Rev. Hans Hamilton (1536-1608) Descendants

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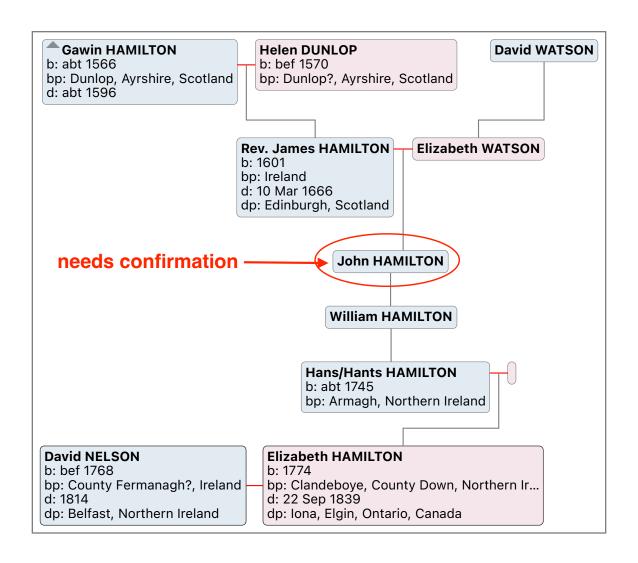
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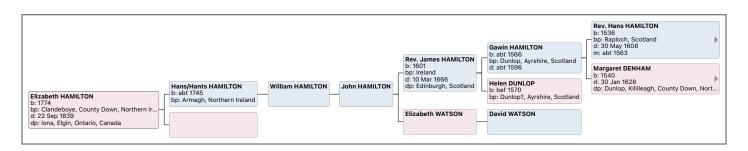
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Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

First Generation

1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON

Birth: 1536, Raploch, Scotland^{6880,8375}

Death: 30 May 1608⁶⁸⁸⁰ Burial: Dunlop, Ayrshire

Father: Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹

Occupation: Vicor of Dunlop, Ayrshire^{6899,6924,8376} Residence: of Raploch, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁹

- In a register of Ministers at the Reformation published by the Maitland Club, he is called John, and also on 27 Sep. 1563 when, styled son of the late Archibald Hamilton of Raploch, he appears as a witness. He was appointed vicar of Dunlop in that year and was from 1567 to 1574 reader of that parish. On 16th Dec. 1569 he had a letter, as Hans Hamilton, vicar and exhorter, warranting him to lift the fruits of the said vicarage, and on 11th April, 1586 had a precept of sasine addressed to him as John Hamilton, Vicar of Dunlop. In 1606, he was so unable to serve the benefice that another was presented. He died 30 May, 1608, age 72.6909
- [MSS defective] that in.. should be received.. as deserving (so far as public notice and observation.. This Gent. was born eldest son to a Gentleman.... descended of the Duke Hamilton's family.... by his lands Raploch, now of 400 years' standing or thereabouts. This Hans, being found a very hopeful youth, of good parts and disposition, was bred at Schools and Colleges so far as was then usual, yet of no other design, but to given him the accomplishments becoming his station and natural endowments. Butr as it fell out that he was drawn to appear for the Queen Regent in arms, in his youth, and by ill advice, he contracted the displeasure of the reforming party, and thereby, through the malice of the friends of his father's second wife, was deprived of the estate whereunto he was born the righteous heir, and so exposed to what other way of livelihood God would provide for him. In this case, as he had made very commendable progress in human literature, he was advised to betake himself to the study of Divinity, wherein his progress and good behavior were so observable and commendable, that he was ordained Minister of Dunlop in Cunningham, where he lived very usefully and commendable in the whole remainder of his time...and died within..love betwixt them..their neighbors and with..them. 2. That they bred all their sons to creditable employments, and married their daughter creditably to one William Moor, of Glanderstown. 5. In his homely way of speaking, he called his six sons (in allusion to the country expression) his plough; and, on the account of the death of his third son (whereof hereafter), he used often, with grief, to say that his plough was

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broken. Ten days before he died (being then in good health, though considerably aged), he called for five or six of the discreetest of his parishioners to him, and desired them to accompany him to the church, where he told them, "I [sayed he] shall die within few days, and though fit to acquaint you that I design to be buried in this [pointing to the place] spot of ground, and put it upon you to see it so done." On his return to his house, he called at a carpenter's house, and enjoined him.. by him.. his eldest son.. to be erected, whi.. much out of repair and a school.. back of it of considerable value. The names of the above-mentioned six sons, in the order of their birth, are James, Archibald, Gawin, John, William, and Patrick. 6885

• The Rev. Hans was a natural son of Archibald Hamilton of Raploch. In a "Register of Ministers at the Reformation" published by the Maitland Club he is called John, and on 11 April, 1586, was also referred to as John Hamilton, Vicar of Dunlop. He was appointed vicar in 1563, and carried on until 1606. A magnificent monument to the memory of Hans and his wife was erected in Dunlop Churchyard in 1642 by their eldest son, James, Viscount Clandeboye. The inscription states they lived married 45 years, during which time Hans faithfully served the Church, and sets out the names of their seven children. 8375

Spouse: **Margaret DENHAM**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Birth: 1540⁶⁸⁸⁹

Death: 30 Jan 1628, Dunlop, Killileagh, County Down, Northern

Ireland^{6889,6899,8375}

Father: **James DENHOLME**⁶⁸⁷⁷

Residence: of West Shields, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁹

Marriage: abt 1563^{6889,6909}

Memo: based on monument inscription

• Given name: Janet^{6877,6909}

7 Children...

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i. Sir James Viscount Clandeboye (~1559-1643)
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3 ii. Archibald (~1564-<1639)

4 iii. **Gawin** (~1566-~1596)

5 iv. **John** (~1568-1639)

6 v. William (1570-1627)

7 vi. **Rev. Patrick** (~1580-)

8 vii. **Jean** (~1586-)

Marriage Notes: • A magnificent monument to the memory of Hans and his Wife was

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erected in Dunlop Churchyard in 1642 by their eldest son, James, Viscount Clandeboye. The inscription states they lived married 45 years, during which the said Hans served the cure of the church, and sets out the names of the children, namely:

James

Archibald

Gavin

John

William

Patrick

Jean⁶⁹⁰⁹

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Second Generation

Family of Rev. Hans HAMILTON (1) & Margaret DENHAM

2. Sir James HAMILTON Viscount Clandeboye (Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1559, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁹ Removal: 1587, Ireland⁶⁹⁰⁹

Memo: from Scotland

Death: 24 Jan 1643, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland 6877,6878,6889,6909

Burial: Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁷⁷
Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608)
Mother: Margaret DENHAM⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

- Sir James Hamilton of Killileagh and Bangor, Knt. eldest son of the said Hans Hamilton of Dunlop, coming into Ireland, (with his brethren) was by James I, upon his accession to the throne, made his sergeant-at-law; called to the privy council; and on May 4, 1622, created Viscount Claneboye, and Lord Hamilton. He died in 1643, and was succeeded by his only son. 6876
- Sir James Hamilton of Killileagh and Bangor, Knt. eldest son of the said Hans Hamilton of Dunlop, being sent into Ireland (accompanied, or soon followed by his brethren) by K. James I. in the year 1587, with Sir James Follarton, in order to hold a correspondence with the English of that kingdom, and inform his Majesty, from time to time, of the state, condition, inclinations, and designs of the Irish in case of Q. Elizabeth's death. 6884
- He and his brothers appear to have gone to Ireland with Sir James Fullerton in order to hold a correspondence with the English of that Kingdom and inform his Majesty [King James of Scotland] of the state, condition, and designs of the Irish, in the event of Queen Elizabeth's death.⁶⁸⁷⁷
- In 1605 Down was divided between two Scots of Scotland, Hugh Montgomery and James Hamilton.⁶⁸⁸²
- On April 16, 1605, the land in Ulster once held by Con O'Neill or by his father in his lifetime was granted to James Hamilton and Hugh Montgomery, two Scottish lords. These two at once crossed into Scotland to call upon their whole kith and kin to aid them in settling upon their Ulster lands.

"Both were Aryshire men, from the northern division of the county. Hamilton seems to have received the hearty support of his own family, for four of his five brothers aided

his enterprise and shared his prosperity. From them are descended numerous families in Ulster, and at least two noble Irish families. Hamilton founded the towns of Bangor and Killyleagh, in county Down, and there is no doubt that he did 'plant' the land which he had acquired with Scottish tenants, the most of them evidently from the same counties in Scotland – Ayr, Renfrew, Wigtown, Dumfries, and Kirkcudbright. About 400 names appear on the rent rolls from these early years, including...Nelson."6882

- So, when the patent was finally issued under the Great Seal, April 16, 1605, "on the humble petition of Conn McNeale McBryan Feartagh O'Neale and of Hugh Montgomery Esq., and of James Hamilton, Esq.," it granted to the said James Hamilton all the lands in the Upper Clannaboye and the Great Ards which had been possessed by Con, or by his father, Bryan Feartagh O'Neale, in his lifetime.
- James gave very early indications of his great aptitude for, and disposition after, learning, and so passed his time in schools until he had received all the usual parts of learning taught in that Kingdom, and was within a little afterwards looked upon as one of the greatest scholars and hopeful wits in his time, insomuch that he was noticed by King James and his grave Council as one fit to negotiate among the Gentry and Nobility of Ireland for promoting the knowledge and right of King James' interest and title to the Crown of England, after Queen Elizabeth's death; and, on this account, was advised to write a book of his said interest, which was done to very good effect, and.. of all persons concerned in the three Kingdoms. Therefore, he was called to keep a public Latin school at Dublin, being instructed in the meanwhile and creditably supplied for conversing the Nobility and Gentry of Ireland for the King's service above mentioned, and he was very serviceable and acceptable therein... After this, he waits upon King James for several years at Whitehall, and receives from him knighthood as a mark of his favour, and is found a man of great wisdom, learning, and in great request with his Majesty, as being very faithful to, and very active for him, in his interest, and so highly honored of all great men in Court and City. At this time it fell out that Ireland had many lands and estates forfeited in a late rebellion, and now to be disposed of by his Majesty; and his Majesty, deigning to gratify his Scotch Nobility and Gentry, and by them to carry on, the planting of Ireland, was very disposed to grant, and accordingly did... Sir J.. Scotland... to Ireland... with a great... himself... him yearly... thousand pounds sterling in... with duties valuable to more than 12 hundred... a year; he is chosen one of his Majesty's Honorable Privy Council for that Kingdom, and created Lord Viscount Claneboye; so continues at reat favour at Court, and power and splendour in this Kingdom. 6885
- The Lord Claneboye had three ladies.... The last, Lady Jane Phillips, proved a very

Second	Generation
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excellent lady for solid piety and virtue; bore to him one son called James, afterwards Earl of Clanbrassill. My lord lived to a great age, viz., 84, or thereabouts, in great prosperity and honour, through God's blessing upon his wisdom and industry.⁶⁸⁸⁵

- Viscount Clandeboye, 4 May, 1622, ancestor of the Earls of Clanbrassill (I), extinct 1676 (see Extinct Peerage). 6899
- He was very honorably intombed in the place he had prepared for himself in the church of Bangor, in which his whole family is now laid by him.⁶⁸⁸⁵
- The story starts with James Hamilton, son of the Vicar of Dunlop in Ayrshire being appointed an 'Undertaker' by James I in 1605. He undertook to settled lands he was given by the king with his friends, connections and tenant farmers from Scotland. In return for the grant, he had to build a defended house with a bawn (wall), and administer his estates subject to satisfactory inspection by the king's emissaries. Since James Hamilton took over the Castle from Con O'Neill there have, without a break, been another eleven generations living in it. This first Hamilton was the only really clever one. If he had been alive today he would by now own Woolworths, The Ulster Bank and The Daily Mirror. As it was, he owned lands all over Ireland by his death, particularly the Hamilton Estates which comprised much of the Ards, all the Bangor area, most of the land between Killyleagh and Belfast and much of the North Coast of Antrim. He was created Viscount Claneboye, and his eldest son, who continued the good work, was advanced to an earldom and took the name of Clanbrassil.⁶⁹⁰⁰
- ...the eldest son of the vicar of Dunlop, was sent to Ireland from Scotland by James VI [sic] in 1587 to keep up correspondence with the English planters and inform him of Irish feeling in case of the death of Queen Elizabeth. He opened a Latin school in Dublin, and became Professor and M.A. of Trinity College and was tutor to Archbishop Usher.

He was transferred to London in August 1600 to negotiate with Queen Elizabeth. On 5th Aug., 1600, he is referred to in a letter from Ireland as Mr. James Hamilton, who, "has been a schoolmaster in the country and guides the Chamber and is now to be employed as Resident Agent at the Court." On 17th Dec., 1600, he asked for a passport {the seal on the wafer shows 3 cinquefoils on the shield and a crest of a boar's head couped on a helmet}. He announced the death of Queen Elizabeth to King James, by whom he was knighted, made King's Sergeant-at-law and by Letters Patent of the estates of Clandeboye and Ards in Co. Down, and in 1612, Sir James was named as one of the first Burgesses in a charter establishing the borough of Bangor, and was M. P. for Co. Down in the Irish Parliament in 1613.

• JAMES HAMILTON, the eldest son of Hans Hamilton, vicar of Dunlop, being sent into Ireland (accompanied, or soon followed by his brethren,) by King James VI., in the year 1587, with Sir James Fullarton, in order to keep up a correspondence with the English of that kingdom, and inform his Majesty from time to time of the state, condition, inclinations, and designs of the Irish in case of Queen Elizabeth's death; they disguised the cause of their errand, (that they might execute it the better,) by taking it upon them to open schools. After they had taught privately for five years, they were admitted to professorships in Trinity College; and they contributed greatly to bring the University of Dublin into that reputation which it quickly acquired. At this time the learned Archbishop Usher was one of Mr Hamilton's pupils.

After the accession of King James to the English throne, Mr Hamilton was made the King's Sergeant-at-Law, and one of the Privy Council, and, at the same time, was liberally rewarded for his services. In 1613 he sat in the Irish Parliament for the co. of Downe.

In 1619 he was nominated one of the commissioners for the plantation of Longford, and the territory of Ely-O Carrol; and, by patent, dated 4th May 1692, created Viscount of Claneboye and Lord Hamilton in co. Downe.

In November 1641 he received a commission from the Lords Justices and Council for raising the Scots in the north of Ireland, and putting them under arms to oppose the rebellion.

