. 18 Sep 1988 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ resided in Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT, buried in Holy Family

Cem., Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT.⁵⁹⁹ Emily's birth certificate gives her name as Mary Emily Cross. She works for the Crippled Children's Division of the Vermont Department of Health for more than 30 years.

463. **Alice Cora⁶ Rublee** (Marquis "Mark" George⁵, George⁴, Dan³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 8 Aug 1911 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 18 Jan 1976 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.⁶ In 1940, Alice Rublee Hull lived in Burlington, VT. She was working as a secretary. Her marital status was given as married. Max was living in Winchester, NH and working on a farm. His marital status is listed as single. Max Hull married second Marguerite Harris, on 21 Mar 1942, in Winchester, NH.

Thomas Donovan and Alice (Rublee) Donovan adopted Judith Carolyn Donovan on 20 Aug 1947 in Burlington, VT, according to Judith's amended birth certificate. Thomas died at the Vermont Veteran's Home.

She married (1) **Max Feltus Hull**, 12 Jan 1937 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 9 Oct 1917 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,^{331,478} (son of **Fenno Warren Hull** [1877 - 1938] and **Fannie Fern Feltus**), d. 15 Jun 1977 in Winchester, Cheshire Co., NH (res),³³¹ buried in Evergreen Cem., Winchester, Cheshire Co., NH.⁵⁸³

She married (2) **Frank Ferguson Tyler**, 8 Aug 1942 in Petersburg, Prince George Co., VA,⁵⁹⁶ b. abt 1919 in Holyoke, Hampden Co., MA,⁵⁹⁶ (son of **Frank Howard Tyler** and **Jean Ferguson**).

She married (3) **Thomas Francis Donovan**, bef 1947, b. 12 Jun 1898 in New York City, NY,⁵⁸⁴ (son of **Thomas Donovan** and **Nellie Roach**), d. 20 Jul 1979 in Bennington, Bennington Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.⁶

478. **Glenn Wheeler⁶ Rublee** (Deforest Mark⁵, Marshall Milton⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Aug 1893 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 14 Jan 1977 in Colchester, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. Glenn Rublee spent most of his childhood years in Enosburg Falls, VT. He became a well-known national trotting horse race official in the United States and Canada. He was race secretary of the Rutland (VT) Fair for thirty years. He was a racetrack official at the Green Mountain Park in Pownal (VT) from its opening until his retirement in 1971. He owned and operated dairy farms in Berkshire, Wallingford and Pittsford for many years.

"Buys Another Garage. G. W. Rublee of this place, who recently purchased the Enosburg Falls Garage of E. E. Smith, has bought out I. A. Vincent's garage and equipment and has taken immediate immediate possession. Mr. Rublee intends conducting both places of business this season.")The Enosburg Standard, 14 May 1915)

"G. W. Rublee, who travels for the Ames Plow company, and Clair D. Rublee from the Medical college, Burlington, were in town on Saturday, to attend the funeral of their grandmother Mrs. Marcia Rublee, in Berkshire." (Enosburg Falls news in the Burlington Free Press and Times. March 27, 1919).

"Glenn W. Rublee of this village [Enosburg Falls], who for the past eight years has been traveling representative for the Northeastern Metal Culvert Company, has been elected vice-president and sales manager of the Berry-Hall Company of Burlington at a reorganization meeting of the stockholders held Saturday September 3 in that city. He will take up his new duties with the Berry-Hall Company October 1. The other officers of the company are F. B. Royce, president and treasurer, H. R. Gallup secretary. Mr. Royce has been vice-president and sales manager for the last eight years and on the death of A. S. Gallup last November was made treasurer and manager." (The Burlington Free Press, Burlington, Vermont, 12 Sep 1927, Mon, page 9).

He married (1) **Lillian Ruth Towle**, 8 Apr 1916 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 14 Sep 1895 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **James Clement Towle, Jr.** [1856 - 1926] and **Lillian Orlana Phelps** [1858 - 1924]), d. 1 Jan 1970 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. "MRS. LILLIAN RUBLEE ENOSBURG FALLS - Mrs. Lillian T. Rublee, 74, died Monday evening at a Burlington hospital following a long illness. She was born in Berkshire Sept. 15, 1895, the daughter of James C. and Lillian (Phelps) Towle. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Carroll (Leah) Cramton of Monson, Mass., and Mrs. Alden (Marilyn) Walcott of Essex Junction; and six grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Spears Funeral Home, 14 Orchard St., Enosburg Falls, with the Rev. Robert F. Boston officiating. Entombment will follow in the Missisquoi Vault. Burial will follow this spring in the family lot in Berkshire Center Cemetery. Spears Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements." (Burlington Free Press, 7 Jan 1970, Wed).

Children:

- 609 i. Bruce Towle⁷ Rublee b. 27 Dec 1920 in Enosburg Falls, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 17 Jan 1921 in Enosburg Falls, Franklin Co., VT.¹⁷⁹ Bruce died of an exfoliative skin condition at 21 days of age.
- 610 ii. Leah Joyce Rublee b. 17 Oct 1923 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 1 Feb 2015 in Springfield, Hampden Co., MA. "Leah (Rublee) Cramton, age 91 of Springfield, MA passed away on February 1, 2015 at Wingate of Springfield. She was born on October 17, 1923 to the late Glenn W. Rublee and Lillian Towle Rublee in Enosburg Falls VT. Leah graduated from Enosburg Falls High School and attended Green Mountain College. After college she worked in the harness horse racing business with her father and sister. Leah married Carroll Cramton, Jr. in 1946. She worked for the former Monson Academy and, after the merger, Wilbraham-Monson Academy, for many years as a financial director. After leaving the Academy she worked for several area colleges and retired from American International College. She was a member of Quota Club of Springfield, past treasurer of the Pioneer Valley Girl Scouts Council and volunteered for the Sisters of St. Joseph. Leah was an enthusiastic sports fan, especially golf, tennis, the Celtics, and the Patriots. Leah is survived by sons Jeffrey Cramton of Springfield, MA and Bruce Cramton of Elizabethtown, NY.; grandchildren, Ryan Cramton of West Springfield, MA, Jaime Messier Mora of Southwick, MA, Gregory Messier and his wife Jessi of Waipahu, HI.; great grandsons Aidan Mora, Arlen Messier, and Justin Messier; her sister, Marilyn Walcott of Essex Junction, VT. Leah had requested there be no services. Her ashes will be interred in Lake Champlain and a marker placed at the family plot in the Berkshire Center Cemetery, Berkshire, VT. Donations in her memory may be made to the Shiners Hospital for Children in Springfield c/o the Office of Development, Shriners Hospital for Children, 2900 Rocky Point Dr., Tampa, FL. 33607. Arrangements were provided by Beers and Story Funeral Home, Palmer, MA."

She married Carroll Smith Cramton, Jr., 4 May 1946 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA,⁵⁸⁵ b. 27 Dec 1921 in Boston, Suffolk Co., MA,⁶⁰³ (son of Carroll Smith Cramton [1892 - 1967] and Elsie Margaret Ruth [1901 -]), d. 9 Nov 2011 in Morrisville, Lamoille Co., VT, buried in Missisquoi Cem., Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT. Carroll Cramton and his brother Mark were raised by their paternal grandparents, Markus and Minnie (Smith) Cramton. At the time of the 1930, the Mark Cramton family was living in Swanton, VT.

HYDE PARK /ENOSBURG FALLS – Carroll S. Cramton, Jr., 89, passed away on Tuesday morning, November 29, 2011 at Copley Hospital in Morrisville. Carroll was born on December 27, 1921 in Boston, MA, the son of Carroll S. and Elsie E. (Ruth) Cramton, Sr. He was a 1939 graduate of Enosburg Falls High School. A US Army veteran of WWII, Carroll served from 1942-1946 in the European Campaign and with the Allied Occupation Forces in Germany. His marriage to Dorothy Tucker took place on June 8, 1981 in Rutland, VT. Dorothy passed away on February 3, 1989.

Carroll was employed at Diamond International Paper Co. in Palmer, MA, retiring in 1985. He was a 61 year member of American Legion Post # 42 in Enosburg Falls and VFW Post 9653 in Morrisville. In his earlier years, Carroll was involved with Little League baseball and enjoyed hunting, fishing, especially with his wife Dorothy, and going to camp in North Hero during the summer.

Carroll is survived by 2 sons, Bruce Cramton of Elizabethtown, NY and Jeffrey Cramton of Springfield, MA; a brother Mark Cramton and his wife Ruth Ann of Bristol, NH; grandchildren Ryan Cramton of Westfield, MA, Jaime Mora of Southwick, MA and LT Gregory Messier, USN and his wife Jessi of Waipahu, HI; great grandchildren, Aidan Mora and Arlen and Justin Messier; his daughter-in-law Constance Cramton of Westfield, MA; his first wife Leah R. Cramton of Springfield, MA and his dear lady friend Lucille Brooks of Morrisville.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 3, 2011 at 3:00 PM at the Spears Funeral Home, 96 Dickinson Ave. in Enosburg Falls with the Rev. Jon P. Bly, Pastor of the United Methodist Church of Enosburg Falls officiating. Interment will follow at Missisquoi Cemetery in Enosburg. Friends are invited to call at the funeral home on Saturday from 2:00 PM until the time of the funeral.

- 611 iii. Marilyn Rublee b. 26 Nov 1925 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 27 Feb 2016 in Essex, Chittenden Co., VT, buried in Fairview Cem., Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT. Marilyn's name given at birth was Dorothy Marilyn Rublee. However, she was always known as Marilyn, and her marriage and death records are under that name.

"Friday, November 23 [1945], Richford School Board Meeting Minutes

Board of Directors met with Supt. Haggerty at Richford National Bank. Because of the resignation of Mrs. Elna Gross as teacher at Richford Center it was voted to transport the pupils to Richford village schools for an indefinite time.

A plan submitted by Mr. Granger for boys and girls showers and locker rooms was examined and approved in general, with suggestions as to width of doors and changes in positions of toilets.

Voted to hire Miss Marilyn Rublee as Commercial teacher for the balance of the year at an individual salary rate of \$1350 to succeed Marilyn (Going) Read, resigned. H. F. Rustedt, Clerk.

She married (1) Walter Monroe "Kid" Sharp, 21 Oct 1950 in Enosburg, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 10 Nov 1922 in Alma, Stephens Co., OK,⁵⁸⁶ (son of Wylia Morris Sharp [1878 - 1941] and Dessie Belle Seawright [1885 - 1967]), d. 24 May 1953 in Vallejo, Solano Co., CA,⁶⁰⁴ buried in Fairview Cem., Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT. Walter Sharp was a World War II veteran. He earned the rank of 1st Lieutenant. He enlisted on 9/16/1940 in Duncan, OK. At that time, he had 3 years of high school. After the war, he attended the University of Oklahoma, earning a degree in Engineering. He was hired by General Electric in Burlington, VT. In Vermont, he met and married Marilyn Walcott. Their first home was in Burlington, VT. They built a home in Essex Jct., VT. While living there, they had their daughter, Cynthia Kay. When Cynthia was only 10 weeks old, Walter was killed in a car accident in Vallejo, CA. He was in California on business for General Electric.