His Lordship married, first, Ursula, sixth daughter of Edward, Lord Brabazon of Ardee, by whom he had no issue. He married, secondly, Jane, daughter of Sir John Phillips of Pictou Castle in co. Fembroke, by whom he had an only son, 8376

Spouse: Ursula BRABAZON (-1625)

Death: 1625^{6887,6909}

Father: **Edward BRABAZON**^{6877,6899}

Mother: **Mary SMITH**⁶⁸⁷⁷

Divorce:

No Children

Marriage Notes: • He m. firstly, Ursula, da. of Edward (Brabazon). 6877

• His Lordship married, first, Ursula, sixth daughter of Edward, Lord Brabazon of Ardee, by whom he had no issue.⁸³⁷⁶

Spouse: Lady Jane PHILLIPS⁶⁸⁷⁷ (-4 Jan 1661)

Death: 4 Ian 1661⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: Sir John PHILLIPS

Mother: Ann PENBOT⁶⁸⁷⁷

Marriage: bef 1616^{6877,6909}

1 Child...

9 i. James Earl of Clanbrassil (1618-1659)

Marriage Notes: • He m. thirdly, Jane, da. of Sir John Phillips. 6877

Spouse: **Penelope COOK**

• Gives his first wife as Alice Penicuik. referred to in 1601/2 as being in Edinburgh with her husband James Hamilton, agent for the King of Scotland in England.⁶⁹⁰⁹

3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1564⁶⁸⁸⁹

Death: bef 6 Jul 1639⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608) Mother: **Margaret DENHAM**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Residence: of Halcraig, in Scotland; or Harrage, co. Lanark^{6885,6887,6898}

- In this time his second brother, Archibald, is educated in learning; then bred a Writer to the Signet in Edinburgh; afterwards settles Commissary at Limerick; becomes a man of great judgment and integrity, and purchases a good estate, and lives in great plenty and good esteem for wisdom, wealth, and piety, in that Kingdom generally during his whole life; married first to... by whom he had two daughters. 6885
- The second brother, Archibald, married first to.... then Rachel Carmichael, daughter to one named by his lands...... who was of great account in his time, whose eldest son was Lord Carmichael, and whose family still flourishes in Scotland. She proved a very virtuous woman, and good mother to his numerous family, and lived in widowhood all her life thereafter, and died of a great age; she bore twenty-two children... sons and daughters, whereof six sons came to be men, viz., John, James, Archibald, Gawin, William, and Robert, and his daughter Janet lived to a good age—of those more particularly afterward. This gentleman was really eminent for wisdom, piety, dexterity in his calling, and that, by God's blessing upon his honest endeavors, he purchas'd a good estate, partly in Scotland, and partly in Ireland; lived to a great age, and died much lamented.⁶⁸⁸⁵
- "whose line is now supposed to be merged in that of the Marquess of Dufferin and

Ava."6899

• On the death of Henry, 2nd. Earl of Clanbrassil, the male representation of the family passed to the descendants of: Archibald Hamilton, second son of the Rev. Hans Hamilton, vicar of Dunlop, by Janet Denham his wife, and next younger brother of Sir James Hamilton, 1st. Viscount Clandeboye. Archibald was a writer in Edinburgh and Sheriff—depute of Lanarkshire April 1594. He apparently acquired some interest in the estate of Halcraig {Lanarkshire}, and as of Haulcraig, Sheriff—Depute of Lanarkshire, is referred to 9th Aug. 1625. On 24th. Oct. 1628, Archibald granted the 5 pound lands of Weitschaw and Halcraig in the parish of Carluke to Robert Denholme yr. of Westshields. He was admitted a denizen of Ireland 20th May 1617, and became Commissary of Limerick. Styled late of Ballerott, he had from Lord Clandeboye a grant of the lands of Ballyskeighly 9th May 1626. Archibald died before 6th. July, 1639. He married first Margaret Symsoun, who died 1608. Confirmation of her Testament—dative dated 3 July 1609, was granted to her husband (styled writer in Edinburgh) as father and administrator to their only surviving infant daughter Jane. Archibald married secondly, 1612, Rachel, daughter of Walter Carmichael of Crawford, who survived him and died of a great age. 6909

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Spouse: Margaret SYMSOUN (-1608)
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Death: 1608⁶⁹⁰⁹

2 Children...

i. **UNNAMED** (Died young)

ii. Jane or Jean

Spouse: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

Birth: abt 1585⁶⁸⁹²

Father: Walter CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁹²

Mother: **UNNAMED**

Residence: of Carmichael, Lanarkshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁹²

Marriage: 1612^{6878,6892,6909}

8 Children...

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12 i. John
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ii. **James** (~1623-1683)

14 iii. **Gawen** (~1630-1703)

15 iv. **John**

v. **Archibald** (-<1703)

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vi. William (-~1712)
vii. Robert (-<1703)</li>
viii. Janet
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Family Notes: • Said to have had 22 children. 6909

4. Gawin HAMILTON (Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1566, Dunlop, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁹

Death: abt 1596⁸³⁷⁵

Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608) Mother: **Margaret DENHAM**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Residence: of Ballygawly^{6878,6899}

- The third son, Gawin, after due improvements in humanity at home, is bred a merchant in Glasgow; becomes a great and successful proficient therein; purchases, possesses, and manages some lands in Scotland, at the foot of Clide in..., and some lands in Ireland, at Hollywood, near Belfast; obtains a lease of the great Bann, near Colrain, and provides himself with three merchant ships, and carries the product of the aforesaid lands and fishings and other commodities of this country abroad, and brings home to Scotland, especially to Glasgow, and, viz., the Northern sea-ports and Dublin, wines and other effects from the places to which he had carried his other effects, and so becomes very wealthy and great in his station and way of living. 6885
- He died under thirty years of age, and was creditably buried in the church of Colrain, with great lamentation. 6885
- He was drowned near Coleraine by his boat overturning, aged 30.8375

Spouse: **Helen DUNLOP** (bef 1570-)

Birth: bef 1570, Dunlop?, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁹⁷

4 Children...

20 i. Archibald (-1662)

21 ii. Rev. James (1601-1666)

22 iii. Jane

23 iv. Helen

5. John HAMILTON (Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1568⁶⁸⁸⁹

Death: 4 Dec 1639^{6889,6899}

Burial: Mullaghbrack, Armagh, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁸⁵
Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608)
Mother: Margaret DENHAM⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Residence: of Corronary, of Coronary, Co. Cavan and of Monella, Co. Armagh^{6878,6899}

• The fourth son, John, after due education at schools at home, is invited and brought over by his eldest brother in Ireland; and he is by him employed in agenting of his law affairs for a time, and thereafter, by his industry, purchases a considerable estate, partly at Monellan (now Hamilton's Bawn), in the County of Armagh, and partly at Coronary, in the County of Cavan, of a considerable value, on which he lived very plentifully and creditably.⁶⁸⁸⁵

• "of Coronary, Co. Cavan, and of Monella, Co. Armagh." 6899

Spouse: Sarah BRABAZON⁶⁸⁷⁸
Father: Anthony BRABAZON

5 Children...

i. **Sir Hans** (-1681)

25 ii. James (~1610-)

26 iii. Lt. Francis (-1695)

27 iv. **Mary**

v. Helen

6. William HAMILTON (Hans¹)

Birth: 1570, Dunlop, Ayrshire, Scotland^{6889,6894}

Death: 1627, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland^{6878,6889,6894}

Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608) Mother: **Margaret DENHAM**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Residence: of Newcastle, alias Bangor^{6878,6899}

• The fifth son, William, having his younger education as his forementioned brother, was called into Ireland by his eldest brother, by whom he was educated into the management of his country affairs, of letting his lands, receiving his rents, and proved therein very effectual and active, to the very good acceptance both of my Lord and his tenants, and also purchased for himself a very competent estate in several places in the County of Down, partly of my Lord, and partly of other places adjacent to his estate, wherein he lived plentifully, and in very good respect with all.⁶⁸⁸⁵

• "of Bangor." 6899

Spouse: Jane MELVILLE⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1574-)

Birth: 1574, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland^{6890,6894}

Father: Sir John MELVILLE

5 Children...

i. James (~1610-1646)

30 ii. **John** (~1612-)

31 iii. Capt. Hans (1620-1655)

32 iv. William (~1614-~1674)

v. Jocelyn

7. Rev. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1580, Dunlop, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁹

Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608) Mother: **Margaret DENHAM**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Occupation: minister of Enderwick, East Lothian, Scotland⁶⁹²⁴ Residence: of Dunlop, Ayrshire, Scotland; of Grenshaw^{6889,6909}

• The sixth brother, Patrick, had his younger education at home in learning, wherein he became very hopeful, and was put to college for further improvement and He followed the study of Divinity, wherein his proficiency was so great that he was called to, and settled in, the ministry at Enderwick, in East Lothian in Scotland, where he lived all his lifetime, painfully and acceptable to all concerned, in a very staggering time. 6885

Spouse: Elizabeth GLEN (1594-)

Birth: 1594⁶⁸⁹³

Residence: of Bangor, County Down, No. Ireland⁶⁸⁹³

4 Children...

i. Rev. James

35 ii. Alexander (1615-1676)

36 iii. **Rev. Archibald** (~1618-)

37 iv. Elizabeth

8. Jean HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1586⁶⁸⁸⁹

Father: **1. Rev. Hans HAMILTON** (1536-30 May 1608) Mother: **Margaret DENHAM**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1540-30 Jan 1628)

Residence: of Dunlop, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁹

Spouse:	7.77			
spouse.	William MOOR ⁶⁸⁸⁵	5		

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Third Generation

Family of Sir James HAMILTON Viscount Clandeboye (2) & Lady Jane PHILLIPS

9. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (James², Hans¹)

Birth: 1618⁶⁸⁸³

Death: 20 Jun 1659^{6876,6877,6878,6884}

Memo: Will dated 8 Jun 1659; pr. 15 Jun 1661

Burial: 29 Jul 1659, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland^{6877,6884,6909}

Memo: in his father's tomb

Father: **2. Sir James HAMILTON Viscount Clandeboye** (abt 1559-24 Jan 1643)

Mother: Lady Jane PHILLIPS⁶⁸⁷⁷ (-4 Jan 1661)

- 2nd Viscount Clandeboye. Succeeded his father in 1643. Created 7 Jun 1647 EARL OF CLANBRASSIL.⁶⁸⁷⁷
- On March 4, 1644, he was by Charles I created Earl of Clanbrassil, in the county of Armagh.⁶⁸⁷⁶
- James, the second Viscount, who, with his father, suffered much in the service of K. Charles I. raised a regiment of foot and a troop of horse, at a great expense, which he maintained for eight years, to support and uphold the English interest, and joined with the Marquess of Ormond against Cromwell; for which his fidelity to the crown, and service against the usurper, his estate was seized, and continued under sequestration six years and a half, the whole profits thereof during that time being received by Cromwell; until at length he was included among the protestants, with whom the Protector capitulated for their return, living peacably at home, and admission to their estates, upon such composition as the parliament should think fit: his Lordship accordingly came in...⁶⁸⁸⁴
- He was created Viscount Claneboye, and his eldest son, who continued the good work, was advanced to an earldom and took the name of Clanbrassil. This man had his wife painted in 1635 by the fashionable artist Van Dyck.⁶⁹⁰⁰
- James, 2nd Viscount Clandeboye and 1st Earl of Clanbrassil, who suffered with his father in the cause of Charles I. He raised a regiment of foot and a troop of horse and maintained them for eight years. In recognition of his sufferings, King Charles, by charter from Oxford dated 4th March, 1644, created him Earl of Clanbrassil. He joined the army of the Marquis of Ormond against Cromwell and was defeated at Lisnagarvey 6 Dec. 1649. His estates were sequestrated for 6 1/2 years until capitulated by

Cromwell, and he was heavily fined. He died 1659 and was buried in his father's tomb at Bangor, Co. Down. His will is dated 18th June 1659. The Earl married in November 1635 Anne, eldest daughter of Sir Henry Cary, 2nd Earl of Monmouth. She survived him and married secondly, 1668, Sir Robert Maxwell. 6909

Spouse: Lady Anne CAREY (-Oct 1688)

Death: Oct 1688^{6876,6877}

Father: Henry CAREY Earl of Monmouth

Mother: Martha CRANFIELD

Marriage: Nov 1635, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire, England^{6877,6884}

Memo: see footnote on p 249

• Eldest daughter of Sir Henry Cary. 6876

4 Children...

i. **James** (1642-1658)

39 ii. **Jane** (Died as Infant)

40 iii. Henry Earl of Clanbrassil (~1647-1675)

41 iv. **Hans** (~1644-1669)

Family of Archibald HAMILTON (3) & Margaret SYMSOUN

10. HAMILTON (Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Margaret SYMSOUN (-1608)

11. Jane or Jean HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Margaret SYMSOUN (-1608)

• Mentioned in her mother's Testament in 1609.⁶⁹⁰⁹

Spouse: Archibald EDMONSTOUN⁶⁹⁰⁹

Residence: Braiden Island, Co. Antrim, and Duntreath⁶⁹⁰⁹

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Family of Archibald HAMILTON (3) & Rachel CARMICHAEL

12. John HAMILTON^{6878,6885} (*Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Father: 3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

• the eldest son.⁶⁸⁸⁵

• Mr. John, eldest son, was served heir to his father 6th July 1639. He was styled of Ballygrot, Ballyskelly and Halcraig, and was Captain of Horse and M.P. for Bangor 1639. He m. ---West, daughter of a gentleman in Isle-a-Kail. 6909

Spouse: **Jane WEST**

2 Children...

42 i. Jane (-<1722)

43 ii. Rachel

13. James HAMILTON^{6880,6885} (Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1623, Scotland⁶⁸⁸⁵

Memo: lived upwards of 60 years

Death: 1683, Neilsbrook, Co. Antrim, Northern Ireland^{6878,6909} Father: **3. Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

Residence: of Neilsbrook, co. Antrim^{6878,6881}

- The eldest son of Archibald, made his will 6 September 1683, and bequeathed one half of his estate to his brothers Gawen and William, the other to his daughter, he deceased about that year leaving issue, Jane (married in 1693 to William Fairly , of Killileagh, Gent. and died without issue); Anne (married to Hans Stevenson, Esq. and died in 1707 leaving a son James of Killileagh); and Rachel who died unmarried in 1684, on the demise of her sisters without issue, Anne became heir pursuant to the will of her father.
- Capt. James Hamilton of Neilsbrook, apprenticed in 1634 to John Weatche, merchant in Edinburgh. He was appointed a Commissioner of Supply for Lanarkshire in 1643, but went to Ireland and became Captain of Foot. He was a party to the lawsuit amongst the heirs of Lord Clandeboye's brothers regarding the Clanbrassil estates. By his will dated 6th Sept. 1683, he appointed his wife and three daughters executors and bequeathed to them his estates in Co. Monaghan. He d., aged over 60, at Neilsbrook in 1683. Capt. James m., about 1640, Agnes, daughter of Sir Alex. Kennedy of Culzean, who survived him. 6909

Spouse: **Agnes KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (-aft 1683)

Death: aft 1683⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: Sir Alexander KENNEDY

Marriage: abt 1640^{6885,6909}

4 Children...

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i. Rose (-<1696)</li>
ii. Rachel (-1684)
iii. Anne (-1707)
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47 iv. Jane

14. Gawen HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1630⁶⁹⁰⁹

Memo: died aged 73 or thereabouts

Death: 1703^{6878,6898,6900}

Father: **3. Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

Residence: of Killyleagh⁶⁸⁷⁸

• 3rd son of Archibald Hamilton.⁶⁸⁹⁸

- Since Gawen inherited the Castle from the impotent second earl, the eldest sons of the family were called alternately Gawen William and Archibald James. 6900
- Captain Gawin Hamilton, fourth son of Archibald Hamilton, was a party to the partition agreement of 1696, being styled of Liswine, and becoming, with his brother William, owners of the castle portion of Killileagh. He died 1703, aged 73 or thereabouts. He married his cousin Jane, daughter of Archibald Hamilton, minister of Armagh, in 1683.⁶⁹⁰⁹

Spouse: Jane HAMILTON

Father: **Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁹⁸

Marriage: 1683⁶⁹⁰⁹

4 Children...

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48 i. Rose (->1703)
49 ii. Jane (->1703)
50 iii. Mary (->1703)
51 iv. Rev. Archibald (~1710-1747)
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Marriage Notes: • He married his cousin Jane, daughter of Archibald Hamilton. 6909

15. John HAMILTON (Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

Residence: of Tullimore⁸³⁷⁶

16. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: bef 1703

Father: 3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

• the 3rd brother.⁶⁸⁸⁵

- In a skirmish at Dromore, one of his thigh bones was broken by a shot; he was taken prisoner, and carried to Lisnagarvy, where he soon died of his wounds, being very honourably treated and buried by his enemies, who honoured him highly as a very gallant gentleman.⁶⁸⁸⁵
- Archibald, Captain of Horse, killed in a skirmish near Drummore. 6909

17. William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: abt 1712, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁸⁵

Memo: Killileagh Castle
Death: bef 6 Feb 1716⁶⁹⁰⁹
Memo: date his will proved

Father: **3. Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

- Mr. Lowry is of the opinion that these papers [The Hamilton Manuscripts] were written by Mr. William Hamilton, of Edinburgh, a nephew of the first Lord Claneboye, and known in the family as "Secretary Hamilton." He died at Killileagh Castle about the year 1712.⁶⁸⁸⁵
- William, a Writer to the Signet in Edinburgh. William, styled of Killileagh, was a party to the partition agreement of Oct. 1, 1696 in the family lawsuit. He and his brother Gavin took the Castle portion of Killileagh Castle. He d. unm. In his will dated 1712, proved 6th Feb., 1716, he mentions nieces Margaret Hamilton alias Brude, Jean Knox, and Rose and Jean Hamilton. 6909

18. Robert HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Death: bef 1703

Father: 3. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

• Robert, managed the Clanbrassil estates for Earl Henry. 6909

Spouse: ______ MEREDITH (-1636)

Death: 1636⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: Sir ___?__ MEREDITH⁶⁹⁰⁹

19. Janet HAMILTON^{6885,6909} (*Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Father: **3. Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1564-bef 6 Jul 1639)

Mother: Rachel CARMICHAEL⁶⁸⁸⁰ (abt 1585-)

Family of Gawin HAMILTON (4) & Helen DUNLOP

20. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Gawin², Hans¹)

Death: 1662

Father: 4. Gawin HAMILTON (abt 1566-abt 1596)

Mother: **Helen DUNLOP** (bef 1570-)

21. Rev. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1601, Ireland⁸³⁷⁵

Death: 10 Mar 1666, Edinburgh, Scotland⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: 4. Gawin HAMILTON (abt 1566-abt 1596)

Mother: **Helen DUNLOP** (bef 1570-)

Spouse: Elizabeth WATSON
Father: David WATSON

5 Children...

i. Rev. Archibald (->1693)

ii. Jane

54 iii. Mary

55 iv. Elizabeth

56 v. **John**

22. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Father: 4. Gawin HAMILTON (abt 1566-abt 1596)

Mother: **Helen DUNLOP** (bef 1570-)

23. Helen HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Father: 4. Gawin HAMILTON (abt 1566-abt 1596)

Mother: **Helen DUNLOP** (bef 1570-)

Family of John HAMILTON (5) & Sarah BRABAZON

24. Sir Hans HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (John², Hans¹)

Birth: Scotland

Death: 15 Feb 1681, Dublin, Ireland^{6878,6899}

Father: 5. John HAMILTON (abt 1568-4 Dec 1639)

Mother: **Sarah BRABAZON**⁶⁸⁷⁸

Residence: of Monella⁶⁸⁷⁸

Spouse: Magdalen TREVOR (-bef 1681)

Death: bef 1681

Father: Sir Edward TREVOR

1 Child...

i. Sarah (-1703)

25. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*John*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: abt 1610⁶⁸⁹⁹

Father: 5. John HAMILTON (abt 1568-4 Dec 1639)

Mother: Sarah BRABAZON⁶⁸⁷⁸

Residence: of Railsborouth (sp?); of Bailieborough^{6878,6899}

Spouse: **Jane BAILLIE**^{6878,6899}

Father: Rt. Rev. William BAILLIE DD⁶⁸⁹⁹

Marriage: 1639⁶⁸⁸⁵

3 Children...

i. **Henry** (-1690)

ii. Hans (~1653-)

60 iii. Margaret

26. Lt. Francis HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (John², Hans¹)

Death: 1695⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: **5. John HAMILTON** (abt 1568-4 Dec 1639)

Mother: **Sarah BRABAZON**⁶⁸⁷⁸

Residence: of Tullybrick; of Tullybreech, Co. Armagh^{6878,6899}

1 Child...

61 i. Hans

27. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (John², Hans¹)

Father: 5. John HAMILTON (abt 1568-4 Dec 1639)

Mother: Sarah BRABAZON⁶⁸⁷⁸

28. Helen HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (John², Hans¹)

Father: 5. John HAMILTON (abt 1568-4 Dec 1639)

Mother: **Sarah BRABAZON**⁶⁸⁷⁸

Family of William HAMILTON (6) & Jane MELVILLE

29. James HAMILTON (William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1610, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁴

Death: 5 Jul 1646^{6878,6894}

Father: 6. William HAMILTON (1570-1627)

Mother: **Jane MELVILLE**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1574-)

• His first son, James, of good natural parts, bred a soldier, advanced to be a captain, and judged very worthy of it, died young, being killed at Blackwater fight, and lies in the Church of Benburb, where there is a decent tomb erected over him. He married.....had two children, James and Catherine, and left his estate much the same as he found it.⁶⁸⁸⁵

Spouse: Margaret KINASTON (bef 1614-1646)

Birth: bef 1614, Bangor?, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁶

Death: 1646

Third Generation

2 Children...

i. **James** (-1706)

63 ii. Catherine

30. John HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1612, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁴

Father: **6. William HAMILTON** (1570-1627)

Mother: **Jane MELVILLE**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1574-)

No issue.⁶⁸⁸⁵

31. Capt. Hans HAMILTON (William², Hans¹)

Birth: 1620^{6890,6894,6901}
Death: 28 Dec 1655⁶⁸⁹⁰

Death: 1658⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: **6. William HAMILTON** (1570-1627)

Mother: **Jane MELVILLE**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1574-) Residence: of Carnessure; of Bangor^{6878,6890}

- Hans Hamilton, of Carnysure, near Comber, Esq; the youngest son, was Captain to his Cousin James, Earl of Clanbrassil, during the troubles of 1641; and making his Will 22 December 1655; directs his body to be buried in his father's grave, in his aile at the Church of Hollywood. He died the next year. 6884
- Gives Death date of 28 Dec 1655.⁶⁸⁹⁰
- He became a very industrious and useful man, both to his family and country; lived well, and died much lamented; was creditably buried at Hollywood, leaving his children very young. 6885

Spouse: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

Birth: 1624, Dunure, Ayrshire, Scotland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **Gilbert KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁹¹

Marriage: abt 1639^{6878,6891}

Memo: based on birth of Francis in 1640

8 Children...

64 i. Francis (~1640-)

65 ii. **Jane** (~1642-)

Third Generation

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66 iii. William (~1644-)
67 iv. Ursula (1646-)
68 v. Anna (~1648-)
69 vi. Matilda (~1650-)
70 vii. John (~1652-)
71 viii. James (1654-1691)
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32. William HAMILTON (William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1614, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁴

Death: abt 1674⁶⁸⁸⁵

Memo: based on death at age 60

Father: **6. William HAMILTON** (1570-1627)

Mother: **Jane MELVILLE**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1574-)

Residence: of Erinagh; of Carnysure and of Erinagh^{6878,6884}

• Died at age 60. Had three wives. 6885

2 Children...

72 i. James (-1701)

73 ii. Jocelin

33. Jocelyn HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (William², Hans¹)

Father: 6. William HAMILTON (1570-1627)

Mother: **Jane MELVILLE**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1574-)

Family of Rev. Patrick HAMILTON (7) & Elizabeth GLEN

34. Rev. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Patrick*², *Hans*¹)

Death: Dundonald⁶⁸⁸⁵

Father: 7. Rev. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (abt 1580-)

Mother: Elizabeth GLEN (1594-)

Residence: of Dundonald⁶⁸⁷⁸

35. Alexander HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Patrick², Hans¹)

Birth: 1615⁶⁸⁹³

Death: 26 Jan 1676, Killyleagh, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹³

Burial: Killyleagh, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹³

Third Generation

Father: 7. Rev. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (abt 1580-)

Mother: Elizabeth GLEN (1594-)

Residence: of Granshaw; of Granshaw, Comber, County Down^{6878,6893}

Spouse: Mary REEDING

3 Children...

i. Patrick

75 ii. UNNAMED76 iii. UNNAMED

36. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Patrick*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: abt 1618⁶⁸⁹³

Father: 7. Rev. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (abt 1580-)

Mother: **Elizabeth GLEN** (1594-)

Residence: of Bangor; of Granshaw, Comber, County Down; of Wigton^{6878,6893,6924}

Spouse: 53. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

Father: **21. Rev. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1601-10 Mar 1666)

Mother: Elizabeth WATSON

4 Children...

77 i. **John**

78 ii. Rev. Archibald

79 iii. Henry 80 iv. Mary

37. Elizabeth HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Patrick*², *Hans*¹)

Father: 7. Rev. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (abt 1580-)

Mother: Elizabeth GLEN (1594-)

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Fourth Generation

Family of James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (9) & Lady Anne CAREY

38. James HAMILTON^{6877,6887} (*James*³, *James*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 7 Sep 1642^{6884,6909} Death: 8 May 1658⁶⁸⁸⁴

Burial: Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire, England⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: 9. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (1618-20 Jun 1659)

Mother: Lady Anne CAREY (-Oct 1688)

• Died unmarried.⁶⁸⁷⁷

39. Jane HAMILTON (James³, James², Hans¹)

Burial: Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire, England⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: 9. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (1618-20 Jun 1659)

Mother: Lady Anne CAREY (-Oct 1688)

Died unmarried.

40. Henry HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (James³, James², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1647^{6877,6883,6884,6909}

Memo: 12 years old at his father's death

Death: 12 Jan 1675^{6877,6878,6884}

Burial: 15 Jan 1675, Christ Church, Dublin^{6877,6884}

Father: 9. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (1618-20 Jun 1659)

Mother: Lady Anne CAREY (-Oct 1688)

- Died without issue. 6900
- Henry, the second earl, was of the privy council to Ch. II, and died without issue, January 12, 1675, by which his titles expired.⁶⁸⁷⁶
- The second earl was less effective. He married a daughter of the Earl of Drogheda (there is still a Clanbrassil Street in that town) who turned out to be a right old bag. He was impotent and I would think rather weak in the head. He wrote a form of will against his mother's advice leaving his wife all the Hamilton estates. The wife then murdered the earl by poisoning him in Dublin. She was not allowed to benefit by the recent will and after a long law case, the estates were divided between a boy and a girl,

nephew and niece of the dead earl. The boy, Gawen, inherited the Castle and the girl the gatehouse. We are now in the year 1700.⁶⁹⁰⁰

• Henry, 2nd Earl Of Clanbrassil, succeeded. He was 12 years old when his father died, having been born in 1647. He was appointed a member of the Privy Council 2nd. Feb. 1671 by Charles II, and died 1675/6. By his Will, bearing date 27th March 1674, Earl Henry devised his real estates to his wife, who bequeath them to her brother Henry, Earl of Drogheda. After her death in 1677, Lord Drogheda assumed the name of Hamilton. Earl Henry married in May, 1667 Alice Moore, second daughter of Henry, Earl of Drogheda. She survived him and married secondly in 1676, John, Lord Bargeny. She died in 1677 at Dublin. 6909

Spouse: Lady Alice MOORE (-26 Dec 1677)
Death: 26 Dec 1677, Dublin, Ireland 6877,6909

Memo: at Roscommon House

Father: Henry MOORE Earl of Drogheda⁶⁸⁷⁷

Mother: **Alice SPENCER**⁶⁸⁷⁷

Marriage: May 1667^{6877,6884,6885,6909}

1 Child...

i. **James** (Died as Infant) (1670-1670)

41. Hans HAMILTON (James³, James², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1644⁶⁹⁰⁴

Birth: 1648, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁹²⁷

Death: 1669⁶⁹⁰⁹

Burial: Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: 9. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (1618-20 Jun 1659)

Mother: Lady Anne CAREY (-Oct 1688) Residence: of Bangor, Down, Ireland⁶⁹⁰⁴

• Died without issue.⁶⁸⁸⁴

• Mentioned in his father's will.⁶⁹⁰⁹

Spouse: **Anne** ____?___6909 (-abt 1691)

Death: abt 1691

Family of John HAMILTON (12) & Jane WEST

42. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (John³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: bef 1722⁶⁹⁰⁹

Memo: her will proved in 1722

Father: 12. John HAMILTON^{6878,6885}

Mother: Jane WEST

Spouse: William HOGGE⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: Lt.-Col. John HOGGE⁶⁹⁰⁹

1 Child...

82 i. Letitia

43. Rachel HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (John³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 12. John HAMILTON^{6878,6885}

Mother: Jane WEST

Spouse: **John STEVENSON** Occupation: of Ballywooly⁶⁹⁰⁹

1 Child...

i. Col. Hans

Family of James HAMILTON (13) & Agnes KENNEDY

44. Rose HAMILTON (*James*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Death: bef Oct 1696⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: **13.** James HAMILTON^{6880,6885} (abt 1623-1683)

Mother: **Agnes KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (-aft 1683)

• Rose, m. Capt. William Fairlie. She and her sister Anne, styled of Neilsbrook, were parties to a lease of the castle and manor of Killileagh to William Hamilton of the City of Dublin for a term of 61 years. She died before October 1696.⁶⁹⁰⁹

Spouse: Capt. William FAIRLIE⁶⁹⁰⁹

45. Rachel HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 1684

Father: **13.** James HAMILTON^{6880,6885} (abt 1623-1683)

Mother: **Agnes KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (-aft 1683)

• Died unmarried at the date of the above lease [signed by her sisters, Rose and Anne]. 6909

46. Anne HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (*James*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Death: 1707

Father: **13.** James HAMILTON^{6880,6885} (abt 1623-1683)

Mother: **Agnes KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (-aft 1683)

- ...whose mother was daughter and sole heiress of James Hamilton, nephew and heir of James Hamilton, Viscount Clendeboye, father of the Earl of Clanbrassil. At Sir John's death his widow was created Baroness Dufferin and Clandeboye. 6908
- She [Rose] and her sister Anne, styled of Neilsbrook, were parties to a lease of the castle and manor of Killileagh to William Hamilton of the City of Dublin for a term of 61 years. 6909

Spouse: **83. Col. Hans STEVENSON**^{6878,6909}

Father: John STEVENSON

Mother: 43. Rachel HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

• Son of John Stevenson of Ballywooly. 6909

1 Child...

i. Col. James

47. Jane HAMILTON (James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **13. James HAMILTON**^{6880,6885} (abt 1623-1683)

Mother: **Agnes KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (-aft 1683)

Spouse: William FAIRLY

Marriage: 1693

Family of Gawen HAMILTON (14) & Jane HAMILTON

48. Rose HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: aft Oct 1703

Father: **14. Gawen HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1630-1703)

Mother: Jane HAMILTON

49. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: aft Oct 1703

Father: **14. Gawen HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1630-1703)

Mother: Jane HAMILTON

50. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: aft Oct 1703

Father: **14. Gawen HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1630-1703)

Mother: Jane HAMILTON

Spouse: James TRAIL

51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON^{6878,8376} (*Gawen*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: abt 1710⁶⁹⁰⁰

Death: 25 Apr 1747^{6898,6900}

Father: **14. Gawen HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1630-1703)

Mother: **Jane HAMILTON**Residence: of Killyleagh⁶⁸⁹⁸

• Archibald Hamilton of Killileagh, only son of the last. On the death of his uncle William he succeeded to the whole of the castle portion of Killileagh. He died 1747, having married 1720 Mary [d. 1755], daughter of William Johnston of Tully, Co. Monaghan. 6909

Spouse: Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755)

Death: 1755⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: William JOHNSTON

Marriage: 1720^{6898,6909}

6 Children...

i. Susanna

86 ii. Jane (1724-1780)

87 iii. Mary88 iv. Rose

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89 v. **Gawen** (1729-1805)

90 vi. William

Family of Rev. James HAMILTON (21) & Elizabeth WATSON

52. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Death: aft 1693⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: **21.** Rev. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1601-10 Mar 1666)

Mother: Elizabeth WATSON

Residence: of Armagh⁶⁸⁷⁸

• The Rev. Archibald Hamilton of Armagh.