She married (2) Alden Dale Walcott, 4 Apr 1958 in Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT,⁵⁸⁷ b. 21 Mar 1929 in Glover, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of Dale Barber Walcott [1897 - 1965] and Marjorie Mary Bean [1902 - 1992]), d. 24 Jul 2010 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁶⁰⁵ buried in Fairview Cem., Essex Jct., Chittenden Co., VT. ESSEX JCT. -- Alden D. Walcott died on July 24, 2010 in Burlington. Born on March 21, 1929 in Glover, VT, he was son of the late Dale B. and Marjorie (Bean) Walcott. Alden had deep roots in Glover, where his father ran the general store. He graduated from Barton Academy and the University of Vermont. He earned a master's degree from St. Michael's college in 1969.

In 1952, he began a 39 year teaching career at the Essex Jct. High School, serving as chair of the Science Department for many years. He also coached baseball, soccer, basketball and golf and taught driver education for 25 summers.

Alden married Marilyn (Rublee) Sharp in 1957. They shared a home together in Essex Jct. for 51 years. They spent summers at their summer cottage on Shadow Lake in Glover and after retirement, winters in Venice, FL. Alden enjoyed his family, skiing on a cold winter afternoon, travelling in the US and beyond, gardening, and watching the patterns of nature. He was known for his quick wit and sense of humor.

He served as president of local teachers associations and the Chittenden County Teachers Credit Union. He was on the State Teachers Retirement Board for 16 years, serving as chair for 10 years. He was committed to his students and was honored twice as an outstanding educator. The greenhouse at the Essex High School was dedicated to him in May 2010.

He leaves his wife Marilyn; children Cindy and husband Michael Alger of Grand Isle, Carlton and wife Laure of Essex Jct., Stephen and wife Shari of Fairfax, and Mary and husband Jonathan Lasher of Columbia, MD as well as grandchildren Asa and Emily Alger; Sarah

Walcott, Keith Walcott and his wife Kaitie, and Ashley Walcott; Kyle and Jack Gagnon; and Ben and Sophie Lasher, and great-grandchildren Kelcee and Reece Cadorette. Also his sister-in-law Leah (Ruble) Cramton and nephew Jeffrey Cramton of Springfield, MA. He was pre-deceased by his sister Charlotte Locke of Barton.

The family invites friends to visit with them at the Corbin and Palmer Funeral Home, 9 Pleasant St., Essex Jct. on Sunday, August 1, 2010 during the hours between 1 and 3 pm to share memories of Alden's life.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the Essex Rescue Squad, 1 Educational Dr., Essex Jct., VT 05452.

He married (2) **Elgie Lucina Platt**, 20 May 1948 in Rutland, Rutland Co., VT,³² b. 19 Nov 1898 in Northampton, Hampshire Co., MA,²⁹¹ (daughter of **Albert A. Platt** [1855 - 1939] and **Florence Ida Bentley** [1865 - 1932]), d. 12 Jul 1980 in Colchester, Chittenden Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT. In 1910, the Platt family was living in Castleton, VT. In 1920, Elgie's parents were living in Littleton, NH. Only Ethel was living at home. Elgie's first husband, William Mace, was a boarder in Palmer, MA. Elgie was also a boarder, in Springfield, with her son William. Her marital status was married. She was working as a clerk in a store. Apparently, the Maces had separated by then. It appears that William remarried before 1930, to Anna. He was still living in Palmer in 1930.

By 1930, Elgie was living with her second husband Thomas W. Tanish, in Springfield. He was 35, born in Massachusetts. Her son William B. Mace, age 13, was living with them. In 1940, the Tanishes were living in Mendon, VT. The census indicates that they lived in Bradford, VT in 1935.

"Rutland, Vt. (U. P.) - Mrs. Thomas Tanish did not let a record snowstorm keep her off a Rutland county jury. The first couple of miles from her isolated home [in Mendon] to the courthouse she covered on snowshoes and finished the trek aboard a snowplow." (The New York Times, Sunday, January 2, 1944).

479. **Clair Deforest⁶ Rublee, M.D.** (Deforest Mark⁵, Marshall Milton⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 22 Jun 1897 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 25 Jun 1968 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Pine Grove Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT. "CLAIR RUBLEE while driving the bread car of the Enosburg Falls bakery on the Richford trip Monday lost control of the machine going down a grade this side of East Berkshire and went into the ditch. Something like a hundred loaves of bread and numerous packages were badly mixed. Neither Mr. Rublee nor Gardner Mears who accompanied him were hurt nor was the machine badly damaged." (Richford Gazette, 8/31/1916)

Clair Rublee graduated from the University of Vermont Medical School in 1920. He established a practice in Newport, VT, where he remained. He was a veteran of World War I (Berger, 1974, unpagged). He was called into active service on 4 Nov 1918 and served until 11 Dec 1918.

Mildred (Brownell) Rublee graduated from the University of Vermont in 1920 (Berger, 1974, unpagged).

"RUBLEE Mildred Isabel Brownell passed away at 10:30 A M Tuesday May 17 at her home 5 School Avenue at the age of 52 years 1 month 7 days Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P M Thursday May 19

at her late home with Rev Frederick Meyer of Rockville Center Long Island N Y officiating assisted by Rev W A Bugden Interment in Lakeview Cemetery, Burlington. Curtis Funeral Home in charge." (The Newport Daily Express, Newport, Vermont, 17 May 1949, Tue, page 2)

Mary (Johnston) Rublee was a lab and x-ray technician for the former Orleans County Hospital and the Newport Clinic. Later, she worked as receptionist and bookkeeper for the Chittenden Bank in Newport.

He married (1) **Mildred Isabel Brownell**, 1 Aug 1922 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,³² b. 10 Apr 1897 in Cambridge, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ (daughter of **George Brownell** [1873 - 1900] and **Elizabeth "Lizzie" May Nathan** [1876 - 1948]), d. 17 Apr 1949 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁶ buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.³⁹ In 1900, Mildred was 3 years old, living in Cambridge, VT with her aunt Belle Neffin (Nathan). By 1910, she lived with her mother and step-father Rufus Brown in Burlington, VT.

Children:

- 612 i. Elizabeth Ann "Bet"⁷ Rublee b. 15 Sep 1925 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 19 Aug 2019 in Kennebunk, York Co., ME. Elizabeth Ann Rublee Scott, a native and longtime resident of Newport, passed away on August 18, 2019, in Kennebunk, ME. Born in Newport on September 15, 1925, Elizabeth was the daughter of Mildred (Brownell) and Dr. Clair D. Rublee, MD. She attended Newport schools, but graduated from Gould Academy in Bethel, ME, in 1943. Thereafter, she attended the University of Vermont, graduating in 1947 with a bachelor's degree in dietetics. Elizabeth was a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority.

Upon marrying Sullivan Scott, Sr., of Derby in August 1949, the couple lived in Troy, NY, so that her husband could complete his studies as an electrical engineer at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. They briefly returned to Newport in 1954-1956, then moved to New Hampshire with their two sons, Sullivan Scott, Jr., and Gregory Scott. Elizabeth and her family lived in several towns in southern New Hampshire as her husband's career advanced with Public Service Company of New Hampshire.

Elizabeth was an avid gardener and reader, as well as exceptional homemaker who loved and supported her family in countless ways. She loved to entertain family and friends and was known for her love of cooking. She volunteered at numerous hospitals, churches, and other organizations as they lived throughout New Hampshire.

Elizabeth was predeceased by her husband in 1992 at which time she moved back to Newport. She lived at the Bluffs where she loved to sit on her porch overlooking Lake Memphremagog. She moved to Sentry Hill retirement community at York Harbor, ME, in 2015. In 2017, Elizabeth moved to Atria Senior Living in Kennebunk, ME.

Elizabeth is survived by her two sons, Sullivan, Jr. (Yol Hui) of Epping, NH, and Gregory (Linda) of Kennebunk, ME, as well as four grandchildren: Gary Scott of Kittery, ME, Susan Scott of Kew Gardens, NY, Matthew Taccone of Portland, ME, and Ryan Scott of Kennebunk, ME.

A graveside service will be held at 1 pm on Friday, September 6 at Pine Grove Cemetery in Newport.

Arrangements have been made with Bibber Memorial Chapel of Kennebunk, ME, and Curtis-Britch & Bouffard Funeral Home of Newport. There will be no calling hours. On-line condolences at curtis-britch.com. (Published in Newport Daily Express on Aug. 27, 2019).

She married Sullivan Gerald "Gerry" Scott, 20 Aug 1949 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,³² b. 12 Apr 1923 in Irasburg, Orleans Co., VT,^{335,478} (son of Roland O. Scott and Sadie R. Magny), d. 1 Mar 1992 in Lebanon, Grafton Co., NH.³³⁵

- 613 ii. Clair Deforest Rublee b. 17 May 1928 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 1 Oct 1992 in Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT,⁵⁸⁸ buried in Lakeview Cem., Burlington, Chittenden Co., VT.³⁹ Clair Rublee, known as Sonny to his family, died when he was struck by a car while crossing Williston Road in South Burlington, VT.

He married Ann Page Chandler, 1952 in Andover, Essex Co., MA,²⁹² b. 9 Oct 1931 in Highlands, Orange Co., NY,⁴⁷⁴ (daughter of Rex Chandler and Ann Page), d. 17 Dec 1992.³³¹

He married (2) **Mary Elizabeth Williamina Johnston**, 27 Mar 1954 in Richford, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 5 Apr 1919 in Derby, Orleans Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **William Johnston** and **Mary McBain**), d. 10 Aug 2004 in Newport, Orleans Co., VT,⁷⁹ buried in Pine Grove Cem., Newport, Orleans Co., VT.