Source: The Peerage of Ireland, London, 1789, page 5

Spouse: Mary KENNEDY⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

91 i. **James** (-1714)

53. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **21. Rev. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1601-10 Mar 1666)

Mother: Elizabeth WATSON

Spouse: **36. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1618-)

Birth: abt 1618⁶⁸⁹³

Father: 7. Rev. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (abt 1580-)

Mother: Elizabeth GLEN (1594-)

Residence: of Bangor; of Granshaw, Comber, County Down; of Wigton^{6878,6893,6924}

4 Children...

77 i. **John**

78 ii. Rev. Archibald

79 iii. Henry 80 iv. Mary

54. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **21. Rev. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1601-10 Mar 1666)

Mother: Elizabeth WATSON

55. Elizabeth HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **21.** Rev. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1601-10 Mar 1666)

Mother: Elizabeth WATSON

56. John HAMILTON (James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **21. Rev. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1601-10 Mar 1666)

Mother: Elizabeth WATSON

Research: • Note: While this information has been dutifully recorded as found, the genealogy strongly suggests missing generations! As it is now recorded, William's father was born in 1601 and his son Robert, our ancestor, was born 1734. Surely this is not possible. There must be another generation between Rev. James and William, father of Robert. More plausible is that John was another son of Rev. James, rather than being the same person.

Therefore, the line would go Robert, William, John, Rev. James, Gavin, Rev. Hans. 8375

1 Child...

92 i. William

Family of Sir Hans HAMILTON (24) & Magdalen TREVOR

57. Sarah HAMILTON (Hans³, John², Hans¹)

Death: 1703⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: **24.** Sir Hans HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (-15 Feb 1681)

Mother: Magdalen TREVOR (-bef 1681)

Spouse: Sir Robert HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

93 i. **Sir Hans** (1678-)

Family of James HAMILTON (25) & Jane BAILLIE

58. Henry HAMILTON^{6878,6885} (*James*³, *John*², *Hans*¹)

Death: 1690, Limerick, Limerick, Ireland⁶⁹²¹
Death: 1691, Limerick, Limerick, Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁹
Father: 25. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1610-)

Mother: **Jane BAILLIE**^{6878,6899} Residence: of Bailieborough⁶⁹²¹

Spouse: Rebecca BLACKWELL^{6899,6921}

2 Children...

94 i. **James** (~1685-1772)

95 ii. John

59. Hans HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1653, Bailieborough, Cavan, Ireland⁶⁹⁰⁶

Father: **25. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1610-)

Mother: **Iane BAILLIE**^{6878,6899}

60. Margaret HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **25. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1610-)

Mother: **Jane BAILLIE**^{6878,6899}

Family of Lt. Francis HAMILTON (26)

61. Hans HAMILTON (Francis³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **26.** Lt. Francis HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (-1695)

Residence: of Cavanduggan⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

96 i. James

Family of James HAMILTON (29) & Margaret KINASTON

62. James HAMILTON (James³, William², Hans¹)

Death: 1706⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: **29. James HAMILTON** (abt 1610-5 Jul 1646)

Mother: Margaret KINASTON (bef 1614-1646)

Residence: of Bangor⁶⁸⁷⁸

Spouse: Lady Sophia MORDAUNT (-1706)

Death: 1706⁶⁸⁷⁸

2 Children...

97 i. **Anne**

98 ii. Margaret

63. Catherine HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (James³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **29. James HAMILTON** (abt 1610-5 Jul 1646)

Mother: Margaret KINASTON (bef 1614-1646)

Family of Capt. Hans HAMILTON (31) & Margaret KENNEDY

64. Francis HAMILTON (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1640, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31. Capt. Hans HAMILTON** (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

65. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1642, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31.** Capt. Hans HAMILTON (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

Spouse: Hugh MONTGOMERY

Residence: of Ballymagoun⁶⁸⁸⁴

66. William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1644, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31. Capt. Hans HAMILTON** (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

1 Child...

99 i. Christian (<1658-)

67. Ursula HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: 1646, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31. Capt. Hans HAMILTON** (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

Spouse: George ROSS

Residence: of Portavo, County Down⁶⁸⁹⁸

1 Child...

i. **Mary** (1670-)

68. Anna HAMILTON (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1648, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31.** Capt. Hans HAMILTON (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

69. Matilda HAMILTON (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1650, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31.** Capt. Hans HAMILTON (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

70. John HAMILTON (*Hans*³, *William*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: abt 1652, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Father: **31.** Capt. Hans HAMILTON (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

71. James HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: 1654, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Death: 1691⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: **31. Capt. Hans HAMILTON** (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: Margaret KENNEDY (1624-)

Residence: of Tullimore⁶⁸⁷⁶

• Gives Death Date of 1690.⁶⁸⁹¹

Spouse: **99. Christian HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (bef 1658-)

Birth: bef 1658, Carnesure?, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁵

Father: **66.** William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (abt 1644-)

1 Child...

i. Margaret

Family of William HAMILTON (32)

72. James HAMILTON (William³, William², Hans¹)

Death: 1701, England^{6876,6878}

Father: 32. William HAMILTON (abt 1614-abt 1674)

Residence: of Tollymore, Co. Down⁶⁸⁷⁸

• James was a steady assertor of the liberties of his country, in 1689, and was a principal promoter of a general rising of the protestants in Ireland to shake off king James's government; and the revolution being happily effected by king William, and a parliament summoned to meet Oct. 5, 1692, he was returned representative thereto for the borough of Bangor. In 1690, he was one of the commissioners of forfeited estates, and died in England in 1701.⁶⁸⁷⁶

Spouse: Lady Anne MORDAUNT^{6877,6878}

Father: **John MORDAUNT**

2 Children...

i. James Earl of Clanbrassil (-1758)

ii. Jocelyn

73. Jocelin HAMILTON (*William*³, *William*², *Hans*¹)

Father: 32. William HAMILTON (abt 1614-abt 1674)

Family of Alexander HAMILTON (35) & Mary REEDING

74. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰² (Alexander³, Patrick², Hans¹)

Father: **35. Alexander HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1615-26 Jan 1676)

Mother: Mary REEDING

Spouse: Letitia NORRIS⁶⁹⁰²

1 Child...

i. Hans (~1676-)

Marriage Notes: • Probable, but not confirmed. 6902

75. HAMILTON (*Alexander*³, *Patrick*², *Hans*¹)

Father: **35. Alexander HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1615-26 Jan 1676)

Mother: Mary REEDING

76. HAMILTON (Alexander³, Patrick², Hans¹)

Father: **35. Alexander HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1615-26 Jan 1676)

Mother: Mary REEDING

Family of Rev. Archibald HAMILTON (36) & Jane HAMILTON (53)

77. John HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Archibald³, Patrick², Hans¹)

Father: **36.** Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1618-)

Mother: 53. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

78. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Archibald*³, *Patrick*², *Hans*¹)

Father: **36.** Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1618-)

Mother: 53. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

Residence: of Cortophine⁶⁹²⁴

Spouse: Sarah WYNN⁶⁹²⁴

1 Child...

i. Sarah

79. Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (*Archibald*³, *Patrick*², *Hans*¹)

Father: **36.** Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1618-)

Mother: 53. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

80. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (Archibald³, Patrick², Hans¹)

Father: **36.** Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵ (abt 1618-)

Mother: 53. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Fifth Generation

Family of Henry HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (40) & Lady Alice MOORE

81. James HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Henry⁴, James³, James², Hans¹)

Birth: 1670 Death: 1670

Father: 40. Henry HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (abt 1647-12 Jan 1675)

Mother: Lady Alice MOORE (-26 Dec 1677)

Family of Jane HAMILTON (42) & William HOGGE

82. Letitia HOGGE⁶⁸⁸⁰ (Jane HAMILTON⁴, John³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: William HOGGE⁶⁹⁰⁹

Mother: **42. Jane HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (-bef 1722)

Family of Rachel HAMILTON (43) & John STEVENSON

83. Col. Hans STEVENSON^{6878,6909} (Rachel HAMILTON⁴, John³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **John STEVENSON**

Mother: 43. Rachel HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

• Son of John Stevenson of Ballywooly. 6909

Spouse: **46. Anne HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (-1707)

Death: 1707

Father: **13.** James HAMILTON^{6880,6885} (abt 1623-1683)

Mother: **Agnes KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁸⁰ (-aft 1683)

- ...whose mother was daughter and sole heiress of James Hamilton, nephew and heir of James Hamilton, Viscount Clendeboye, father of the Earl of Clanbrassil. At Sir John's death his widow was created Baroness Dufferin and Clandeboye. 6908
- She [Rose] and her sister Anne, styled of Neilsbrook, were parties to a lease of the castle and manor of Killileagh to William Hamilton of the City of Dublin for a term of 61 years. 6909

1 Child...

i. Col. James

Family of Anne HAMILTON (46) & Col. Hans STEVENSON (83)

84. Col. James STEVENSON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **83. Col. Hans STEVENSON**^{6878,6909}
Mother: **46. Anne HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (-1707)

Residence: of Killyleagh⁶⁸⁸¹

• ...whose mother was daughter and sole heiress of James Hamilton, nephew and heir of James Hamilton, Viscount Clendeboye, father of the Earl of Clanbrassil. At Sir John's death his widow was created Baroness Dufferin and Clandeboye. 6908

Spouse: Anne PRICE⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: Gen. Nicholas PRICE

1 Child...

106 i. **Dorcas** (-1808)

Family of Rev. Archibald HAMILTON (51) & Mary JOHNSTON

85. Susanna HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON 6878,8376 (abt 1710-25 Apr 1747)

Mother: Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755)

Spouse: Rev. Hamilton TRAILL

Occupation: Rector of Killinchy; rector of Killenehy^{6898,6909}

86. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1724⁶⁹⁰⁹
Death: 1780⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: 51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON 6878,8376 (abt 1710-25 Apr 1747)

Mother: Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755)

Spouse: Peter FINCH

Residence: of Ballymackney^{6898,6909}

87. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON**^{6878,8376} (abt 1710-25 Apr 1747)

Mother: Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755)

Spouse: Acheson JOHNSTON

of Tallyho⁶⁹⁰⁹ Residence:

17606909 Marriage:

88. Rose HAMILTON (Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON 6878,8376 (abt 1710-25 Apr 1747) Father:

Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755) Mother:

89. Gawen HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

1729^{6898,6900} Birth:

9 Apr 1805^{6898,6900} Death:

51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON 6878,8376 (abt 1710-25 Apr 1747) Father:

Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755) Mother:

• High Sheriff 1773.⁶⁸⁹⁸

• Gawen Hamilton of Killylagh, High Sheriff of Co. Down 1773, born 1729, married 1750 Jane, only child of William Rowan, barrister—at—law, and widow of Tichborne Aston, and died 1805.6909

Spouse: **Jane ROWAN** (9 Jan 1727-1805)

9 Jan 1727⁶⁹¹⁹ Birth:

 1805^{6909} Death:

Father: William ROWAN

of County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁹¹⁹ Residence:

8 May 1750⁶⁸⁹⁸ Marriage:

2 Children...

107 i. **Archibald Rowan** (1752-1834)

108 ii. Sydney

90. William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

51. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON^{6878,8376} (abt 1710-25 Apr 1747) Father:

Mary JOHNSTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-1755) Mother:

of Killough⁶⁹⁰⁹ Residence:

Elizabeth CADDELL⁶⁸⁹⁸ Spouse:

3 Children...

109 i. William

110 ii. David111 iii. Mary

Family of Rev. Archibald HAMILTON (52) & Mary KENNEDY

91. James HAMILTON (Archibald⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Death: 1714⁶⁸⁷⁸

Father: **52. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (-aft 1693)

Mother: **Mary KENNEDY**⁶⁸⁷⁸

Residence: of Derryboy⁶⁸⁷⁸

Spouse: Ursula HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

112 i. Archibald

Family of John HAMILTON (56)

92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: 56. John HAMILTON

• Robert and Hants were the sons of William Hamilton and his wife of Northern Ireland, who, it is believed, were the parents of 10 sons and 2 daughters. An old family letter records that at least two sons, a granddaughter and a grandson settled in Nova Scotia. A great-great-grandson, Pierce Stevens Hamilton, Esq., visited the homeland and returned with charts and notes recording the family genealogy and history – those are still kept in the family and an outline is presented next.

William's ancestors came to Great Britain with William the Conqueror in 1066, the family name then being DeMellent or Bellomont.

Robert DeMellent or Bellomont - First Earl of Leicester, 1066. His sons William and Roger came to England with William the Conqueror in 1066. Of these William married Mary, daughter of the Earl of Strathern and their son Sir Gilbert Hamilton was companion of Robert the Bruce.

Sir Gilbert's son was Sir Walter FitzGilbert, who was the father of David FitzWalter. His son was David Hamilton who was the father of Sir John Hamilton. Sir John was father of Walter Hamilton of Raploch who died before May 20 1441.

Lineage from Walter is > James Hamilton > William Hamilton, of Raploch circa 1492 > James Hamilton of Raploch, died before January 1532 > Archibald Hamilton of Raploch, died before September 1561 > His natural son John was a Vicar and was known as Hans

Hamilton. He died May 30 1608 at 72 years > His son (name unknown) was father of Gavin Hamilton, of Ballygally circa 1578 > John or James Hamilton, who died 1666 age 65 years > William Hamilton > Robert & Hans Hamilton - settlers to Nova Scotia. 8369

8 Children...

- 113 i. **John**
- **114** ii. **Robert** (1734-1814)
- iii. William
- **116** iv. **Jane** (-<1790)
- 117 v. **David** (-<1790)
- 118 vi. Archibald (->1790)
- 119 vii. Hans/Hants (~1745-)
- 120 viii. UNNAMED

Family of Sarah HAMILTON (57) & Sir Robert HAMILTON

93. Sir Hans HAMILTON (*Sarah*⁴, *Hans*³, *John*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1678, Armagh, Northern Ireland⁶⁹⁰³

Father: Sir Robert HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸
Mother: 57. Sarah HAMILTON (-1703)

Residence: of Mt. Hamilton⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

121 i. **Anne**

Family of Henry HAMILTON (58) & Rebecca BLACKWELL

94. James HAMILTON (Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1685⁶⁸⁹⁹ Death: 1772^{6878,6923}

Father: **58.** Henry HAMILTON 6878,6885 (-1690)

Mother: Rebecca BLACKWELL^{6899,6921}

Residence: of Carlow⁶⁸⁷⁸

Spouse: Anne HALL⁶⁸⁹⁹

3 Children...

i. James (~1720-1800)

123 ii. Hans (~1723-)

iii. John

95. John HAMILTON (Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **58. Henry HAMILTON**^{6878,6885} (-1690)

Mother: Rebecca BLACKWELL^{6899,6921}

Residence: of Holmpatrick⁶⁸⁹⁹

Family of Hans HAMILTON (61)

96. James HAMILTON (Hans⁴, Francis³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **61. Hans HAMILTON**Residence: of Rock Hamilton⁶⁸⁷⁸

Family of James HAMILTON (62) & Lady Sophia MORDAUNT

97. Anne HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (James⁴, James³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **62. James HAMILTON** (-1706)

Mother: Lady Sophia MORDAUNT (-1706)

Spouse: Michael WARD⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

i. Bernard Lord Bangor

98. Margaret HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (James⁴, James³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **62. James HAMILTON** (-1706)

Mother: Lady Sophia MORDAUNT (-1706)