481. **Emmet Hammond⁶ Rublee** (Clayton Beach⁵, Marshall Milton⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 9 Oct 1905 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 24 Oct 1952 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵

He married **Harriet "Hattie" Margaret Martin**, 3 Oct 1931 in Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 3 Aug 1906 in Swanton, Franklin Co., VT,³³¹ (daughter of **Nelson Martin** and **Louise Greenia**), d. 30 Mar 1994 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Berkshire Ctr. Cem., Berkshire, Franklin Co., VT.⁵⁵ "ENOSBURG FALLS Hattie M. Rublee, 87, widow of Emmett Rublee, died Wednesday evening in Northwestern Medical Center in St. Albans following a brief illness. Mrs. Rublee was born in Swanton, Aug. 31, 1906, the daughter of Nelson and Louise (Greenia) Martin. Mrs. Rublee was a resident of Enosburg and Berkshire for most of her life. She was a former member of the East Berkshire Episcopal Church and the Berkshire Center Dorcas Society. Hattie will be remembered throughout Franklin County for her pastry and roll-making. She is survived by a son, Nelson Rublee and his wife, Gerry, of Milo, Maine; a daughter, Patty Kennison and her husband, Howard, of Franklin; three sisters, Mrs. Phyllis Garey of St. Johnsbury, Mrs. Florena Moore of Harrison, N.J., and Ms. Leota Martin of St. Albans; six grandchildren, Roddy, Ricky, Vikki, Kathy and Andy. . ." (The Burlington Free Press (Burlington, Vermont) 1 Apr 1994, Fri, page 16).

488. **Reval Alpha⁶ Rublee** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 29 Apr 1907 in Montréal, QC, Canada?,^{347,589} d. 2 Aug 1980 in Regina, SK, Canada,^{503,590} buried in Regina, SK, Canada.⁶¹⁰ "1931-1940

In 1940 Guy Harris was still managing the Canadian Consolidated Elevator. The Western Grain Company remained under the management of Hillmer Mills. Federal Grain had opened in 1932, having purchased

the State Elevator and was managed by Howard Yager. Reval Rublee continued as the agent at the Pool Elevator [in Kenaston, SK].

1941-1950

Wheat was king and the elevators on the west side of the tracks were doing a good business in this era. The Canadian Consolidated was sold to the United Grain Growers in 1949 and Guy Harris had retired after 28 years of service. The Western Grain Company had remained until bought out by Federal Grain in the late 1940's with Howard Yager continuing to manage the plant. In 1950 Reval Rublee was the long standing manager the Wheat Pool." (<https://www.kenaston.ca/pages/history/elevator.html>)

"RUBLEE August 2, 1980, Reval Rublee, late of 519 Shaw St., Regina, passed away at the age of 73 years. Predeceased by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. O.E. Rublee, Mr. Rublee is survived by his loving wife, Beatrice, one son, Lyle and his wife Joyce of Regina, two grandchildren: Bradley of Winnipeg and Cindy of Regina, five brothers: Dalton of Washington, Eric and Bill, both of Dodsland, Sask., Merritt of Hamilton, Jack of Vancouver, two sisters: Jean Kallio of Dinsmore, Sask., and Helen Bullis of Edmonton. The funeral mass will be held on Tuesday, August 5, 1980 (today) at 1:30 p.m. in St. Peters R.C. Church with Rev. Fr. S. Slezak the celebrant. Interment in Riverside Memorial Park Cemetery. Prayers were held on Monday, August 4, 1980 at 7:30 p.m. in St. Peters R.C. Church. Donations made to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family. Arrangements in care of the Lee Funeral Home. John Lipp, Funeral Director." (The Leader-Post, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, 05 Aug 1980, Tue, page 21).

He married **Beatrice O'Hara**, est 1930, b. 4 May 1908 in Renfrew, ON, Canada (daughter of **John James O'Hara** and **Christine Roach**), d. 21 Mar 1987 in Regina, SK, Canada. Beatrice's family migrated west to SK from ON, Canada about 1908, when John O'Hara received a homestead grant.

"RUBLEE March 21, 1987, Edna Beatrice Rublee, late of Santa Maria Nursing Home, passed away at the age of 79 years. She was predeceased by her husband, Reval; two sisters; and three brothers; and leaves to mourn, a son, Lyle (and Joyce), of Regina; two grandchildren: Bradley (and Barb), of Winnipeg, and Cindy, of Halifax; a brother, Edwin O'Hara, of Prince Albert; and numerous nieces and nephews. The Funeral Mass will be held .on Monday (tonight), March 23, 1987, at 7:00 p.m. in the chapel of the Santa Maria Nursing Home, with Rev. E. Mooney the celebrant. A private interment will be held In Riverside Memorial Park on Tuesday. . ." (The Leader-Post, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, 23 Mar 1987, Mon, page 33).

Children:

- 616 i. William "Lyle"⁷ Rublee b. 10 Nov 1931 in Allan, SK, Canada,^{347,609} d. 14 Nov 2015 in Regina, SK, Canada, buried in Riverside Mem. Park, Regina, SK, Canada.⁵⁹¹ "Obituary of William Rublee - It is with deep sadness and tremendous love that the family of William Lyle Rublee of Regina announce his peaceful passing on November 14, 2015 at the Wascana Rehabilitation Centre. Lyle is survived by his loving wife, Joyce (Bond of Assiniboia); son Bradley Rublee (Barb) of Saskatoon; grandson Dennis Rublee, Calgary; daughter Cindy Rublee (Marco Gruwel), Winnipeg; and grandchildren Casimir Gruwel and Marieke Gruwel of Winnipeg. Lyle is also survived by a sister-in-law, Beryl Laronge (Paul); brother-in-law Bill Bond (Pat) as well as several nieces and nephews.

Lyle was born in Allan, Saskatchewan on November 10, 1931, an only child to Beatrice and Reval Rublee. He was brought into this world by his grandfather, Dr. O.E. Rublee. Lyle graduated from Kenaston High School and went on to Saskatoon where he attended business school. His career took him from Saskatoon to Moose Jaw (where he met Joyce); Moose Jaw to Regina with the CPR; Regina to Winnipeg to St. Paul, Minnesota with the Burlington Northern and lastly with Kalium Chemicals in Regina from 1967 to his retirement in 1994.

Lyle and Joyce had 61 wonderful years together raising their family. He loved to take his children and grandchildren fishing and camping, and spent many beautiful summers at the cabin. Lyle and Joyce enjoyed travelling, dancing, and spending their retirement exploring with their motor home. Lyle was an amazing man who accepted his diagnosis of CBGD with dignity, never complaining and continuing to put his family first. He was very caring, compassionate and kind, always showing consideration for others. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather and will be missed more than words can say.
(http://speersfuneralchapel.com/tribute/details/5945/William_Lyle_Rublee/obituary.html#tribute-start).

He married Joyce Doreen Bond, 29 May 1954 in Assiniboia, SK,⁵⁰³ b. 6 Jul 1934 in Moose Jaw, SK, Canada,⁵⁹² (daughter of Wilford Elias Bond and Ruby Viola Wright).

489. **Dalton Elroy⁶ Rublee** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 5 May 1909 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,⁵⁰¹ d. 23 Dec 1994 in Olalla, Kitsap Co., WA.⁵⁰³ In 1933, Dalton Rublee owned property in Allan, Saskatchewan. On 1 Dec 1958, he and his wife became a naturalized citizen of the United States.

He married **Jean Elizabeth Weninger**, est 1930, b. 20 Jan 1909 in Portland, Multnomah Co., OR,²¹² (daughter of **Frank A. Weninger** and **Ruby K. Mohr**), d. 14 Mar 1991 in Olalla, Kitsap Co., WA.³³¹

Children:

- 617 i. Arden Elinor⁷ Rublee b. 21 Sep 1931 in Allan, SK, Canada,²¹² d. 6 Feb 1999 in Olalla, Kitsap Co., WA.²¹²

She married Robert Floyd Dibble, 28 Aug 1950 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada, b. 4 Dec 1924 in Eugene, Lane Co., OR,²¹² (son of James Floyd Dibble and Anna Pearl Davis), d. 29 Apr 1995 in Gig Harbor, Pierce Co., WA.⁵³⁴

- 618 ii. Louise Vanna Rublee b. 8 May 1933 in Allan, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ d. 22 Apr 2003 in Surrey, BC, Canada.

She married Michael Kolysher, 14 May 1955,⁵⁰³ b. 30 Dec 1930, d. 4 Jan 2016 in Surrey, BC, Canada?

490. **Eric Arlo⁶ Rublee** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 7 Jul 1912 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,^{503,609} d. 29 Dec 1998 in Kindersley, SK, Canada?,⁵⁹³ buried in

Bradwell Cem., Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK.⁵⁹⁴ Eric Rublee graduated from the University of Saskatchewan in 1937 with a degree in pharmacy. He resided in Kindersley, SK.

He married (1) **Lorena Marie England**, est 1940, b. 1 Nov 1913 in Mount Pulaski, Logan Co., IL,⁵⁹⁵ (daughter of **Lee England** and **Lulu Braden**), d. 25 Sep 2005 in King Co., WA,⁵³⁴ resided in Bremerton, Kitsap Co., WA. According to Border Crossing records, Lorena lived in the US until about 1919. In 1952, she crossed the border to reside permanently in Bremerton, WA. Son Dale accompanied her. She has previously lived in Dodsland, SK. She and Eric divorced between 1952 and 1956, when she married Robert Davis in Skamania Co., WA. This date of birth is from border crossing records. When she married for the second time, she gave her date of birth as 1 Nov 1920. Her Social Security record gives the 1913 date.

"Lorena Davis. Nov. 1, 1913 to Sept. 25, 2005. Lorena M. Davis, 91, of Bremerton died Tuesday at Harborview Medical Center. She was born in Mt. Pulaski, Ill., to Lee and Lulu (Braden) England. On June 9, 1956, she married Robert Davis in Stevenson, Wash.

Mrs. Davis worked as a pharmacist assistant for 45 years in Dodsland and Bremerton. She also was a homemaker and grandmother who enjoyed bowling, ceramics, travel, gardening and her dog, Scheenia.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Eric Rublee, and siblings, Erma and Robert. Surviving are her husband; sons, Vernon Dale Rublee (Margaret) of Olalla and Robert Davis Jr. of Bremerton; grandchildren, Bobby, Trevor, Jacquie, Jimmy, Stephen and Tommy; and great-grandchildren, Alex and Max. . . " (Kitsap Sun, 30 Sep 2005).

He married (2) **Doris Madeline Michael**, aft 1956 in Dodsland, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ b. 18 Dec 1927, d. 11 Mar 2020 in SK, Canada (prob).

491. **John "Jack" Driscoll⁶ Rublee** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 17 Jul 1920 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ d. 7 May 2001 in Sechelt, BC, Canada.⁵⁹⁶ Jack Rublee graduated from McGill with a medical degree in 1943. He served with the Canadian Armed Forces as medical officer. After returning to Canada, he took post-graduate courses in pathology and bacteriology. In the 1970's, he was living in Prince George, British Columbia (Charles Rublee manuscript).

"RUBLEE, Jack Driscoll, M.D. FRCP(C) Born July 17, 1920 in Bradwell, Saskatchewan; passed away suddenly May 7, 2001 in Sechelt, B.C. He is lovingly remembered by wife Ninna, their children: Cathy (Bob Stathers), Bill (Avril), Flo (Rob James), and Jacqui (Dave Parkinson); and grandchildren: Christine, Patricia, Bill, Dave, and Graham Stathers; Jessie, Aaron, and Cory Rublee; and Kate, and Jack Parkinson." (Vancouver Sun Newspaper, Vancouver, BC, 10 May 2001).