Spouse: ______ BUTLER Lord Ikerin⁶⁸⁷⁸

1 Child...

i. S. Lord Carrick

Family of William HAMILTON (66)

99. Christian HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (William⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: bef 1658, Carnesure?, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹⁵

Father: **66.** William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (abt 1644-)

Spouse: **71. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1654-1691)

Birth: 1654, Carnesure, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁸⁹¹

Death: 1691⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: **31.** Capt. Hans HAMILTON (1620-28 Dec 1655)

Mother: **Margaret KENNEDY** (1624-)

Residence: of Tullimore⁶⁸⁷⁶

• Gives Death Date of 1690.⁶⁸⁹¹

1 Child...

i. Margaret

Family of Ursula HAMILTON (67) & George ROSS

100. Mary ROSS⁶⁹¹⁶ (Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: 1670, Portavoe, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁹¹⁷

Father: George ROSS

Mother: **67. Ursula HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1646-)

Spouse: **Hugh HAMILTON** (1664-16 Nov 1728) Birth: 1664, Ballyleague, Northern Ireland⁶⁹¹⁶

Death: 16 Nov 1728, Ballybrenagh, County Down, Northern Ireland 6898,6916

Father: Alexander HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (-26 Jan 1676)

Mother: **Jean HAMILTON** (-1699)

Residence: of Ballybrenagh⁶⁸⁹⁸

5 Children...

i. Alexander (1690-1768)

128 ii. **George** (~1698-1770)

129 iii. **Mary**

130 iv. Jane

v. Jean

Family of James HAMILTON (71) & Christian HAMILTON (99)

101. Margaret HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (James⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **71. James HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸⁵ (1654-1691)
Mother: **99. Christian HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (bef 1658-)

Spouse: **John CUFFE Lord Desart**^{6876,6878}

Marriage: 2 Sep 1707^{6878,6884}

Family of James HAMILTON (72) & Lady Anne MORDAUNT

102. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (James⁴, William³, William², Hans¹)

Death: 17 Mar 1758⁶⁸⁸³

Father: **72. James HAMILTON** (-1701)
Mother: **Lady Anne MORDAUNT**^{6877,6878}

Residence: of Tollymore, Co. Down⁶⁸⁷⁷

- Succeeded his father at an early age, was M. P. for Dundalk, 1714-19, and was, 13 May 1719, cr. Baron Claneboye, Co. Down, and Viscount of the City of Limerick, taking his seat as such 1 July following.⁶⁸⁷⁷
- On 24 Nov 1756 he was created Earl of Clanbrassil. 6877, 6883

Spouse: Henrietta BENTINCK (-10 Jun 1792)

Death: 10 Jun 1792⁶⁸⁷⁷

Father: William BENTINCK
Mother: Jane TEMPLE⁶⁸⁷⁷

Marriage: 15 Oct 1728, The Hague, Netherlands^{6877,6884}

3 Children...

132 i. **Anne** (1730-)

ii. James Earl of Clanbrassil (1729-1798)

134 iii. **Lady Caroline** (-1762)

103. Jocelyn HAMILTON (*James*⁴, William³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **72. James HAMILTON** (-1701)
Mother: **Lady Anne MORDAUNT**^{6877,6878}

• Killed in a duel, unmarried. 6876,6884

Family of Patrick HAMILTON (74) & Letitia NORRIS

104. Hans HAMILTON (Patrick⁴, Alexander³, Patrick², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1676⁶⁹⁰²

Father: 74. Patrick HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰²

Mother: Letitia NORRIS⁶⁹⁰²

Residence: Comber, of Granshaw, Down, Ireland⁶⁹⁰²

Family of Rev. Archibald HAMILTON (78) & Sarah WYNN

105. Sarah HAMILTON⁶⁹²⁴ (Archibald⁴, Archibald³, Patrick², Hans¹)

Father: 78. Rev. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸⁵

Mother: Sarah WYNN⁶⁹²⁴

Spouse: **Rev. John KENRICK**⁶⁹²⁴

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Sixth Generation

Family of Col. James STEVENSON (84) & Anne PRICE

106. Dorcas STEVENSON (James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 18 Feb 1808⁶⁸⁸⁰

Father: **84. Col. James STEVENSON**⁶⁸⁷⁸

Mother: **Anne PRICE**⁶⁸⁷⁸

- Created Baroness Dufferin and Claneboye, 30 July 1800, with remainder to her ladyship's male issue by her deceased husband, Sir John Blackwood. 6881
- Dorcas created Lady Dufferin and Claneboye. 6878,6911
- She married Sir John Blackwood (Bart.) and her son married an extraordinary ball of fire called Dorcas who, for her work, was created in her own right Countess Dufferin. After several generations of Dufferins, in 1862 the eldest son married Harriet Rowan-Hamilton, the eldest daughter of the Castle, and the two families were reunited. 6900

Spouse: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)

Birth: 1721⁶⁸⁸¹

Death: 27 Feb 1799^{6880,6881}

Father: Sir Robert BLACKWOOD (5 Nov 1694-1774)

Mother: **Joyce LEESON**⁶⁸⁷⁹

Marriage: May 1751⁶⁸⁸¹

• His son, Sir John, 2nd Baronet, married the daughter and heiress of James Stevenson, of Killyleagh, whose mother was daughter and sole heiress of James Hamilton, nephew and heir of James Hamilton, Viscount Clendeboye, father of the Earl of Clanbrassil. At Sir John's death his widow was created Baroness Dufferin and Clandeboye. 6908

11 Children...

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i. Robert (-1786)
135
136
        ii. Sir James Lord Dufferin (1755-1836)
137
        iii. John (1757-1833)
138
        iv. Sir Hans Lord Dufferin (1758-1839)
        v. Price (1760-1816)
139
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        vi. Leeson (-1804)
       vii. Henry (1770-1832)
141
      viii. Anne (-1827)
142
        ix. Sophia (-1837)
143
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144 x. **Dorcas** (-1818)

145 xi. **Catherine** (-1846)

Family of Gawen HAMILTON (89) & Jane ROWAN

107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (*Gawen*⁵, *Archibald*⁴, *Gawen*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 12 May 1752^{6898,6900}

Birth: 1751⁶⁹⁰⁹

Death: 1 Nov 1834^{6898,6900}

Father: **89. Gawen HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1729-9 Apr 1805)

Mother: **Jane ROWAN** (9 Jan 1727-1805)

- Assumed additional surname of ROWAN in compliance with will of his maternal grandfather, William Rowan. Member Society of United Irishmen, took part in "1798" (known as "Mr. Rowan" to Wolfe Towne and his colleagues), sentenced to death but escaped to USA (where he fathered several natural children *a quo* the HAMILTON-ROWANs *of USA*).⁶⁸⁹⁸
- The second Archie (1752) assumed the second name 'Rowan' in order to inherit a large fortune from his maternal grandparents. He went through the cash at high speed keeping race horses at Newmarket, being sent down from Cambridge for putting chamber pots on college towers. He visited Queen Marie Antoinette in France and was given by her a jewelled watch. He was gay handsome, wild as a hawk and loved by all who knew him. As soon as he was allowed by his parents he came to Killyleagh and immediately became involved with the United Irishmen of whom he soom became one of the leaders. Many of the establishment protestant families were members of this body, their aim being, so far as I can see, to rid themselves of government from London so that they would not have to pay taxes. Archibald could walk through the streets of Dublin followed by an adoring mob. He was warned by Dublin Castle that if he contined to misbehave he would be in trouble. He finally put his signature to an invitation to the French army to invade and liberate Ireland. He was arrested, sentenced to death and locked up in Dublin Castle. He bribed his jailor to let him visit his wife in his Dublin house. While the jailor sat outside the bedroom door, Archibald went down a rope to waiting friends who put him on a boat to France. Thence he went to the recently independent American colonies. In old age he was pardoned and died in the Castle. 6900
- Archibald Rowan Hamilton of Killileagh Castle, born 1751. He joined the Society of United Irishmen, was imprisoned and outlawed, escaped to France, and in 1795 went to

America, returning to Ireland after reversal of his outlawry about 1802. He died 1834 having married Sarah Anne [1765—1834], daughter of Walter Dawson of Lisanisk, Co. Monaghan.⁶⁹⁰⁹

Spouse: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Birth: 1765⁶⁹⁰⁹
Death: 1834⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: **Walter DAWSON**Marriage: 6 Oct 1781⁶⁸⁹⁸

10 Children...

- i. Capt. Gawen William Rowan (1783-1834)
- **147** ii. **Jane** (1785-1863)
- **148** iii. **Sydney Rowan** (1789-)
- **149** iv. **Archibald Rowan** (1791-)
- v. Frederick Rowan (1793-1811)
- **151** vi. **Dawson Rowan** (1801-)
- vii. Elizabeth
- 153 viii. Mildred
- ix. Harriet
- 155 x. Francesca (-1861)

108. Sydney HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **89. Gawen HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (1729-9 Apr 1805)

Mother: **Jane ROWAN** (9 Jan 1727-1805)

Spouse: Benjamin BERESFORD⁶⁸⁹⁸

• states "m. Rev. James Beresford." 6909

Family of William HAMILTON (90) & Elizabeth CADDELL

109. William HAMILTON (William⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death Memo: d. s. p.

Father: 90. William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸
Mother: Elizabeth CADDELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

110. David HAMILTON (William⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death Memo: d. s. p.

Father: 90. William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸
Mother: Elizabeth CADDELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

111. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (William⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 90. William HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸
Mother: Elizabeth CADDELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Spouse: William LOGAN

Residence: of Woodlands, County Dublin⁶⁸⁹⁸

Marriage: 1798^{6898,6909}

Family of James HAMILTON (91) & Ursula HAMILTON

112. Archibald HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (James⁵, Archibald⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: 91. James HAMILTON (-1714)

Mother: Ursula HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸

Spouse: Alice LAMBART⁶⁸⁷⁸

Family of William HAMILTON (92)

113. John HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

Father: 92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

• The old family charts and notes that were brought from Ireland were shared and published in "A History of The House of Hamilton" (1933). This book records that "John, who had issue a daughter who married Bulmer ("Boomers") of Brookfield, Nova Scotia".... this information led to the only Boomer family to live in Brookfield during this time - Joseph & Jane Boomer. Joseph died intestate in 1803, at the age of 40, leaving minor children. There is no mention of their mother Jane, so she has predeceased her husband. Guardians were needed for the children and William Hamilton & William English were approved & appointed by the probate court. William Hamilton is the son of Robert Hamilton and would be Jane's first cousin and her nearest family member. William English (husband of Mary Jeffrey) is the brother-in-law of John Boomer, eldest son of Joseph & Jane Boomer. John is the husband (or soon to be husband) of Margaret Jeffrey, sister of Mary (Jeffrey) English. Because of this convincing evidence, I am

confident to place Mrs. Jane Boomer as the daughter of John Hamilton in this record. 8369

1 Child...

156 i. **Jane**

114. Robert HAMILTON (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 8 Nov 1734, Vicars Cairns, Armagh, Northern Ireland 8369,8374

Removal: 3 Aug 1771, Halifax, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸³⁶⁹

Death: 27 Jan 1814, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Father: 92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

Flags: Earliest Immigrant

• Robert and his brother Hants responded to a Newspaper Ad dated May 17th 1771, placed by the mercantile firm of Caldwell, Vance and Caldwell. They were promoting a voyage to Nova Scotia on the vessel "Hopewell", Neal McGowan, Master "where people may become landlords instead of tenants". On August 3rd the Hamilton's and others left Ireland, for Halifax, Nova Scotia, Great grandson Pierce Stevens Hamilton describes the family leaving Vicar's Cairn by wagon to the port of Londonderry - no doubt a story told many times by his grandfather William who would have been 13 years old at the time.... Of Robert he wrote that he "was not an ordinary pioneer. Obviously possessed of some wealth, he made unusually thorough preparations for the long trip across the Atlantic. A further clue to his character is found in his possessing a large number of books consisting of historical works, volumes on military strategy, law and the classics."

Robert arrived in Halifax, Nova Scotia with his wife, five children, his younger brother Hans, and at least one nephew. From Halifax he went to Truro (at present day Murray's Siding). He added to his household by purchases at an Estate Auction on July 12, 1774.

Spouse: **Agnes FERGUSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (abt 1739-Mar 1835)

Birth: abt 1739⁸³⁶⁹

Death: Mar 1835, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia^{8369,8374}

Memo: in the 96th year of her age

Nickname: Nancy⁸³⁶⁹

Marriage: 1757, Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

DIED - At Stewiacke, Mrs. Hamilton, in the 96th year of her age. Her open heart and sound understanding would have gained her esteem in any country, but her great age, primitive manners, and exalted piety entitle her to a place rather among the ancient patriarchs, than among short lived and ordinary mortals of modern times. She has left

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five children, forty grandchildren and sixty-nine great grandchildren. Many of her descendants have gone to the grave before her, but had they all outlived her they would amount to 141; such a woman was worth her room and well fitted to set society in motion. This fruitful vine was born at Armagh in the North of Ireland, and sailed from Londonderry for Halifax in the year 1771; many of our early settlers came in the same vessel; most of them have faded from our view, but their descendants are numerous in Horton, Halifax, Windsor, Londonderry, Stewiacke, Brookfield and other places. Vessels loaded with passengers sometimes bring us the rakings and scrapings of the countries from which they come, but this vessel was an honorable exception; her passengers were fair and respected specimens of the peasantry of the North of Ireland, flushed with hope and full of activity. It was however a heavy trial to these light hearted sons of the Shamrock, to forego the ties of country and kindred to seek a new abode beyond the western main. The moment of separation was tender and affecting, and they must be more than men if they did not feel on such occasions. The gales were favorable, the vessel rapidly cleared the head lands of the Irish coast, and made her way into a wilderness of waters. In going out the North Channel at times she approached so near the land, that the passengers imagined that they could have thrown a biscuit on shore, or heard the sweet strains which the corn reapers sung; the golden rays of the setting sun fell on the Donegal Mountains and afforded them a parting view of the Emerald Isle. For several days the vessel daily sent over the green domains of Neptune, but at last caught a gale of wind which threw her on her beam ends to the eminent danger of all on board; the particulars of this perilous were well remembered and often beguiled the long winter evening in Nova Scotia; some of its traditions are still preserved

The Ship's name was the Hopewell, commanded by Neal MacGowan. Captain MacGowan is long forgotten; but on that day he would have been named in the same breath with Captain Ross; he was a good navigator and cautious to a proverb, at sunset he always put the vessel under an easy sail for the night. The name of the Mate is forgotten; but his bold and fearless measures were long remembered; he was an old man of wars-man and he feared nothing; whenever the captain went to sleep he put the vessel under a press of sail, to the no small annoyance of the feeble passengers and fresh water sailors, for many of them were as green as cucumbers, and had never been on the water before. They verily believed that had this daring son of Neptune got his own way, he would either have carried away the ship's masts or run down an Island in the dark. At times she staggered and plunged in such a manner as if she would leap out of the water; the passengers, terrified out of their wits, crowded into the cabin to beseech the captain to put her upon the tethers. The moment that honest Neal got upon the deck he put end to her capers, overawed the spirit of the deep, and restored all things to order.