He married **Ninna Katherine (twin) Young**, 1946 in Wilkie, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ b. est 1923 (daughter of **A. M. Young**).

493. **William Orson⁶ Rublee** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 18 Jul 1922 in Bradwell, Saskatoon Co., SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ d. 4 Jan 1986 in Dodsland, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ buried in Dodsland/Druid Cem., Dodsland, SK, Canada.⁵⁹⁷ Bill Rublee was flying his own plane at age 16. He

served overseas with the Royal Canadian Air Force. At age nineteen, he was the youngest Canadian pilot to be awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. In the early seventies, he was a farmer in Saskatchewan. His wife, Margaret Young, is the twin sister of his brother Jack's wife, Ninna Young (Charles Rublee manuscript).

RUBLEE, P/O William Orson (J16205) - Distinguished Flying Cross - No.142 Squadron - Award effective 17 March 1943 as per London Gazette dated 13 April 1943 and AFRO 809/43 dated 7 May 1943. Born 1922. Home in Wilkie, Saskatchewan; enlisted in Saskatoon, 4 March 1941. Trained at No.4 ITS (graduated 29 August 1941), No.6 EFTS (graduated 7 November 1941) and No.11 SFTS (graduated 27 February 1942). Commissioned 1941. Invested with award by King George, 21 March 1944.

Pilot Officer Rublee has completed 34 operational sorties against targets in Germany, Italy and Tunisia, always pressing home his attack with great determination. On one occasion, when over Sicily, his aircraft was hit repeatedly. The petrol tank caught fire and the hydraulic system was put out of action. After the fire had been extinguished Pilot Officer Rublee flew the aircraft back to base and made a successful crash landing. This officer's fine record of constant devotion to duty is worthy of the highest praise. (RCAF Personnel - Honours and Awards - 1939-1949 (<http://www.airforce.ca/citations/wwii/rubin.htm>))

"The death of Mr. William Orson Rublee age 60 years of Dodsland, Sask. occurred at Dodsland on January 4th, 1983. The Funeral Service will be held on Friday, January 7th at 2:00 p.m. from the Dodsland United Church conducted by Rev. Mark Aitchison. Surviving are: his loving wife Peggy, two sons, Kip of Dodsland and Marshall of Saskatoon, one daughter, Jane of Red Deer, Alberta, two grandchildren, four brothers, Dalton of Olalla, Washington; Eric of Dodsland; Jack of Sechelt, B.C.; Merritt of Stony Creek, Ontario; two sisters, Mrs. Jean Kallio of Dinsmore; Mrs. Helen Bollis of Edmonton. He was predeceased by his parents and one brother, Reval. . . ." (Star-Phoenix, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, 06 Jan 1983, Thu, page 21).

He married **Margaret "Peggy" (twin) Young**, 14 Nov 1945 in Wilkie, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ b. est 1923 (daughter of **A. M. Young**), d. 14 Aug 2007 in Kindersley, SK, Canada,⁶¹⁷ buried in Dodsland/Druid Cem., Dodsland, SK, Canada.⁶¹⁷ "Peggy (Rublee) Haryett. Peggy passed away August 14, 2007 at Heritage Manor in Kindersley. She is survived by her son Kip (Adele); daughter Jane, and son Marshall (Kathie). Grandchildren, Michelle (Earl Mullen), Michael (Angie), Jordan, & Geneva. Four great grandchildren, Tyson Mullen, Brooklyn, Shelby, and Ella-Rae Rublee. Twin sister Ninna Rublee of Sechelt, BC; sister-in-law Margaret Young of Vancouver; and sister-in-law Doris Rublee of Kindersley. She was predeceased by her first husband of 38 years, Bill Rublee. Peggy was faced with another loss when her second husband Cliff passed away after 15 years of marriage. Peggy was also predeceased by Cliff's daughter, Marilyn Moore. Peggy is also survived by her second family Val (Randy Munch), Gary and Velma Moore. Grandchildren, Morgan (Rob Weir), Ryan (Derek Paul), Linda (Kim Waddell), Judith (Ben Coxworth) and Drew Lyons. Three great grandchildren, Cougar, Sasha, and Taylor." (Saskatoon Star-Herald, 17 Aug 2007).

494. **Jean Elizabeth⁶ Rublee, M.D.** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 26 Dec 1924 in Allan, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ d. 17 Mar 2002 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada.³³⁵ KALLIO (Rublee) Jean Elizabeth, late of Saskatoon, passed away on Sunday, March 17 2002 at the Royal University Hospital. Born to Dr. Orson and Florence Rublee on December 26, 1923. Jean was raised and schooled in Allan SK until she moved to Saskatoon to attend Grade 11 and 12 at Nutana Collegiate. Jean was an excellent

student. Graduating from Nutana at the age of 15, she entered pre-Med on a scholarship to the University of Saskatchewan. Following in her father's footsteps, she completed her medical training at McGill University in Montreal, receiving her MD in 1944. After convocation. Jean served with the Army Medical Corps (R C A M C.) at Workpoint Barracks in Victoria, BC where she met and fell in love with Willard Kallio, a dashing young engineer from Dinsmore. Sask. In 1946, Jean moved to Wilkie to run her ailing father's medical practice. She and Willard were married there on June 29 that summer. The newlyweds then went to study at the University of Toronto, Jean studied Public Health until she became pregnant with their first child. Willard's parents moved to their new home (901) in Saskatoon, and Jean and Willard moved into the family home on the Kallio farm south of Dinsmore. There, they started their family of five boys. Larry (1947), Bob (1949), Rick (1953), Jack (1955) and Randy (1959), and a baby girl Lynn (1962). Jean was very busy with her growing family but she made time to serve on many committees, including the Wheatland Regional Library (which Jean helped establish), the University Hospital Board, West Central Health Region, and Beechy Eston Home care. The Kallios were very active, thanks to a lot of help from "Uncle Bill" Tryyki, who lived with the family on the farm. In 1971, they built a cabin at Coteau Beach on Lake Diefenbaker (Jean had a fondness for those cold, early morning swims). Jean and Willard also spent much time at 901 in Saskatoon, moving there permanently in 1989 when Lynn and husband Don moved into the farmhouse. In recent years, Jean resided in the Dignified Care Home, under loving care. Jean and Willard (Doc and Cal) were together for 55 years of life, love, and family; she was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend; she will be sorely missed. Jean is survived by her husband Willard; sister Helen (Hummy) Bullis of Edmonton; sons Bob (Peggy) of Saskatoon, Rick (of Avrielle, France), and Randy (Karen) of Saskatoon; daughter Lynn (Don) Davey of Dinsmore; granddaughters Cynthia (Mike), Natalie, Leah, Brianna, Shelby, Sarah, Rachel, and Laura; grandson Tyler; and great-granddaughter Ashton. Jean was predeceased by her loving sons, Jack (1973) and Larry (1977), her parents, and her brothers (Reval, Dalton, Eric, Jack, Merrett, and Bill). . . ." (Star-Phoenix (Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada) 19 Mar 2002, Tue, page 23).

She married **Willard "Cal" Kallio**, 1946 in Wilkie, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ b. 13 Jun 1922 near Dinsmore, SK, Canada (son of **Leo Kallio** and **Elsie Tryyki**), d. 13 Jan 2011 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada. "Willard Kallio was recognized for his long time support and dedication to the Saskatoon and District Chamber of Commerce, receiving the first ever lifetime honorary membership.

According to his son Bob, Willard likes to show his birth certificate which shows he was born on NE 1/4 - 26 - 24 - 11 - W3, the home quarter of his Dad's farm, in June 1922. He attended Nutana Collegiate in Saskatoon for Grade 11 and 12, and then graduated from the University of Saskatchewan with a degree in mechanical engineering in 1944. Willard then joined the army, where he met Dr. Jean Rublee, who he married six months after their first date.

Together Willard (many know him as Cal) and Jean raised six children on the farm at Dinsmore, moving to Saskatoon in 1988. Sadly Willard wife Jean passed away in March 2002, after 55 years of marriage.

Willard and Jean were founding members of the Wheatland Regional Library, and became life members of the Sask. Library Trustees Association. Willard was a founding member of the Eston-Elrose School Division where he served for thirty years, from January 1, 1953 when his first son started school, to December 31, 1982 shortly after his daughter finished.

Willard also served on the Senate and the Board of Governors of the University of Saskatchewan and has been actively involved in politics at the local, provincial and federal level. Willard has remained active in the Saskatoon and District Chamber of Commerce for approximately 30 years, and remains active in the Saskatoon Cosmopolitan Club, the Canadian Club, the Canadian Institute of International Affairs, and regularly plays bridge at the Saskatoon Club, where he is also a life member." (Saskatoon District and Chamber of Commerce, 2003)

Our Story:

KALLIO, Willard and Jean

My father, Leo Kallio lived on the Finland side of the Tornio River, across from Sweden. The family lived on a rock cliff on the bank (Cliff-Kallio in Finish). He was the oldest of 12 and went to Minnesota in 1904. His brother John came later and in 1912 they went to Saskatchewan and homesteaded on a ¼ section each near Dinsmore. My mother came over several years later and married John. They had two children but John and the children all died from the flu epidemic of 1919, leaving my mother a widow. She came back to Dinsmore and married Leo in 1921.

John and Leo had bought a ½ section in 1918 and John built a house and barn (still standing) on it. Another uncle, Matt, broke all of the ½ section that summer. My daughter Lynne and her family live on it now, 18 miles south of Dinsmore.

I was born June 13, 1922 at my parents' farm. I went to a country school two miles away by a Shetland pony (Violet) and my dad took me by horse and sleigh in the winter. I was the only child my parents had. We had about 15 kids in eight grades and I took 9 and 10 by correspondence. I went to Nutana Collegiate in Saskatoon for grades 11 and 12 and took 5 years of engineering at the University of Saskatchewan, graduating in 1944.

All of us engineering students spent the summer holidays in 1943 in the army and went back on graduation day. We went to Kingston and Brockville for training and upon getting my commission was sent to Vancouver, Prince George (V.E. Day), Prince Rupert and Victoria.

In Victoria I met Jean Rublee, a medical officer, at the bar at the officer's mess in Workpoint Barracks.

Jean was born in Allan, the daughter of a country doctor, Dr. Orson Rublee, a McGill graduate for Sherbrooke PQ. Jean had gone to Nutana and the U of S when I did but we didn't know each other. She had also gone to McGill for her medical degree and had been posted to Victoria.