The passage was not longer than it is at the present time; they all became more reconciled to their situation, and the Irish lasses were quite partial to the sailors. In the calm evenings in the twilight, the hour so favourable to lovers, the passengers assembled in groups on the deck to talk over the news of the day, and to listen to the plaintive songs of their native land, still dear to them as the world in blossoms. A scene at sea on a calm summer evening is peculiar and impressive. For as the sun purples the wave a solemn stillness prevails; no cattle low, not even the barking of a dog, nor the chirping of a grass-hopper under a fern, no smoke arises, no distant noise indicates the presence of the labours of man; but all the great waters the grand phenomena of nature are as magnificent as on the best cultivated land; the arch of heaven preserves its majesty, the rainbow splendour of it appears, the sky is variegated with all those tints and shadings which give it lustre and beauty, as the last ray of reflected light disappears in the west, a deeper gloom advances from the east till the horizon consists of dark waters and thick clouds." [The Novascotian - March 19 1835]⁸³⁶⁹

2 Children...

157 i. **William** (1758-)

158 ii. Hants (1780-1858)

Family Notes: • 9 children. 8369,8374

115. William HAMILTON (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

Father: 92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

• In 1790 [Feb 23] William writes a letter addressed to his brother Robert and Hants in Nova Scotia. There was no envelope, simply a folded letter addressed to Robert or Hants Hamilton, Halifax, and re-addressed by someone to Cornwallis. 8369

116. Jane HAMILTON (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

Death: bef 1790, Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹
Father: **92. William HAMILTON**⁸³⁶⁹

117. David HAMILTON (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

Death: bef 1790, Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

Father: 92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

118. Archibald HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: Northern Ireland

Death: aft 1790, Northern Ireland
Father: 92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

119. Hans/Hants HAMILTON^{1,8369} (William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1745, Armagh, Northern Ireland⁸³⁶⁹

Removal: by 1790, Cornwallis, Kings, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸³⁶⁹

Father: 92. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

Residence: possibly near Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Flags: Earliest Immigrant

• Reputed (family tradition) to be descended from the second son of Viscount Clandeboye.¹

- There seems to be **absolutely no possibility** that Hans Hamilton, father of Elizabeth, descended from the 1st or 2nd Earl of Clanbrassil of the first creation as otherwise these titles would surely have devolved upon him.⁶⁸⁸⁸
- Provincial records do not reveal many details about Hants after his arrival in Nova Scotia. It is believed he came with the family of his brother Robert. It is not known if his children came at the time or later.

His name is recorded in the Cornwallis, Kings County Poll Tax Record for 1791 where his property was Assessed and Taxed. This explains why the letter from his brother William in Ireland was readdressed to Cornwallis and therefore it was likely Hants who received the letter first. 8369

- The old family manuscript, held in the family for many years and published in "A History of The House of Hamilton" (1933), records the following, "Hans, who accompanied his brother Robert to Nova Scotia and had issue:- (a) James. (b) John, who had issue a daughter, Mrs. Gorsham of Halifax, N.S., (c) Archibald, who migrated from Nova Scotia into Canada and had issue a son Christopher; (d/h) Five daughters. His name can be found among his male descendants for many generations. 8369
- In 1790 a letter addressed to Robert and his brother Hants arrived from Ireland, giving news of family and asking if the prospects were good in Nova Scotia. There was no

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envelope, simply a folded letter addressed to William or Hants Hamilton, Halifax. It had been readdressed to Cornwallis. A large figure 8 marked on the backside indicated that the postage collected was 8 pence.

Feb 23 1790, Ireland

"Dear Brothers,

This comes to let you know that I am in good health, and my family at present, thanks to God. I hope that this will find you and families the same.

I will acquaint you that your sister Jane is dead, and her daughter, Nancy. Also your brother David. Your brother Archibald is in good health. You may let Esther know that her sister Simpson is dead, and her mother.

I had an account since you wrote, that you were all well. The rest of the _? and John Rowan are still in good health. I hope that you will write as soon as this comes to your hand, and please to tell us of the affairs of that country, and how you would advise my sons as they are thinking of going to it if you would send them any encouragement. Please let me know how John Hamilton's daughter is. The Fergusons are all well and they will write you. I have written you several times, but received no answer these two years. I have nothing more to inform you of, only that there has been some disturbances for these three years past between the Protestants and the Papists. Every means has been taken to settle them by gentle means, but cannot say that this has come to an end yet.

My wife and family all join with me in sending our best wishes. Farewell, I am, Dear brother, your affectionate brother. (sgd)

William Hamilton

Research: • Burke's Irish Family Records; 941.5 D22 bur 1976.

• With regard to the Hamilton family it would probably be best for us to start with your known ancestry rather than attempt to deduce a pedigree from the Viscounts Clandeboye. In genealogical research one must always work backwards, proving each link, and any attempt to work "downwards" always fails.

You probably are aware the Clandeboy is an area in County Down and many Hamilton families settled in this county after 1600. Hans also, as a Christian name, was very popular in Co. Down and for both of these reasons it seems likely that your family may have originated in this County. However, I must point out that Hamilton is a very common surname in Ulster and is found literally in all 9 counties that compose the province.

You suggest that Hans Hamilton was born circa 1760 and his daughter Elizabeth

married a David Nelson before 1813. The best starting point in this case would be for us to ascertain if any Hans Hamilton occurs on the 1796 Flax Premiums as a recipient of the concession of one free spinning wheel per 1/4 acre of flax cultivated. The linen industry (linen is produced from Flax) was very prominent in Ulster in 1796 and the returns can be used as a primitive census. If a Hans Hamilton is listed his parish of residence will be given. We could also compile a list of all those parishes in which both Hamilton and nelson occur in common. Nelson is much rarer than Hamilton as a surname and thus might give us a good lead as to the families place of residence. Another way forward would be for us to examine the Grantor's Index to the Registry of Deeds, circa 1810-1815, to see if David Nelson sold any leasehold or freehold land in Ireland prior to or soon after emigrating. If such deeds could be located they would give us information on his Irish address.

State Registration of marriages in Ireland only began in 1845. Prior to this date records were maintained by Parish and there are no master indices. We could, however, examine the Diocesan Marriage Licence Bonds for a Nelson/Hamilton marriage. If found this would at least narrow down the Diocese of research. 3537

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Spouse:
                 UNNAMED
4 Children...
  159
              i. James
  160
              ii. John
  161
             iii. Archibald
  162
             iv. Elizabeth (1774-1839)
Family Notes: • 8 children; 3 sons; 5 daughters. 8369
120. HAMILTON<sup>8369</sup> (William<sup>5</sup>, John<sup>4</sup>, James<sup>3</sup>, Gawin<sup>2</sup>, Hans<sup>1</sup>)
                 92. William HAMILTON<sup>8369</sup>
Father:
1 Child...
  163
               i. William
                                Family of Sir Hans HAMILTON (93)
121. Anne HAMILTON<sup>6878</sup> (Hans<sup>5</sup>, Sarah<sup>4</sup>, Hans<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Hans<sup>1</sup>)
Father:
                 93. Sir Hans HAMILTON (1678-)
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Spouse:

James CAMPBELL

• He took the name of Hamilton.⁶⁸⁷⁸

Family of James HAMILTON (94) & Anne HALL

122. James HAMILTON (James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1720, Sheepshill, Dublin, Ireland^{6899,6922}

Birth: abt 1724, Sheepshill, Dublin, Ireland⁶⁹²²

Death: 1800⁶⁸⁹⁹

Father: 94. James HAMILTON (abt 1685-1772)

Mother: **Anne HALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

Residence: of Sheephill; of Sheepshill, and of Holmpatrick^{6878,6899,6922}

• "by his three wives, he had 36 children, several of whom died young." 6899

Spouse: Hannah PHILLIPS⁶⁸⁹⁹

Marriage: 2 Jun 1750, Dublin, Ireland^{6899,6922}

Memo: Univ. of Monkstown

6 Children...

164 i. Hans

165 ii. **Henry** (1760-1844)

166 iii. James

167 iv. **John**

v. Robert

169 vi. Francis

Family Notes: • Male children listed only. 11 children. 6922

Spouse: Alice HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹

Father: **John HAMILTON**

2 Children...

i. Richard

ii. Christopher

Spouse: Jane CANDLER⁶⁸⁹⁹

Father: Rev. William CANDLER⁶⁸⁹⁹

123. Hans HAMILTON (James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

abt 1723, Carlow, Dublin, Ireland⁶⁹⁰⁵ Birth:

94. James HAMILTON (abt 1685-1772) Father:

Mother: Anne HALL⁶⁸⁹⁹

of Carlow and of Summer Hill, Co. Dublin⁶⁸⁹⁹ Residence:

124. John HAMILTON (James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Death Memo: dsp

Father: **94. James HAMILTON** (abt 1685-1772)

Mother: Anne HALL⁶⁸⁹⁹

of Straw Hill, Co. Carlow⁶⁸⁹⁹ Residence:

Family of Anne HAMILTON (97) & Michael WARD

125. Bernard WARD Lord Bangor⁶⁸⁷⁸ (Anne HAMILTON⁵, James⁴, James³, William², $Hans^1$)

Michael WARD⁶⁸⁷⁸ Father:

97. Anne HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ Mother:

Family of Margaret HAMILTON (98) & ? BUTLER Lord Ikerin

126. S. BUTLER Lord Carrick⁶⁸⁷⁸ (Margaret HAMILTON⁵, James⁴, James³, William², $Hans^1$)

?___ BUTLER Lord Ikerin⁶⁸⁷⁸ Father: 98. Margaret HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ Mother:

Family of Mary ROSS (100) & Hugh HAMILTON

127. Alexander HAMILTON⁶⁹¹⁶ (Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², $Hans^1$)

1690, Killyleagh, County Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁹¹⁷ Birth:

1768, Newtown Hamilton, Armagh, Northern Ireland 6898,6917 Death:

Hugh HAMILTON (1664-16 Nov 1728) Father:

100. Mary ROSS⁶⁹¹⁶ (1670-) Mother:

of Knock, County Dublin, and Newtown Hamilton, County Armagh⁶⁸⁹⁸ Residence:

• MP for Killyleagh, 1730-61.⁶⁸⁹⁸

Sixth Generation

Spouse: Isabella MAXWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: Robert MAXWELL

1 Child...

i. Rt. Rev. Hugh DD (1729-1805)

128. George HAMILTON⁶⁹¹⁶ (Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1698⁶⁸⁹⁸ Death: 1770⁶⁸⁹⁸

Memo: died age 72

Father: **Hugh HAMILTON** (1664-16 Nov 1728)

Mother: **100.** Mary ROSS⁶⁹¹⁶ (1670-) Residence: of Tyrella, County Down⁶⁸⁹⁸

129. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁹¹⁶ (Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **Hugh HAMILTON** (1664-16 Nov 1728)

Mother: **100.** Mary ROSS⁶⁹¹⁶ (1670-)

130. Jane HAMILTON^{6898,6916} (Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **Hugh HAMILTON** (1664-16 Nov 1728)

Mother: **100.** Mary ROSS⁶⁹¹⁶ (1670-)

131. Jean HAMILTON⁶⁹¹⁶ (Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Father: **Hugh HAMILTON** (1664-16 Nov 1728)

Mother: **100.** Mary ROSS⁶⁹¹⁶ (1670-)

Family of James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil (102) & Henrietta BENTINCK

132. Anne HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (*James*⁵, *James*⁴, *William*³, *William*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: May 1730⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: **102. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil** (-17 Mar 1758)

Mother: **Henrietta BENTINCK** (-10 Jun 1792)

Spouse: Viscount Jocelyn

Sixth Generation

Marriage: 11 Dec 1752^{6878,6884}

• Created Earl of Roden. 6878,6884

133. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil⁶⁸⁷⁷ (*James*⁵, *James*⁴, *William*³, *William*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 13 Aug 1729⁶⁸⁷⁶ Death: 6 Feb 1798⁶⁸⁸³

Father: **102. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil** (-17 Mar 1758)

Mother: **Henrietta BENTINCK** (-10 Jun 1792)

- James, 2d viscount, who on Nov. 13, 1756, was raised to the dignity of an earl, by the title of earl of Clanbrassil, in the county of Armagh.⁶⁸⁷⁶
- Upon his death, all honors became extinct.⁶⁸⁷⁷

Spouse: Grace FOLEY (1 Jan 1743-9 Jan 1813)

Birth: 1 Jan 1743^{6877,6884} Death: 9 Jan 1813⁶⁸⁷⁷

Memo: Great Stanhope street, Midx.

Father: **Thomas FOLEY**⁶⁸⁷⁷

Mother: **Grace GRANVILLE**⁶⁸⁷⁷

Marriage: 21 May 1774⁶⁸⁸³

134. Lady Caroline HAMILTON (James⁵, James⁴, William³, William², Hans¹)

Death: 13 Oct 1762⁶⁸⁸⁴

Father: **102. James HAMILTON Earl of Clanbrassil** (-17 Mar 1758)

Mother: **Henrietta BENTINCK** (-10 Jun 1792)

• Died unmarried⁶⁸⁸⁴

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Seventh Generation

Family of Dorcas STEVENSON (106) & Sir John BLACKWOOD

135. Robert BLACKWOOD (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 1786⁶⁸⁸¹ Memo: unmarried

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

• Unmarried.⁶⁸⁸¹

136. Sir James BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 8 Jul 1755^{6880,6881} Death: 8 Aug 1836^{6880,6881}

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

• He inherited the peerage 18 Feb. 1808, at the decease of his mother, Dorcas, created *Baroness Dufferin and Claneboye*, 30 July, 1800, with remainder to her ladyship's male issue by her deceased husband, Sir John Blackwood.⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: Anne-Dorothea ORIEL⁶⁸⁸¹
Father: John ORIEL 1st Lord⁶⁸⁸¹

Mother: **UNNAMED**Marriage: 15 Nov 1801⁶⁸⁸¹

137. John BLACKWOOD (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1757⁶⁸⁸¹

Death: 5 Jan 1833⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

• No male issue.⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: **Sophia BENSON** (-1803)

Death: 1803⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Archdeacon Hill BENSON

Mother: **UNNAMED**Marriage: 1778⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: Eliza DUPRÉ
Father: Joseph DUPRÉ
Mother: UNNAMED
Marriage: 4 Jun 1803⁶⁸⁸¹

138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne

HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: Oct 1758^{6880,6881}
Death: 18 Nov 1839^{6880,6881}

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

• 3rd Baron.⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: Mehetabel-Hester TEMPLE (-1798)

Death: 1798^{6880,6881}

Father: **Robert TEMPLE Esq.**⁶⁸⁸¹

Mother: **UNNAMED**Marriage: 19 Jun 1784⁶⁸⁸¹

4 Children...

i. **Robert-Temple** (1788-1815)

174 ii. Hans (1792-)

175 iii. **Sir Price Lord Dufferin** (1794-1841)

176 iv. Henrietta

Spouse: Elizabeth FINLAY (-Jul 1843)

Death: Jul 1843⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: William-Henry FINLAY

Marriage: 8 Jul 1801⁶⁸⁸¹

7 Children...

i. William-Stear (1802-)

178 ii. **Henry-Stevenson** (1818-)

179 iii. **Marianne** (-1845)

180 iv. Elizabeth-Dorcas

181 v. **Sophia-Louisa** (-1842)

vi. Henrietta-Catherine

183 vii. Anne-Dorothea

139. Price BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 24 Jan 1760

Death: 1816

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

Spouse: Louisa SOUTHWELL (-20 Sep 1802)

Death: 20 Sep 1802⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: William SOUTHWELL⁶⁸⁸¹

Mother: **UNNAMED**Marriage: 29 Aug 1787⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: Anne COX (-8 Oct 1836)

Death: 8 Oct 1836⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Richard COX Esq.