Jean I courted in Victoria, Empress Dinner Dances and we were both discharged in the spring. Dr. Rublee dies in the spring and Jean took over his practice until we were married in Wilkie, where they then lived, on June 29, 1946. At that time her brother Jack took over the practice. We had a honeymoon in Calgary and Banff and returned to the farm. That fall we both went back to school at the University of Toronto for the winter. We returned to the farm in the spring and had our first boy, Larry, in June 1947 at the Lucky Lake Hospital.

My father built a house in Saskatoon in the Nutana area that summer and my parents moved there in July 1947. We lived on the farm for the next forty years but had constant contact with my parents in Saskatoon.

We had four more boys, Bob, Rick, Jack and Randy from 1949 to 1959 and finally a daughter Lynne born in the middle of the doctors strike in 1962. Our doctor had delivered all of our kids at the City Hospital and was not going on strike.

We finally got electricity in 1956 and the roads were improved and snowplowed in the winter.

In 1953 we set up a school unit (Eston to Dinsmore to Kyle) and I was elected to the board. We set up a school to serve the area south of Dinsmore and used a school bus and bombardier for a few years. I was involved in the affairs for thirty years while in the executive and finally vice president position.

My wife and I were both involved with the library development and I was the first chairman for ten years for the Wheatland Regional Library (Lanigan to Alberta). We both did a lot of work in setting it up and getting more municipalities to join. It is still running well today. I was on the University Senate for 12 years and served on the University board for 6 years. We started Innovation Place and planned the Agriculture Building. My kids went to University and Technical school and I am still interested as my grandchildren are now there.

Jean served on the Royal University Hospital for several years and I was on the City Hospital Board for some years, involved in the design and building of the new beautiful City Hospital.

We built a cottage on Diefenbaker shortly after the dam was built. We founded a resort village and served on the council for 11 years and were very involved with the Provincial Association of Resort Communities for 10 years.

We are still involved with many groups. I am a member of the Saskatoon Club playing bridge most afternoons. I am still a member of the Chamber of Commerce and go to luncheons and agricultural committees. I've been secretary of the Saskatoon Cosmopolitan Club for 10 years. The club was established in 1928 and has built the Cosmopolitan Seniors Centre on 11th Street and Broadway Avenue, established Cosmopolitan Industries which now provide busing and work in scrap paper for 300 handicapped people in Saskatoon. They also built Eamer Court and Stensrud Lodge with 100 senior rooms and full care.

My father died in 1955 and my mother in 1966. Our children lived in my dad's house while they went to school or worked in Saskatoon. In 1988 my daughter Lynne and her family moved to the farm and moved permanently into the house. We have two boys, Bob and Randy in Saskatoon, Lynn on the farm and Rick a Catholic Priest living in France. We have 8 granddaughters, one grandson and one great granddaughter.

In 1999 Jean went to a private care home and in September 2000 I moved to Luther Riverside Terrace and two of Bob's daughters live in my old house.

The Terrace is a nice place to live as people who work here are very nice to us. All the people in the Terrace are nice, even though we men are outnumbered 4 to 1, but we men hold our own!

Grandma Kallio (Jean Kallio) - Eulogy

(Cynthia)

My sisters and I are very fortunate to have grown up so close to our Grandma Kallio, “Grandma Up-The-Hill.” She was a special influence in our lives.

(Nat)

From the time we were little girls, we knew our grandma was special....in fact, we knew she was brilliant. For as long as I can remember I knew the story of how Grandma graduated from Grade 12 with a ninety-five average. My report card would come and I would wish for the same.....it was a benchmark, it was a goal. Too young for nursing our Grandma went to medical school, a trailblazer at a time when few women even thought to aspire to such a goal. As I set off for Montreal in the fall, I will be thinking of her doing the same over sixty years ago. We, the granddaughters, grew up with this story – it is something of which I have always been proud, which so greatly influenced my life. Cynthia, me, Leah and girl after girl followed. Uncle Bill would say “no good, no good” (he couldn’t wait for Tyler), be we girls were blessed. Even though Grandma herself rarely spoke of medical school, when she bathed our sunburns in vinegar we knew it wasn’t crazy (or maybe we just needed a reason to endure it) because our Grandma was a doctor and because of this somehow I knew I could be anything I wanted to be “When I grew up.”

(Cynthia)

She was always “Doc” to Grandpa and to the rest of the neighborhood. When I was young I remember the neighbours phoning to ask Grandma what to do about their sick kids. Plus, she always had surgical scissors and bottles of odd medicines (calamine lotion and 292’s come to mind first!).

When Grandma and Grandpa moved to Kallio Farms and began to focus on family, Grandma gave up her career as a doctor and devoted her time and energy to raising six children. Larry, Bob, Rick, Jack, Randy and Lynne became her life – a life she was proud of and very good at.

When I began to think of my memories of Grandma, a theme soon emerged – FOOD! From peach and Saskatoon pie, angel food and marble cakes, chop suey, pot roast and Sunday roast beef dinners, to our ultimate treat – Finnish flatbread (which I am convinced you can live on, especially as a University student). I remember when we came home and Grandma would give us a loaf of bread on out way down the stairs – we ate the whole loaf with butter for supper. One other memory is the lemonade she used to send to the field in the dish detergent bottles, Kraft Dinner too – she made it for lunch every time they came to stay at 901 (and they loved it!)

Grandma used to wait until everyone was finished eating – essentially she would wait on us – and then when everyone was done she would sit down, with a book, and eat while reading. It is from her that we gained our love of reading, as did our Dad). She would let us read anything – all books were good books!

We also spent a lot of time with Grandma at the lake. She would swim when it was too cold for anyone else, and Grandpa would make hot buttered rum afterwards. We also played games with her – Scrabble, Rummy, Fish and Boggle. She was pretty lenient with us) didn’t let us cheat exactly, but would bend the rules_. She did however put her foot down when Uncle Rick tried to use Hebrew words!

(Nat)

Rich and Grandma played “Kallio rules” - Dad played “Scrabbles” rules! And who could forget the endless jigsaw puzzles on the dining room table” and the soap operas (Another World)? There are so many other

memories, our own and those shared. The beauty products: especially black Clairol hair dye, Chanel No. 5, Nivea Cream in the blue jar and Jergens lotions (that sweet cherry and almond scent will always remind is of her). Picking (and eating) raspberries and her fabulous raspberry jam. Again with the food, but it begun with the picking – crabapples, peas, beans, potatoes (which were the least fun, especially at Chesters!), including the memory of her rubber gardening boots and wow, she indulged all of us so much (I should say, spoiled us rotten). Even Don! She would make him a mess of the pork hocks and sauerkraut that he loved, even though no one else would eat it (except Grandpa, because she'd just tell him he liked it!). She even stayed home from China to be with Lynne who was expecting Brianna – she couldn't be traipsing around the East when her baby was having a baby! But the spoiling was so wonderful – from the fame snow on the windows at Christmas to picking the first crocuses every spring behind the machine shed to starting us all off to early coffee addictions (beginning with a cup of evaporate milk with an ounce of coffee!).

(Cynthia)

Grandma and Grandpa had a very special and interesting relationship. It used to amaze me that he could talk about this “whatchamacallit” and that “whatchamacallit” and she would always know what he was talking about. Another favorite is the questions he would ask at the dinner table.... “Doc, do I like this?” The reply was always “Yes Cal”. They also had their differences – primarily in politics. Grandma was a die-hard Liberal and Grandpa went to the “dark side.” CBC radio did a special on them after a picture appeared in the Star Phoenix and saw both a Reform sign and a Liberal sign on the front lawn. They were such different people, but their love for each other was unlike any other. Leah remembers waking up one Saturday night at the lake, not long ago and watching them dancing to the oldies – Doc and Cal.

(Nat)

I was the lucky one, or so I feel. I got to spend Grandma's last good years living with her. I may never get the stench of moijaka out of the vents, but I loved being so close. I spent almost as much time upstairs as I did down. I got to see the sweetness between “Doc and Cal” in great detail – we all remember Grandma sitting in bed on Sunday mornings, reading and Gramps would bring her coffee. I was also the bossy one, and Grandpa and I would fight about the importance of milk's expiration date and other trivialities and I am certain we kept her entertained. Grandma was a woman of few words, but I remember one Saturday morning Grandpa woke me up at 7 am to give me hell for throwing out his moldy, gross “containers” – he went back upstairs and I could hear Grandma say “You go right back down there and apologize to her because if she leaves, I leave!” And so he did, with a little smirk. She was our referee, our touchstone and she made living there ever so wonderful, no matter what. It is beautiful because of her that our relationship is so strong today – and I would not give that up for the world.

(Cynthia)

We and the entire family would like to thanks Joyce and the staff at the Dignified Care Home for treating Grandma with dignity and respect. It truly was Grandma's home for the past couple of years. Special thanks also to Grandpa, who learned how to do the laundry and cook so that grandma could stay at home as long as she did.

(Nat)

We also want to thank everyone for your condolences and mostly your presence. Our Grandma was an unforgettable woman, a role model, a shoulder to cry on and someone who made you want to love as

she loved. She is my inspiration and I love her with all of my heart – and for the little ones, I promise to share her with them, so they too will know how wonderful she was.

(Cynthia)

It gives us great comfort that Grandma is in a better place now and somewhere the smell of fresh bread is wafting out of an oven – the angels are eating well today. She is and always will be the most inspirational figure in our lives – Our Grandma up the hill."

Source: <http://www.wdmprairiegamble.com/>

"Willard (Cal) Kallio KALLIO Willard (Cal), S.V.M, B.Eng., passed away on January 13, 2011 at Luther Special Care Home. He was born on June 13, 1922 on the Kallio homestead (since 1918) at NE 26-24-11 W3 (18 miles south of Dinsmore). His parents, Elsie (nee Tryyki) and Leo, were proud Finnish immigrants; Willard grew up speaking Finnish in a tight-knit community of Coteau Hills Finns. Travelling by Shetland pony (Violet) or sleigh, Willard began his lifelong love of education at a nearby country school. He continued grades 9 and 10 by correspondence and moved to Saskatoon to complete grades 11 and 12 at Nutana Collegiate. From there, he went into Engineering at the University of Saskatchewan, earning his iron ring and B.Eng (Mechanical) in 1944. He spent the summer of 1943 in the army and, on convocation day, reported for duty. After completing training in Ontario, his commission took him to Vancouver, Prince George, Prince Rupert, and Victoria where, in the bar at the Officer's Mess in Workpoint Barracks, the dashing young engineer met Dr. Jean Rublee (Army Medical Corps). Willard had a Jeep for his duties and would drive Jean home after work. With that, and the help of some Empress Dinner Dances and a Forbidden Plateau ski trip, he swept her off her feet. In 1946, Jean moved to Wilkie to run her ailing father's medical practice; they (Doc and Cal) married there that summer and honeymooned in Banff. When the crop was almost off, the newlyweds went on to study (Jean in Public Health, Willard in Electrical Engineering) at the University of Toronto. In the spring of 1947, Elsie and Leo moved to their new home (901) in Saskatoon, and Willard and Jean moved to the farm in time to welcome their first child, Larry, that June, followed by Bob (1949), Rick (1953), Jack (1955), Randy (1959), and Lynn (1962). In 1971, they built their beloved cabin at Coteau Beach on Lake Diefenbaker. Jean and Willard also spent much time at 901, moving there permanently in 1989 (along with the steady stream of family and friends who lived in the basement suite). Willard was a prolific volunteer and public figure, devoted to education and literacy, community service, and politics. In 1953, Willard helped found the Eston-Elrose School Division, and served on that board for 30 years; he was active in the Saskatchewan School Trustees Association, and became a lifetime member in 1981. He and Jean were integral in founding the Wheatland Regional Library in the 60s so every town and village would have access to a proper library; Cal held executive positions on the West Central Regional Library Committee, Minister's Library Advisory Council, Canadian Library Trustees Association, and Saskatchewan Library Trustees Association (honoured with a lifetime membership, shared with Jean). He was also a lifelong advocate for the University of Saskatchewan, serving on the University Senate and Board of Governors for more than a decade, helping plan Innovation Place and the Agriculture Building. Everything about Willard was political; he and Jean were both actively involved in the federal Liberal Party, attending many national conventions and, in 1972, he unsuccessfully ran as the Liberal candidate for MP in the Moose Jaw riding. In the 80s, Doc and Cal parted ways politically when Cal shifted his allegiance over to the Reform Party, following them to the Alliance and Conservatives (although he often disagreed with Stephen). Willard was active in the Saskatoon Cosmopolitan Club (secretary for ten years), Provincial Association of Resort Communities, City Hospital Foundation (responsible for the new building), Chamber of Commerce, Joel,

El Appeal Board, Canadian Institute for International Affairs, Canadian Club, and so much more. Cal was also involved in the Ancient Roaring and Raucous Order of Armisticians as part of his lifetime membership at the Saskatoon Club--the site of many a family occasion and countless Saturday afternoons spent drinking scotch and playing bridge with his cronies. He was also an avid world traveller, dedicated farmer, news junkie, and music lover. In April 2001, Willard was presented with the Saskatchewan Volunteer Medal at the Legislature, in the presence of Prince Charles, for his years of dedicated service. After 56 years of life, love, and family, Cal's beloved Jean died in March 2002. In the years following, he slowed but never stopped, and he and his walker were a familiar site on the streets of Saskatoon. In 2007, he made the Luther Special Care Home his home, and he was cared for with great affection; the family wants to especially thank all the staff for their endless kindnesses. In the past two years, he was delighted by the addition of two new great-grandchildren to his brood: one named for his beloved son Jack, another his namesake (Finn). He died in the Luther Special Care Home, under loving care, in loving arms. Willard is survived by sons Bob (Peggy), Rick (now Father Albert), Randy (Linda); daughter Lynn (Don) Davey; daughter-in-law Karen; granddaughters Cynthia (Mike), Natalie (Neil), Leah (Scott), Brianna, Shelby, Sarah, Rachel, and Laura; grandson Tyler; great-grandchildren Ashton, Jack, and Finnley. Willard was predeceased by wife Jean (2002), sons Jack (1973) and Larry (1977), and many dear family and friends. . . . " (The Leader-Post 22 Jan 2011).

495. **Helen Anita⁶ Rublee** (Orson Elroy⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 Jan 1928 in Allan, SK, Canada,³⁴⁷ d. 27 May 2014 in Edmonton, AB, Canada. "BULLIS, Helen (nee Rublee) January 28, 1928 - May 27, 2014. It is with sadness and much love that we say good-bye to our precious Mom and Grandma. As a young woman, Mom worked as a laboratory technician at the University of Saskatchewan but once her children started arriving, she completely devoted her life to being a mother and what an extraordinary mother she was. Her values embraced family and close friends. The kitchen table was the central gathering place. She welcomed the loving chaos of raising her five children and adored her grandchildren. Mom was a kind and gentle lady who was a loyal Oiler and Eskimo fan. Left to cherish her memory and the kindness of her heart are her children Nancy (Gord), Susan (Alan), Barb (Bob), Doug (Fine) and Cathy (Wade), and grandchildren Jeff, Adam, Alison, Blair, Andi, Kate, Eric and Evan, and her very special four legged friend, Duffy. She was predeceased by her husband, Bill and her six brothers and one sister." (Edmonton Journal, 31 May 2014).

She married **William "Bill" Baird or Biard Bullis**, 1950 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada,⁵⁰³ b. 21 Sep 1930 in Saskatoon, SK, Canada (son of **Harry Bullis** and **Ada Boehmer**), d. 2001 in Edmonton, AB, Canada.

496. **Charles George⁶ Reed** (Marcia Lemira⁵ Rublee, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Oct 1905 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{35,598} d. 25 Jan 1986 in Victoria, BC, Canada.^{219,618}

He married (1) **Laure-Aimee Quenneville**, 16 Apr 1928 in Rivière-Bleue, Bas-Saint-Laurent Region, QC,^{347,35} b. 11 Mar 1907 in Huntingdon Co., QC, Canada (prob),²¹⁹ (daughter of **Augustine Quenneville** and **Adeline Hart**), d. 29 Oct 1971 in Montréal, QC, Canada.²¹⁹ At baptism, Laure-Aimee's name was Marie Estelle Laure Aimee Quenneville.

He married (2) **Mary Duncan**, 6 Nov 1977 in Victoria, BC, Canada,²¹⁹ b. est 1908.

497. **Floyd Rublee⁶ Reed** (Marcia Lemira⁵ Rublee, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 1 Oct 1912 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{219,35} d. 19 Nov 1992,³⁴⁹ buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC.³⁴⁹

He married **Fernande "Bibiane" "Bea" Dufour**, 24 Aug 1940 in Edmundston, NB, Canada,⁵⁹⁹ b. 5 Jun 1918 in Notre Dame du Lac, Témiscouata, QC, Canada,²¹⁹ (daughter of **Jules Dufour** and **Helene Labrie**).

498. **Alice Marcia⁶ Reed** (Marcia Lemira⁵ Rublee, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 9 Aug 1917 in Estcourt (Pohénégamook), Témiscouata, QC,²¹⁹ d. 2 Apr 1998 in Victoria, BC, Canada.

She married **Shirley Joseph Ross**, 2 Sep 1937 in Metis Beach, Bas-Saint-Laurent Region, QC,³⁵ b. 20 May 1905 in Hampton, NB, Canada,^{219,505} (son of **Joseph Ross** and **Elizabeth Powell**), d. 22 Jul 1986 in Victoria, BC, Canada.^{219,505}

499. **Merritt John⁶ Rublee** (Marshall Cleveland⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 22 Sep 1914 in Hope Valley, AB, Canada,³⁴⁷ d. 31 Jan 1997 in Hope Valley, AB, Canada?,⁶⁰⁰ buried in Rosedale Cem., Wainwright, AB, Canada.⁶²⁰

He married **Lorna Charlotte Gunn**, 28 Oct 1945 in AB, Canada (prob),³⁴⁷ b. 3 Sep 1923 in Stratton, Rainy River, ON,⁶⁰¹ (daughter of **George Albert Gunn** and **Agnes Isabella Cooper**), d. in Hope Valley, AB, Canada? Lorna Gunn married first, Ernest Stanley McDonald. They were apparently divorced.

501. **Reginald Arnold⁶ Rublee** (Charles "Charlie" Merritt⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 24 Aug 1918 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{347,35} d. 16 May 1979 in Woodstock, Oxford Co., ON, Canada.³⁴⁷ After leaving high school, Reginald Rublee went to work for the Royal Bank of Canada. During World War II, he took a leave to serve in the Canadian Armed Forces in Canada, England and Italy. In the early seventies, he was working at the head office of the Royal Bank at Place Ville Marie in Montreal, Quebec (Charles Rublee manuscript).

"RUBLEE, Reginald. Suddenly at Woodstock, Ontario, on May 16, 1979, beloved husband of Vivian Thompson, father of Robert of Toronto and Scott of Dorval, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rublee. Brother of Ronald and Earl all of Sherbrooke, Quebec. Funeral Private from D.A. Collins Memorial Chapel, 222 Metropolitan Blvd., Highway (20 at Cartier) Pointe Claire, on Friday, May 18. In lieu of flowers donations to the Charity of your choice would be greatly appreciated." (The Gazette, (Montreal, Quebec, Canada), 18 May 1979, Fri, page 59).

He married **Vivian Thompson**, 26 Jul 1947 in Montréal, QC, Canada,³⁴⁷ b. 29 Nov 1921 in Cornwall, ON? Vivian Thompson Rublee was a resident of Cornwall, Ontario (Charles Rublee).

502. **Ronald Irving⁶ Rublee** (Charles "Charlie" Merritt⁵, Merritt Beach⁴, Milton³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 12 Feb 1921 in Minton, Stanstead Co., QC,^{347,35} d. 5 Oct 2009 in Grace Christian Home, Huntingville, QC,

buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC. Ronald Rublee worked since 1940 for the Ingersoll-Rand Company in Sherbrooke, Quebec (Charles Rublee manuscript).

"Peacefully surrounded by his family at the Grace Christian Home on Monday October 5th, 2009 in his 89th year. Loving husband of the late Jean Page, and loving father of Helen (Gary), Shirley and Arthur (Laura). Cherished grandfather of 9 and great grandfather of 4. Ron is also survived by his brother Earl, several sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, cousins, nieces, nephews and many dear friends. Service will be held at the Greenridge Baptist Church, 47 Queen St., Lennoxville, QC, on Friday October 9th at 2:00PM. Interment at Reedsville Cemetery, North Hatley, QC, followed by a reception at Greenridge Church. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Canadian Bible Society or Frontier Lodge would be gratefully appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to Cass Funeral Homes."

He married **Jean Alberta Page**, 10 Jul 1948 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁴⁷ b. 3 Jan 1927 in Sherbrooke, Stanstead Co., QC,³⁴⁷ (daughter of **Charles Willis Page** and **Florence Alberta Swift**), d. 27 May 2009 in Grace Christian Home, Huntingville, QC, buried in Reedsville Cem., N. Hatley, Stanstead Co., QC. "Passed away peacefully at the Grace Christian Home on Wednesday May 27th, 2009 in her 83rd year. Loving wife of 60 years to Ronald Rublee, and loving mother of Helen (Gary), Shirley, and Arthur (Laura). Cherished grandmother of 9 and great grandmother of 2. Jean is also survived by her brothers, sisters, many nieces, nephews and dear friends. A graveside service will be held in the Reedsville Cemetery, North Hatley, on Friday May 29th at 2:00PM, followed by a reception at the Grace Christian Home. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Canadian Bible Society or to the Grace Christian Home would be greatly appreciated by the family."