Mother: UNNAMED

Marriage: 1804⁶⁸⁸¹

140. Leeson BLACKWOOD (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 1804⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

141. Henry BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (*Dorcas STEVENSON*⁶, *James*⁵, *Anne HAMILTON*⁴, *James*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1770⁶⁹¹¹

Death: Dec 1832, Ballyliddy, Down, Northern Ireland⁶⁹¹¹
Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

• [biography 1st paragraph]

Vice Admiral the Hon. Sir Henry Blackwood, Bt., GCH, KCB was the fourth son of Sir John Blackwood, 2nd. Baronet of Ballyliddy, Co. Down, his marriage with Dorcas, baroness Dufferin and Claneboye. Born in 1770 he entered the service in 1781 and is said to have served as a Volunteer in the *Artois* in the battle of the Dogger Bank the same year.⁶⁹¹¹

142. Anne BLACKWOOD (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: Sep 1827⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

Spouse: Very Rev. John RYDER (-1790)

Death: 1790⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: Feb 1777⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: Rev. James JONES⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 1796⁶⁸⁸¹

143. Sophia BLACKWOOD (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 21 Jan 1837⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

Spouse: James GREEN⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 1803⁶⁸⁸¹

144. Dorcas BLACKWOOD (Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 30 Jul 1818⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

Spouse: Col. P.-V.-Venault DE CHARMILLY⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 1799⁶⁸⁸¹

145. Catherine BLACKWOOD (*Dorcas STEVENSON*⁶, *James*⁵, *Anne HAMILTON*⁴, *James*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Death: 1846⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Sir John BLACKWOOD (1721-27 Feb 1799)
Mother: 106. Dorcas STEVENSON (-18 Feb 1808)

Spouse: Sir George DALLAS (-1833)

Death: 1833⁶⁸⁸¹
Marriage: 1788

Family of Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (107) & Sarah Anne DAWSON

146. Capt. Gawen William Rowan HAMILTON (*Archibald Rowan*⁶, *Gawen*⁵, *Archibald*⁴, *Gawen*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1783^{6898,6900}

Death: 17 Aug 1834^{6898,6900}

Memo: dvp

Father: 107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

- His son (3rd Gawen) was another interesting character who was a midshipman in Nelson's namy and rose to the rank of Commodore in command of a squadron in the Eastern Mediterranean. He tied up his ship, H. M. S. Cambrian, in Pyreas harbour in Greece and did much to bring stability and democracy to that country. He was there at the same time as Lord Byron. He is a hero in modern Greek history and i am from time to time in correspondence with Greek authors who write books about him. There is a Hamilton street in Athens. He came home in 1834 after many years' service at sea, and rode through the village of Killyleagh. Someone threw a firework under his horse which bucked off the poor Commodore who died of his injuries. The old 'rebel', Archibald Hamilton Rowan, was still alive in the Castle. The Commodore had in his lifetime changed his surname from that of his father to Rowan Hamilton because people had taken to calling him Commodore Rowan, whereas he was of course a Hamilton.⁶⁹⁰⁰
- Captain, R. N. 6909

Spouse: Catherine COCKBURN⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: Gen. Sir George COCKBURN^{6898,6909}

Marriage: 1817⁶⁸⁹⁸

3 Children...

184 i. **Archibald Rowan** (1818-1860)

ii. Capt. George Rowan (1822-1902)

186 iii. **Melita Anne** (-1901)

147. Jane HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1785
Death: 1863

Father: 107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

• Unmarried.⁶⁹⁰⁹

148. Sydney Rowan HAMILTON (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1789⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: **107.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Spouse: Ellen JACKSON⁶⁹⁰⁹
Father: Henry JACKSON

Family Notes: • 10 children. 6909

149. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: Gibraltar Birth: 1791⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: 107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

• an officer in the 11th Foot, d. at Gilbratar s. p. 6909

150. Frederick Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1793

Death: 1811, Spain

Father: **107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

• Royal Navy⁶⁹⁰⁹

151. Dawson Rowan HAMILTON (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1801⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: 107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Spouse: Anne BLACKWALL⁶⁹⁰⁹

152. Elizabeth HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Spouse: Rev. Sidney BERESFORD⁶⁹⁰⁹

Marriage: 1819⁶⁹⁰⁹

153. Mildred HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **107.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Spouse: Sir Edward RYAN⁶⁹⁰⁹

154. Harriet HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁹ (*Archibald Rowan*⁶, *Gawen*⁵, *Archibald*⁴, *Gawen*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Father: **107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Spouse: Crofton FITZGERALD⁶⁹⁰⁹

155. Francesca HAMILTON (Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 1861⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: **107. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁷⁸ (12 May 1752-1 Nov 1834)

Mother: **Sarah Anne DAWSON**⁶⁸⁹⁸ (1765-1834)

Spouse: William FLETCHER⁶⁹⁰⁹

Family of John HAMILTON (113)

156. Jane HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (John⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: 113. John HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹

• also called Janet.

Spouse: **Joseph BOOMER** (1763-1803) Birth: 1763, Yorkshire, England⁸³⁶⁹

Death: 1803, Brookfield, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Family of Robert HAMILTON (114) & Agnes FERGUSON

157. William HAMILTON (*Robert*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 28 Dec 1758⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **114.** Robert HAMILTON (8 Nov 1734-27 Jan 1814)

Mother: **Agnes FERGUSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (abt 1739-Mar 1835)

Flags: Eldest Child

158. Hants HAMILTON⁸³⁷⁰ (Robert⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 1 Jan 1780, Truro Township, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹
Death: 4 Feb 1858, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Burial: Riverside Cemetery, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **114. Robert HAMILTON** (8 Nov 1734-27 Jan 1814)

Mother: **Agnes FERGUSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (abt 1739-Mar 1835)

• 9th of 9 children.8369

Spouse: **Jane COTTAM**⁸³⁶⁹ (22 Feb 1793-18 May 1859)

Birth: 22 Feb 1793

Death: 18 May 1859, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia

Marriage: 14 Nov 1811⁸³⁶⁹

2 Children...

i. **Agnes** (Died as Child) (1813-1817)

188 ii. **Robert Samuel** (1840-1930)

Family Notes: • 13 children. 8369

Family of Hans/Hants HAMILTON (119) & UNNAMED

159. James HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **119. Hans/Hants HAMILTON**^{1,8369} (abt 1745-)

Mother: **UNNAMED**

160. John HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **119. Hans/Hants HAMILTON**^{1,8369} (abt 1745-)

Mother: **UNNAMED**

161. Archibald HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Father: **119. Hans/Hants HAMILTON**^{1,8369} (abt 1745-)

Mother: **UNNAMED**

162. Elizabeth HAMILTON (Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 1774, Clandeboye, County Down, Northern Ireland^{55,2346,8369}

Death: 22 Sep 1839, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada^{55,2346,8369}

Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada²⁰³⁸

Father: **119. Hans/Hants HAMILTON**^{1,8369} (abt 1745-)

Mother: **UNNAMED**

- "If there is any information on David and Elizabeth Nelson, land deeds, marriage certificates, etc, it would be of great importance. Elizabeth Hamilton Nelson was a cousin to Lord Dufferin, Gov.-General to Canada, and the line is now extinct in Ireland." ⁵⁵
- Said to have died in Iona at the same time as her daughter, Eleanor Nelson Lumley, due to an epidemic of typhoid fever. ¹⁰³
- "I am fortunate to have an oral history written down in 1901 by Frances Read Blackburn, the daughter of Mary Hamilton Nelson, the wife of Robert Collins Read. The

Read, Lumley, and Mills families all moved to Ontario about the same time. Elizabeth Hamilton Nelson, the widow of David, moved with her daughter, Eleanor, to Iona, Ontario, and is buried in Lumley Cemetery (there is no stone) and no date of death in the history." ¹¹⁹³

• On Lumley stone in the cemetery listing

Elizabeth - born 1774, Sept 22, 1839 - 65 years of age -- could be ancestor Elizabeth? Elizabeth buried 1 mile and half south from Iona on a farm now owned by Thomas Pearce - about 50 graves, many without headstones - many were carted off to make fireplaces - grave located near the front of property directly next to the road.²³⁴⁶

• Elizabeth is being included as a daughter of Hants Hamilton **by family tradition only**. Her children did live in Nova Scotia and even married there. Her descendants maintained knowledge of their origins and a family history was recorded by her greatgranddaughter Mary Jane (Read) Chatterson in the late 1800s. Mary Jane's father Stephen Read would have been 15 years old when his grandmother Elizabeth died so would have had personal knowledge of her and hie lived until 1905, long after her notes were written so the information would have actually been from him.⁸³⁶⁹

Research: • Grave Markers at Iona, Ontario

John Hamilton, died ----?

Henry Hamilton died Sept. 19th, 1852, 81 years, 11 months, 26 days, born 1771.

John Nelson - died 14th Feb. 1868 aged 55, born 1813, Armagh, Ireland.

Francis, dau. of John Nelson died July 14th 1866.

Thomas Hamilton born 1830, died March 5, 1902, 72 years 9 months, 15 days, wife Eliza Harris.

May be related to Mary Hamilton Nelson and may be brothers to Elizabeth Hamilton-Nelson. 2346

General: • Clandeboye, the seat of the Marquess of Dufferin and Ava, lies two miles west of Bangor, Co. Down, and nine miles northeast of Belfast. The station of Helen's Bay on the Belfast and Co. Down railway is about three miles distance.²³⁴⁶

Spouse: David NELSON¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Birth: bef 1768, County Fermanagh?, Ireland^{8,2038}

Removal: by 1813, Nova Scotia, Canada^{55,8369} Death: 1814, Belfast, Northern Ireland⁵⁵

Flags: Brick Wall

• Born in Ireland of Scotch parentage. Was large landholder or renter from Lord

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Sevent	'n	Genera	tion

Dufferin. Migrated to Nova Scotia in 1813 with family except two oldest children. Returned to Ireland on business in 1814 and died while there.¹

• David Nelson's wife was Elizabeth Hamilton Nelson.⁵⁵

• Dear Carol -

We received your letter today, so I thought I would try and answer right away. We can help you a little further on the Nelson & Hamilton lines. Don't know just how to start all this.

First I had better tell you just how my husband is related to the Nelson's & Hamilton's. Ray's great-great-grandmother is Mary Hamilton Nelson, who is Eleanor H. Nelson's sister. Maybe you can figure out your relationship to Ray from that. I believe it would make you about 5th cousins. I may be wrong.

I will now put down what we found out about the Hamilton - Nelson line.

The following story was written by Mary Jane Read Chatterson. As far as I can figure out, this story was written between the years 1885 to 1890.

Hamilton – Nelson

In the early part of the 17th century David Hamilton, a resident of Scotland, loyal to the King, was ordered to take an active part in the quelling of the disturbance in Ireland and for his service rendered was given a large grant of land near Belfast, Ireland and created Earl of Clanbrassil. His son became Viscount of Clandeboye and in course of time the title became changed to Dufferin, but the estate still bears the name of Clandeboye.

The present owner, Frederick Hamilton, better known as Lord Dufferin, and his wife, Harriet Hamilton, are according to Grandmother Read's story, not only cousins, but lineal descendants of the oldest son of Viscount Clandeboye and her grandfather whose name was Hans Hamilton was the son of 2nd son of Viscount Clandeboye, and therefore had no claims upon either title or estate.

Elizabeth Hamilton, daughter of Hans Hamilton, married David Nelson, who belonged to a very old and highly respected family, also of Scotch descent but Irish birth. David Nelson was a large landholder and also acted in the capacity of overseer for the old Earl of Dufferin, but becoming dissatisfied, he concluded to try his fortune in the then new world, and accordingly came over and settled with his family in Nova Scotia, in year 1813.

His family were all born in Ireland, and if I remember rightly, on the Dufferin Estate. Their names were:

1. Jennie Nelson, married to man by name of Summerside, and she remained in Ireland, lived and died there.

- 2. Ursula Nelson, aged 3 years, born and died in Ireland.
- 3. Eleanor Nelson, married in Nova Scotia, to James Lumley, who moved shortly after to Iona, near St. Thomas, Ontario, where they settled on a farm, lived and died there.
- 4. Elizabeth Nelson, married in Nova Scotia to J. Hoag and resided in Nova Scotia with her family until death.
- 5. Margaret Ann Nelson, married in Nova Scotia, to Barnabas Mills, moved from Nova Scotia to Iona, Ont. and from there to farm near Wardsville, Ont. where she resided at time of death.
- 6. Mary Hamilton Nelson, married in Nova Scotia to Robert Colin Read in 1821. In 1824 they moved to Iona, where they lived until 1831, when they moved to the Township of Zone, near village of Florence, Ont. and from there in 1846 to "Little Mill Farm," River Road, Harwich Twp, near Chatham, Ont. where they resided up to time of their death. 7-8. Two sons, David and Hans Nelson, left Nova Scotia for the United States, but the mail system in those days being very imperfect, very little or nothing was ever heard of them.

David Nelson, the father, after getting his family fairly well settled in Nova Scotia, returned to Ireland to settle some business affairs in 1814 and while there was taken ill and died after a few weeks illness, at his daughter's Jenny Summerside. The mother, Elizabeth Hamilton Nelson, moved from Nova Scotia, with her daughter, Eleanor Lumley, to Iona, where she resided until time of death and is buried near the little village of Iona, in Lumley Cemetery. 1191

• Died at the home of his daughter, Jenny Summerside, near Belfast, [County Down, Northern] Ireland.

Source: Pedigree chart of Carol Lumley Holstine, dated November, 1960, received by DWM by Carol Holstine, 22 Apr 1993.

• David Nelson belonged to a very old and highly respected family of Scotch descent but Irish birth. He was a large landholder and also acted in the capacity of overseer for the old Earl of Dufferin. Becoming dissatisfied, he decided to try his fortune in the New World, and came with his wife and family to Nova Scotia in 1813.

Children of David Nelson and Elizabeth Hamilton Nelson:

- 1. Jennie Nelson married man named Summerside and remained in Ireland, lived and died there.
- 2. Ursula Nelson aged 3 years, born and died in Ireland.
- 3. Eleanor Nelson married James Lumley and moved from Nova Scotia to Iona, Ontario, Canada.
- 4. Elizabeth Nelson married J. Hoag and lived and died in Nova Scotia.

- 5. Margaret Ann Nelson married Barnabas Mills, moved from Nova Scotia to Iona, Ontario and from there to Wardsville, Ontario where she died.
- 6. Mary Hamilton Nelson married Robert Colin Read in 1821, moved from Nova Scotia to Iona, Ont., and from there to Twp. of Zone near village of Florence, Ont., and from there to "Little Mill Farm", River Rd., Harwich Twp., near Chatham, Ont. in 1846 where she died.
- 7. David Nelson
- 8. Hans Nelson these two sons left Nova Scotia for the United States and were never heard of again.

David Nelson, the father, after getting his family fairly well settled in Nova Scotia, returned to Ireland to settle some business affairs in 1814 and while there was taken ill and died after a few weeks illness at his daughter's, Jenny Nelson Summersides, near Belfast. 1191

- The Nelson family arrived in Nova Scotia from Ireland in 1813, after getting settled David Nelson returned to settle some business affairs in 1814 and while there died at the home of his daughter Jennie Summersides, who had remained in Ireland. 1193
- belonging to a highly respected family of Scots descent. 8369

8 Children...

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189
         i. Jennie
190
        ii. Ursula (Died as Child) (~1792-~1795)
       iii. Eleanor Hamilton (1793->1879)
191
192
       iv. Elizabeth (~1795-~1885)
193
        v. Mary Hamilton (1798-1890)
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       vi. Margaret Ann (1803-1852)
       vii. David (1808-1872)
195
196
      viii. Hans Hamilton (<1809-)
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Family of HAMILTON (120)

163. William HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (6, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: Northern Ireland
Father: **120. HAMILTON**⁸³⁶⁹

Residence: Nova Scotia

• William came to Nova Scotia, married, and had a family.