508. **Ada May⁶ Rublee** (Albert Andrew⁵, Andrew Humphrey⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 4 Jan 1907 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 8 Oct 1995 in Lewiston, Androscoggin Co., ME (prob), buried in Riverside Cem., Lewiston, Androscoggin Co., ME.⁶⁰² In 1940, Philip and Ada Durprey lived in Orange, VT with their children. It appears that they moved to Maine, as all of their children were married in Maine - and that they used the spelling Duprey. However, Ada and Tancride's surname is spelled Dupuis on their gravestones.

She married **Tancride "Phillip" Dupuis**, 14 Apr 1934 in East Montpelier, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 11 Apr 1908 in Barre, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ (son of **George Duprey** and **Marie Bernier**), d. 19 Mar 1949 in Lewiston, Androscoggin Co., ME (prob), buried in Riverside Cem., Lewiston, Androscoggin Co., ME.

511. **Roy Albert⁶ Rublee** (Albert Andrew⁵, Andrew Humphrey⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 15 Jun 1912 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 9 Mar 1994 in Morristown, Lamoille Co., VT,⁶ buried in Fairview Cem., Hardwick, Caledonia Co., VT.⁶⁰³ In 1940, Roy and Ruth Rublee lived in Waterbury, VT with their infant daughter Carol.

He married **Ruth Agnes Misulus**, 26 Sep 1937 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 19 Jun 1918 in Springfield, Hampden Co., MA,⁶⁰⁴ (daughter of **Alexander J. Misulus** and **Viola M. Bellville**), d. 23 Jul 2000 in El Paso, El Paso Co., TX,⁶²⁸ buried in Fairview Cem., Hardwick, Caledonia Co., VT.⁶²⁷ "Rublee, Ruth A., 82, of El Paso died Sunday (July 23, 2000). Services will be in Hardwick, Vt. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery in Hardwick. Survivors include her sons, Joseph A. Rublee and Michael R. Rublee; her

daughters, Carol A. Clark and June A. Sida; 15 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She was a homemaker and lived in El Paso for six years." (El Paso Times, July 23-31, 2000).

513. **Helen Nora⁶ Rublee** (Albert Andrew⁵, Andrew Humphrey⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee), b. 27 Oct 1916 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,⁴⁰ d. 22 Jul 2001 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁶ At the time of her marriage, Helen Rublee resided in Windsor, VT. She was a telephone operator (Marriage Record, VT Vital Records).

She married **Bartley Matthew Tierney**, 12 Sep 1949 in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT,³² b. 28 Oct 1912 in Calais, Washington Co., VT,^{6,478} (son of **Charles Bartley Tierney** [1878 - 1914] and **Ethel Julia Rublee** [1883 - 1926]), d. 26 Apr 1989 in Berlin, Washington Co., VT,⁶ resided in Plainfield, Washington Co., VT.⁶ Bartley Tierney and Helen Rublee were cousins. In 1930, both of his parents were dead. He lived at the Kurn Hatin Home in Westminster, VT.

515. **Bartley Matthew⁶ Tierney** (Ethel Julia⁵ Rublee, Andrew Humphrey⁴, Andrew "Ajax"³, Andrew², William¹ Robblee) (See marriage to number 513.)

529. **Francis Manville "Bud"⁶ Rublee** (Francis "Frank" Manville⁵, Francis Manville⁴, Francis Manville "F. M."³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 28 May 1911 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,⁶⁰⁵ d. 25 Apr 1991 in Seward, Seward Co., NE (prob),³³¹ buried in Malcolm Cem., Malcolm, Lancaster Co., NE.⁶⁰⁶ In 1940, Francis and his wife Florence lived with Francis' mother Lena in Los Angeles. Francis was still married to Florence when he registered for the WWII draft that same year. Francis Rublee served in WWII. He lived in California through at least 1943, but apparently lived in Nebraska later.

"Rublee Francis M "Bud," 79, Seward, died Thursday (42591). WW1 Navy veteran. Retired outstate supervisor, Journal-Star Printing Co. Member, American Legion, St. John Lutheran Church, Seward. Former baseball player, manager, Blue Valley and Cornhusker baseball leagues. Survivors: wife, Lila; son, Mark, Seward; daughters, Lynne Habener, Jann Highfill, both Lincoln; nine grandchildren. . . ." (The Lincoln Star, Lincoln, Nebraska 26 Apr 1991, Fri, page 22).

He married (1) **Margerite Luba "Luby" Hall**, 13 Sep 1935 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,⁵⁴⁶ b. 1914 in British Columbia, Canada,³³⁰ (daughter of **R. P. Hall** and **Lillian Lashin**), d. 1985 in Scottsdale, Maricopa Co., AZ (prob), buried in Paradise Mem. Gardens, Scottsdale, Maricopa Co., AZ.⁶⁰⁷ Margerite Luba (Hall) Rublee married second, on 30 Sept 1937 in Los Angeles, Harry Fredrich Goehner.

He married (2) **Florence _____**, bef 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA (prob), b. abt 1915 in FL.

He married (3) **Bette Frances (Morehouse) Haymond**, 27 Jan 1943 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 28 Aug 1917 in Twin Falls, Twin Falls Co., ID,²¹² (daughter of **Ralph E. Morehouse** and **Elsie H. Halbert**), d. 10 Oct 2004 in Tucson, Pima Co., AZ (res). The US Social Security Applications and Claims and Index would suggest that Bette may have had 2 more marriages to Mr. Sells and Mr. Scott.

He married (4) **Mildred Irene Bean**, b. 1 Feb 1921 in Davenport, Thayer Co., NE (daughter of **Owen Elbert Bean** and **Bessie Marie Nelson**), d. 11 Mar 1954 in Lincoln, Lancaster Co., NE, buried in Seward Cem., Seward, Seward Co., NE. "Mildred Irene Rublee, age 33, died Thursday. Survived by Francis "Bud" of Seward. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Bean, Seward, three sisters and two brothers. . . ." (Lincoln Journal Star (Lincoln, Nebraska) 12 Mar 1954, Fri, page 20).

He married (5) **Lila Maxine Mook**, 6 Nov 1954 in Seward, Seward Co., NE, b. 31 Oct 1927 in Pleasant Dale, Seward Co., NE (daughter of **Leroy Mook** and **Hedwig Meta "Hattie" Lindner**), d. 23 Sep 2012 in Lincoln, Lancaster Co., NE, buried in Malcolm Cem., Malcolm, Lancaster Co., NE.⁶³⁴ "Lila Maxine Rublee, 84 years old, went to rest with her Lord on September 23, 2012. Lila was born at Pleasant Dale on October 31, 1927, a loving daughter to Leroy and Hattie (Lindner) Mook. She was confirmed in the Lutheran Faith at Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran School in Seward on May 23, 1941 and attended Lincoln High School. On November 6, 1954 she was united in marriage to Francis "Bud" Manville Rublee in Seward. She was a devoted mother and a loving involved grandmother. Lila enjoyed Husker football, reading, golfing and playing cards. Lila was employed by the Seward Memorial Hospital for many years.

Lila is survived by her children, Lynne Strunk (Lincoln) and former spouse Carl Strunk (Ceresco), Jann Rublee and husband Lindell Luebbe (Pickrell), and Mark Rublee (Lincoln); grandchildren, Brooke Habener, Amber Stephens, Levon Habener, Dustin Stephens, Steve Habener, Drew Habener and fiancée Amy Schweitzer, Trisha Leifert, Carly Strunk-Habener, Joshua TeSelle, Ethan Kosmicki, and Kessa Rogers; great-grandchildren, Rebecca, Cameron, Carmen, Ian, Alex, Cassandra, Madison, Haley, Holden, Jazlyn, Mark Shawn; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Lila is survived by her sister, Donna Matthes, and sister-in-law, Wilma Mook. Preceding her in death were her husband, parents, twin brothers Ralph and Ray Mook, and sister-in-law Helen Cecil. . . ." (JournalStar.com).

530. **Helen Elizabeth⁶ Rublee** (Francis "Frank" Manville⁵, Francis Manville⁴, Francis Manville "F. M."³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 9 Aug 1912 in Los Angeles Co., CA.⁶³³ In 1940, it appears that Robert Biggs was not living with Helen. He was rooming in Los Angeles. He was a police officer. Helen lived in Beverly Hills. There was no child in the home. Where was son Frederick? He did live to adulthood and marry.

"Helen Rublee to be Bride of R. J. Biggs. Marriage of Miss Helen Rublee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Rublee, Jr., of 524 North Kilkea Drive, to Robert J. Biggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Biggs of Beverly Hills, will be solemnized June 28 at the Wee Kirk o' the Heather. A reception at the home of the bride's parents will follow. Miss Rublee will wear her mother's twenty-seven-year-old gown. Mrs. Andy Lombard will serve as matron of honor. Bridesmaids will be Misses Judy Elliott, Frances Googenheim and Evelyn Christiansen. Francis M. Rublee, III, a brother, will act as best man." (Los Angeles Times, 20 Jun 1934)

An internet source suggests that Helen died in 1971 in PA. I cannot verify that.

She married **Robert Jacob Biggs**, 28 Jun 1934 in Hollywood, Los Angeles Co., CA,³³⁰ b. 13 Dec 1914 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,³¹² (son of **Frederick C. Biggs** and **Catherine Gertrude Mckenna**), d. 24 Feb 1962 in Los Angeles Co., CA,²⁸¹ buried in Los Angeles National Cem., Los Angeles, CA.⁶⁰⁸

534. **Mildred⁶ Rublee** (William Ariel "Wrylie" "Rile"⁵, Charles "Albert"⁴, Ariel Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 22 Aug 1925 in Dallas Co., TX (prob),³³¹ d. 10 Aug 2006 in Spring, Montgomery Co., TX (res),³³¹

buried in Magnolia Park Cem., Dayton, Liberty Co., TX.⁶⁰⁹ Did Mildred actually marry Clyde B. Reynolds? Only her marriage license is available to view currently, and note the date for her marriage to James Montgomery.

Mildred apparently had more children than are given here. They are listed on her gravestone; first names only: Caroleen, Mildred, Paula, Jimmy, Jamie, Joi and Becky.

She married (1) **Clyde B. Reynolds**, abt 26 May 1945 in Houston, Harris Co., TX,²¹⁶ b. est 1922.

She married (2) **James Franklin Montgomery**, 15 Sep 1945 in Houston, Harris Co., TX.²¹⁶

She married (3) **Clarence Joe Abbott**, est 1957, b. 27 May 1926 in LaRue, Henderson Co., TX (son of **Thomas Charles Abbott** and **Clarisa Catherine Crist**), d. 3 Oct 2007 in Tyler, Smith Co., TX, buried in Lindale City Cem., Lindale, Smith Co., TX.⁶¹⁰ "CHANDLER - Graveside services for Clarence Joe Abbott, 81, Chandler, are scheduled for 2 p.m. Monday at Lindale City Cemetery with the Rev. Don Herring officiating. Arrangements under direction of Chandler Memorial Funeral Home. Mr. Abbott died Oct. 3, 2007, at a Tyler hospice. He was born May 27, 1926, in LaRue. He served in the Marine Corps during World War II, was a truck driver and a member of Assembly of God. He was preceded in death by brothers, Racy, Doc and J.T. Abbott, and sisters, Bessie Webb and Rena Fields.

Survivors include his wife of 40 years, Melba L. Abbott, Chandler; daughter, Joy G. Abbott, Houston; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. Grandchildren will serve as honorary pallbearers."

Children:

- 672 iii. Joi Gayle Abbott b. 30 Jul 1959 in Harris Co., TX,⁵²⁶ d. 20 May 2008 in Conroe, Montgomery Co., TX, buried in Magnolia Park Cem., Dayton, Liberty Co., TX. "Joi Gayle Abbott Shaver, 48, of the Woodlands, died Tuesday, May 20, 2008, at the Odyssey House in Conroe.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, May 24, 2008, at the Pace-Stancil Funeral Home Chapel with burial following at Magnolia Park Cemetery in Dayton. Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday, at the funeral home. Services are under the direction of Pace-Stancil Funeral Home in Dayton.

Joi was born July 30, 1959, in Houston, to parents Joe Abbott and Mildred Rublee, a former resident of Houston and has resided in The Woodlands for the past five years. She was a homemaker, member of the Mt. Belvieu United Pentecostal Church, and enjoyed watching TV, collecting stuffed lions and tigers, playing bingo, dancing, and listening to music.

Mrs. Shaver was preceded in death by her father: Joe Abbott and mother: Mildred Rublee Cleaver. She is survived by her daughter: Cristina Rebecca Shaver of Spring, son: Brandon Goolsby of Houston, sisters: Rebecca Lou "Becky" Patton and husband Buddy of Dayton, Caroleen "Carol" Hammons of Meridian, Paula Caudill and husband Walt of Pasadena, and Jamie Meekins of Sheldon, brother: James W. "Jim" Montgomery of Dayton, and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends."

She married _____ Shaver.

She married (4) **Glenn Cleaver**, 30 Jul 1962 in Fort Bend Co., TX.²¹⁶

536. **Charles "Charlie" Albert⁶ Rublee, Sr.** (William Ariel "Wrylie" "Rile"⁵, Charles "Albert"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Feb 1929 in Crandall, Kaufman Co., TX,⁵⁴¹ d. living 2013, resided in Santa Fe, Galveston Co., TX.

He married (1) **Helen Marie McCaffrey**, 19 Oct 1946 in Dallas, Dallas Co., TX,⁶¹¹ b. Aug 1928 in Memphis, Shelby Co., TN,⁶⁴⁷ (daughter of **William "Willie" Hugh McCaffrey** and **Mary Margaret Rushing**), d. 3 Oct 2004 in Texas City, Galveston Co., TX,³³¹ buried in Forest Park East Cem., Webster, Harris Co., TX.⁶¹² "Helen Marie Rublee, 76, passed away Sunday, October 3, 2004, in Texas City, Texas. She was born August 22, 1928, to William and Mary McCaffrey in Memphis, Tennessee. Helen was a homemaker, loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother. She was a member of the Methodist faith and a member of Arabia Temple in Houston, Texas. Funeral services will be Wednesday, October 6, 2004, at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of James Crowder Funeral Home with Reverend Sharon Sabom officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Park East Cemetery in Webster, Texas. Visitation will be Tuesday, October 5, 2004, from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Survivors include her husband of 58 years, Charlie A. Rublee, Sr.; daughter, Kathy Ann Rublee of North Pole, Alaska; two sons, Charles A. Rublee, Jr. and wife, Marina of Belize, William R. Rublee and wife, Gina of Laredo, Texas; her sister, Dorothy J. Brown of Porter, Texas and three brothers, James Edward, Donald Ray and Robert Hugh McCaffrey, all of Magnolia, Texas. Also her eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren". (Wilson County News, 10/7/2004).

He married (2) **Shirley Mary (Mitchell) Pizzo**, aft 1997, b. 25 Jan 1931 in Houston, Harris Co., TX (prob),⁵²⁶ (daughter of **Elmer Cleveland Mitchell** and **Nellie May cFarland**), d. 24 Jan 2013 in Santa Fe, Galveston Co., TX,³³⁵ buried in Forest Park Cem., Webster, Harris Co., TX.⁶⁴⁸ "Shirley Pizzo Rublee was born on January 25, 1931. She died at home in Santa Fe, Texas on January 24, 2013. She was born to Elmer Mitchell and Nellie McFarland, and was married to Arthur Pizzo until he passed away in 1997. Shirley enjoyed bowling, fishing, and traveling. She was an avid domino player, was a former Sunday school teacher, was a former member of the Lions Club, and was very active with the Thelma Weber Senior Center, in Santa Fe, Texas. Shirley was one of the first females to deliver newspapers by bicycle.

Shirley is survived by husband Charlie Rublee, Son Stephen Pizzo and Sheila (Snow), Daughter Tina Pizzo, Grand-daughter Daisy Gardner and husband Nathan, and Grand-sons Lee and Kevin Roberts, 2 Step-sons, a Step-daughter, nieces, nephews, and friends, and dog Harley. Shirley was preceded in death by First Husband Arthur Pizzo, Son Gary Pizzo, and Daughter Linda Reyes.

Services will be held at Forest Park East Funeral Home. Viewing will be Friday, January 25th from 6-8pm, and Funeral Services will be Saturday, January 26th at 3pm."

537. **Mary Ellen⁶ Rublee** (William Ariel "Wrylie" "Rile"⁵, Charles "Albert"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 3 Jan 1931 in Grand Prairie, Dallas Co., TX,⁵²⁸ d. 6 Aug 2012 in Harris Co., TX.⁶¹³ "Mary Ellen

Corley was born in Grand Prairie, Texas on January 3rd, 1931. She entered Heaven's gates on August 6th, 2012. She was a consummate mother and homemaker who took great pride in her husband of 61 years, Roy C. Corley. The love she shared with him was an inspiration to all who knew her. She also leaves behind four loving daughters: Lynda Corley, Cyndi Corley, Charleen Corley-Williams, and Laura Corley-Burlton. She also took great joy in her seven grandchildren, two son-in-laws, numerous great grandchildren, along with many nieces and nephews." (Houston Chronicle)

The name given on her birth record is Lula. Is it possible that is an error, as that is also her mother's name?

She married **Roy Charles Corley**, 23 Dec 1950 in Harris Co., TX,²¹⁶ b. 1 Sep 1929 in Normangee, Leon Co., TX,⁵²⁸ (son of **Roy Charles Corley** and **Allie Viola Cobb**), d. 26 Oct 2019 in Spring, Harris Co., TX.

538. **Addie Lou⁶ Rublee** (William Ariel "Wrylie" "Rile"⁵, Charles "Albert"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 6 Feb 1936 in Kaufman Co., TX,⁵³⁰ d. 21 Mar 2000 in Harris Co., TX,⁴¹⁶ buried in Houston National Cem., Houston, TX.⁶¹⁴

She married (1) **John Grunn**, est 1954, b. est 1934.

She married (2) **Fred Christopher Mendel**, est 1957, b. 1 Mar 1935 in Houston, Harris Co., TX,²¹² (son of **Fred H. Mendel** and **Emmie Pavlicek**), d. 1 Oct 1997 in Harris Co., TX,⁴¹⁶ buried in Houston National Cem., Houston, TX.⁶⁵¹ Fred Mendel was a soldier in the Korean War.

543. **Paul DeWayne⁶ Rublee** (Seymour Jackson⁵, Andrew F. "Tink"⁴, Arial Parker³, Francis², William¹ Robblee), b. 9 Sep 1923 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL,^{331,396} d. 27 Apr 2012 in Harrisonburg, Rockingham Co., VA,⁵⁷¹ buried in Woodbine Cem., Harrisonburg, Rockingham Co., VA.⁶¹⁵ "Paul DeWayne Rublee, 88, a resident of Harrisonburg, passed away Friday, April 27, 2012, at Rockingham Memorial Hospital. He was born Sept. 9, 1923, in Chicago, Ill., and was the son of the late Seymour Jack and Louise Hazlip Rublee.

Paul was a C-47 Pilot in the U.S. Army Air Corps during WWII. He graduated from Purdue University studying mechanical engineering. He retired from Dunham-Bush as chief engineer after 26 years of service. He was a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity and SPEBSQSA, a barbershop quartet. He was also an avid golfer, volunteered with the fire department while living in Indiana and sang in the choir at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church.

On April 18, 1953, he married Mary Ellen King, who survives. Also surviving are four children. . . ."

"Mary Ellen Rublee, 85, of Harrisonburg, departed this life Thursday, May 17, 2012, from her daughter's home in Richmond. She was born Dec. 28, 1926, in Akron, Ohio. She attended Purdue University and worked as a legal secretary in Chicago.

She married Paul D. Rublee on April 18, 1953. They moved to Harrisonburg with their children in 1969. Mary Ellen was active in the community as a member of Valley Greeters, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Shenandoah Valley Choral Society and Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. She worked for JMU in the Records Office for many years. Mary Ellen was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother. She lived life to its fullest, and always put the needs of her family and friends before her own.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul D. Rublee, and her parents, Robert Ellsworth King and Regina Pauline Gross King. She is survived by her four children. . . ."

He married **Mary Ellen King**, 18 Apr 1953 in Cook Co., IL,⁶¹⁶ b. 28 Dec 1926 in Akron, Summit Co., Ohio (daughter of **Robert Ellsworth King** and **Regina Pauline Gross**), d. 17 May 2012 in Richmond, Henrico Co., VA,⁵⁷¹ buried in Woodbine Cem., Harrisonburg, Rockingham Co., VA.⁶⁵²

556. **Neal Morgan⁶ Wright** (Clair Orson⁵, Eunice Marion "Minnie"⁴ Rublee, Harmon A.³, John Brush², William¹ Robblee), b. 10 Sep 1905 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁷⁹ d. 11 Mar 1964 in St. Albans, Franklin Co., VT, resided in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT, buried in Maple Grove Cem., Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁶¹⁷

He married **Helen Arlene Towle**, 8 Sep 1929 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,³² b. 20 Jul 1911 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁴⁰ (daughter of **Arlan Stanley Towle** [1885 - 1971] and **Bernice Evelyn Whitney** [1887 - 1934]), d. 9 Jan 1994 in Franklin, Franklin Co., VT,⁶ buried in Maple Grove Cem., Franklin, Franklin Co., VT.⁶⁵⁶

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