Family of James HAMILTON (122) & Hannah PHILLIPS

164. Hans HAMILTON (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Hannah PHILLIPS**⁶⁸⁹⁹

Residence: of Sheephill⁶⁸⁷⁸

165. Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: 16 Jul 1760 Death: Nov 1844

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Hannah PHILLIPS**⁶⁸⁹⁹ Residence: of Ballymacoll^{6878,6899}

Spouse: Mary WETHERALL⁶⁸⁹⁹
Father: John WETHERALL

10 Children...

i. **James John** (1788-1842)

198 ii. **Rev. Henry** (1795-1874)

199 iii. **John** (1798-1847)

200 iv. Hans Henry (1800-1885)

v. Robert

202 vi. **Mary**

203 vii. Isabella

204 viii. **Harriett** (-1880)

205 ix. Sophia

206 x. Charlotte

166. James HAMILTON^{6899,6922} (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Hannah PHILLIPS**⁶⁸⁹⁹

167. John HAMILTON⁶⁹²² (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Hannah PHILLIPS**⁶⁸⁹⁹

168. Robert HAMILTON⁶⁹²² (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Hannah PHILLIPS**⁶⁸⁹⁹

169. Francis HAMILTON⁶⁹²² (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Hannah PHILLIPS**⁶⁸⁹⁹

Family of James HAMILTON (122) & Alice HAMILTON

170. Richard HAMILTON⁶⁹²² (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Alice HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁹⁹

171. Christopher HAMILTON⁶⁹²² (James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **122. James HAMILTON** (abt 1720-1800)

Mother: **Alice HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁹⁹

Family of Alexander HAMILTON (127) & Isabella MAXWELL

172. Rt. Rev. Hugh HAMILTON DD⁶⁸⁹⁸ (*Alexander*⁶, *Mary ROSS*⁵, *Ursula HAMILTON*⁴, *Hans*³, *William*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 26 Mar 1729 Death: 1 Dec 1805

Father: **127. Alexander HAMILTON**⁶⁹¹⁶ (1690-1768)

Mother: Isabella MAXWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Residence: of Newtown Hamilton, County Armagh

Spouse: **Isabella WOOD** (-1834)

Death: 1834⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: Hans Widman WOOD

Mother: Frances ____?___6898

Marriage: 6 Aug 1772⁶⁸⁹⁸

3 Children...

207 i. **Alexander** (1774-1852)

208 ii. **Rev. Hans DD** (1776-1839)

209 iii. **Henry** (1780-1834)

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Eighth Generation

Family of Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (138) & Mehetabel-Hester TEMPLE

173. Robert-Temple BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 13 Jul 1788

Death: 1815, Waterloo, Belgium

Father: **138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin** (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Mehetabel-Hester TEMPLE (-1798)

174. Hans BLACKWOOD (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 28 Sep 1792⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: **138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin** (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Mehetabel-Hester TEMPLE (-1798)

• Died unmarried.⁶⁸⁸¹

175. Sir Price TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin^{6880,6887} (Hans BLACKWOOD⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 6 May 1794^{6881,6914} Death: 21 Jul 1841^{6881,6914}

Father: **138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin** (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Mehetabel-Hester TEMPLE (-1798)

- 4th Baron of Dufferin and Claneboye, capt. R.N.

 His lordship d. suddenly on board the "Reindeer" steamer, from taking an over-dose of morphine, 21 July 1841, and was s. by his son.⁶⁸⁸¹
- Up to the mid-1820s the Blackwoods, even though a peerage family, in reality belonged to the provincial gentry, overshadowed in their own county by the more cosmopolitan and much richer Marquesses of Downshire and Londonderry. In 1825 Capt. Price Blackwood, RN, who was the heir presumptive to the Barony of Dufferin (to which he succeeded in 1839) married outside the normal circle of Blackwood wives. 6918

Spouse: **Helen Selina SHERIDAN**^{6914,6880} (1807-13 Jun 1867)

Birth: 1807⁶⁹¹⁵

Death: 13 Jun 1867, Highgate, Middlesex, England⁷⁵⁹¹

Father: Thomas SHERIDAN

Marriage: 4 Jul 1825⁶⁸⁸¹

- Name given as Selena. 6881
- [Her] family, although also of Irish origin, 'belonged to another class [the English literati], with very dissimilar antecedents and traditions.'6918

1 Child...

i. Sir Frederick Lord Dufferin (1826-1902)

176. Henrietta BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin** (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Mehetabel-Hester TEMPLE (-1798)

Spouse: **Sir William-Stewart HAMILTON**Residence: of Brown's Hall, co. Donegal⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: Apr 1807⁶⁸⁸¹

Family of Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (138) & Elizabeth FINLAY

177. William-Stear BLACKWOOD (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 27 Apr 1802⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: 138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Elizabeth FINLAY (-Jul 1843)

Spouse: Elizabeth HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: Robert HAMILTON

Mother: **UNNAMED**Marriage: 24 Mar 1832⁶⁸⁸¹

3 Children...

i. Hans-Stevenson (1833-)
 ii. Robert-William (1840-)
 iii. Price-Frederic (1841-)

178. Henry-Stevenson BLACKWOOD (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne

HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 4 Aug 1818⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: **138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin** (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Elizabeth FINLAY (-Jul 1843)

• late captain 17th lancers⁶⁸⁸¹

179. Marianne BLACKWOOD (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 22 Feb 1845⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: 138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: **Elizabeth FINLAY** (-Jul 1843)

Spouse: Archdeacon Walter-Bishop MANT⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 15 Oct 1831⁶⁸⁸¹

180. Elizabeth-Dorcas BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: **138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin** (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Elizabeth FINLAY (-Jul 1843)

Spouse: Capt. James-Hamilton WARD⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 26 Jul 1839⁶⁸⁸¹

181. Sophia-Louisa BLACKWOOD (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 1842⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: 138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Elizabeth FINLAY (-Jul 1843)

Spouse: Hans HAMILTON (-1833)

Death: 1833⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 5 Jan 1832⁶⁸⁸¹

Spouse: Capt. Alexander GRANT⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 1837⁶⁸⁸¹

182. Henrietta-Catherine BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne

HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: **Elizabeth FINLAY** (-Jul 1843)

Spouse: Hon. Thomas Clotworthy SKEFFINGTON⁶⁸⁸¹

Marriage: 21 Feb 1841⁶⁸⁸¹

183. Anne-Dorothea BLACKWOOD⁶⁸⁸¹ (Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Father: 138. Sir Hans BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (Oct 1758-18 Nov 1839)

Mother: Elizabeth FINLAY (-Jul 1843)

Spouse: David-Stewart KER

Marriage: 1 Mar 1842⁶⁸⁸¹

• M. P. of Montalto, co. Down.⁶⁸⁸¹

Family of Capt. Gawen William Rowan HAMILTON (146) & Catherine COCKBURN

184. Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (*Gawen William Rowan*⁷, *Archibald Rowan*⁶, *Gawen*⁵, *Archibald*⁴, *Gawen*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 9 Aug 1818^{6898,6900}

Death: 2 May 1860^{6898,6900,6925}

Father: 146. Capt. Gawen William Rowan HAMILTON (1783-17 Aug 1834)

Mother: Catherine COCKBURN⁶⁸⁹⁸

Residence: of Killyleagh Castle, County Down⁶⁸⁸⁷

- \bullet The third Archie presided at the Castle during the potato famine and in his old age saw the break-up of the Hamilton estates as a result of the Land Acts. 6900
- Archibald Rowan Hamilton of Killileagh Castle, J.P., Capt. 5th Dragoon Guards, High Sheriff, born 1818, succeeded his grandfather in the estates in 1834, and died 1860. He married 1842 Catherine Anne, daughter of the Rev. George Caldwell. 6909

Spouse: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸
Father: Rev. George CALDWELL^{6898,6909}

Marriage: 24 Feb 1842^{6898,6925,6928}

• His wife, Catherine, was a woman of ability and considerable financial resources. She spent a large part of her fortune (£9,000) on restoring the Castle not only because the

turrets were starting to disintegrate, but because the famine had caused a great hardship in Killyleagh and there was an urgent need to provide work. She spent other large sums on the farm houses. When these were compulsorily transferred to the tenants, it nearly broke her heart. Someone (I like to think it was the people of the town) put up a memorial to her where McCormick's garage now stands. It was knocked down and removed by the local authority in order to broaden the road.⁶⁹⁰⁰

7 Children...

- **214** i. Col. Gawen William (1844-1930)
- 215 ii. Lt.-Col. George Rowan (1845-)
- 216 iii. Lt. Sydney Augustus Rowan (1846-1868)
- 217 iv. Frederick Temple Rowan (1850-1941)
- **218** v. **Harriot Georgina Rowan** (1843-1936)
- vi. Helen Gwendoline Rowan (-1886)
- vii. Mary Catherine Rowan (-1951)

185. Capt. George Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (*Gawen William Rowan*⁷, *Archibald Rowan*⁶, *Gawen*⁵, *Archibald*⁴, *Gawen*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1822

Death: 4 Mar 1902

Father: **146.** Capt. Gawen William Rowan HAMILTON (1783-17 Aug 1834)

Mother: Catherine COCKBURN⁶⁸⁹⁸

• Capt. 5th Dragoon Guards. 6909

Spouse: Caroline Frederica HART (-1907)

Death: 1907⁶⁹⁰⁹

186. Melita Anne HAMILTON (Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 1901⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: 146. Capt. Gawen William Rowan HAMILTON (1783-17 Aug 1834)

Mother: Catherine COCKBURN⁶⁸⁹⁸

Spouse: Capt. Jacob Hierom SANKEY

• R. N., of Coolmore. 6909

Family of Hants HAMILTON (158) & Jane COTTAM

187. Agnes HAMILTON⁸³⁶⁹ (Hants⁷, Robert⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 24 Apr 1813, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia Death: 6 Jun 1817, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia Father: 158. Hants HAMILTON⁸³⁷⁰ (1 Jan 1780-4 Feb 1858)

Mother: **Jane COTTAM**⁸³⁶⁹ (22 Feb 1793-18 May 1859)

Flags: Eldest Child

188. Robert Samuel HAMILTON (Hants⁷, Robert⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 15 Mar 1840, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Death: 8 Apr 1930, Bible Hill, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Burial: Crossroads Cemetery, Valley Station, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **158. Hants HAMILTON**⁸³⁷⁰ (1 Jan 1780-4 Feb 1858)

Mother: **Jane COTTAM**⁸³⁶⁹ (22 Feb 1793-18 May 1859)

Nickname: Samuel⁸³⁶⁹

• 13th of 13 children. 8369

Spouse: **Janet Deyarmond PROVEN** (17 Jun 1839-6 Jan 1915)
Birth: 17 Jun 1839, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Death: 6 Jan 1915, Valley Station, Colchester, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **George PROVEN**⁸³⁶⁹

Mother: **Sarah DEYARMOND**⁸³⁶⁹

Marriage: 24 Dec 1870, Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Nova Scotia^{8369,8370}

Family of Elizabeth HAMILTON (162) & David NELSON

189. Jennie NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: County Down, Northern Ireland¹¹⁹¹

Death: Ireland¹¹⁹¹

Father: David NELSON¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

- Married Summerside, remained in Ireland. 1193
- David Nelson, the father, after getting his family fairly well settled in Nova Scotia,

returned to Ireland to settle some business affairs in 1814, and while there was taken ill and died after a few weeks illness, at his daughter's Jenny Summersides. 1191

SUMMERSIDES¹¹⁹¹ Spouse:

Ireland 1191,1193 Marriage:

190. Ursula NELSON (Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

abt 1792, County Down, Northern Ireland 1191 Birth:

abt 1795, Ireland 1191 Death:

Father: **David NELSON**¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

• Died 3 years old. 1193

• Aged 3 years, born and died in Ireland. 1191,8369

191. Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (*Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 9 Jan 1793, County Down, Northern

Ireland 103,980,8369

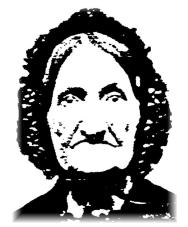
aft 19 Sep 1879, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁸⁰ Death: Burial: Iona Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada

St. Thomas, Elgin, Ontario, Canada³⁹²⁸ Burial:

David NELSON¹ (bef 1768-1814) Father:

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

• Eleanor Lumley (Nelson) was born in County Down,



Eleanor Hamilton

Ireland, January 9th, 1792; married James Lumley May 11th, 1820, and came to Ontario and settled in Dunwich, south of Iona; they had seven children. Mr. Lumley died September 21st, 1851, aged 56 years and 6 months, and she now lives with her son Ephraim in the enjoyment of good health. 1190

Census: • 1842 Census: Dunwich twp., Elgin, Ontario. 1616

- 1861 Census: Dunwich twp., Elgin, Ontario. Age 69, b Ireland, Baptist, widow. 1189,1679
- 1871 Census: Dunwich, Elgin West, Ontario: age 78, Ireland, F W Baptist, widow. Living in a house by herself. 1189,2710

Spouse: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Birth: 22 Mar 1795, Southampton, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{2,84,103,840,978}

Death: 21 Sep 1851, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada^{103,978,980}

Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada^{103,982}

Burial: St. Thomas, Elgin, Ontario, Canada³⁹²⁸
Father: **John LUMLEY** (1766/1767-12 May 1842)
Mother: **Ann HARRISON** (1766-29 Aug 1837)

Marriage: 11 May 1820, Nova Scotia, Canada^{55,103,859,978,981}

• The James Lumley who your history says died in 1881 is undoubtedly the James Lumley, son of John and Ann Lumley, who was born March 22, 1795. He married Eleanor Nelson, and died September 21, 18<u>51</u>, (as your genealogical chart also states). He and his wife are buried in the Old Iona Cemetery near the village of Iona, Ontario, Canada. 979

Census: • 1842 Census: Dunwich twp., Elgin, Ontario. 1616

7 Children...

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    i. Hance H. (1821-1875)
    ii. Elizabeth H. (1822-1847)
    iii. James (1824-1881)
    iv. Enoch (1826-1859)
    v. Ephraim (1828->1879)
    vi. Eleanor H. (1830-1858)
    vii. Joseph (1832-1847)
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Marriage Notes: • They settled on a farm north of his brother, Joseph. They had seven children. ⁹⁷⁸

• Eleanor Nelson, married in Nova Scotia to James Lumley, who moved shortly after to Iona, near St. Thomas, Ontario, where they settled on a farm, lived and died there. 1192

192. Elizabeth NELSON (Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1795, Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland 1191,8369

Death: abt 1885, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1191,3578}

Memo: place only

Father: David NELSON¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

Nickname: Betsev⁶²⁵⁴

- b. abt 1795 in Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland, [by tradition on or near Dufferin Estate also known as Clandeboye Estate]. 8369
- Elizabeth Nelson married in NS to J. Hoag and lived there until her death. 55,1191

Census: • 1881 Canada Census: Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia. Age 82, b Ireland. Baptist. 3811

Spouse: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885)

Birth: 25 May 1802, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1188,7314} Death: abt Jul 1885, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, Canada^{8369,3578}

Father: Nathan HOEG (1749-11 May 1820)

Mother: **Abigail Mary MILLS**^{1090,3578} (abt 1749-1838)

Marriage: 28 Sep 1820, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{55,1188,6254}

- Son of Nathan & Abigal Hoeg of Maccan, Cumberland County. 1188
- In the Census Returns of 1827, dated September 30th, the Joseph Hoeg household is recorded as 4 Males in the family and 2 females. He is described as a Dessenter, farming on 40 acres "of Land in cultivation by the Family", The family harvested 15 bushels of Wheat, 50 bushels of other grain, 25 tons of hay, owned 2 horses, 20 horned cattle, 25 sheep, 12 swine and 500 bushels of potatoes. 8369

Census: • 1881 Canada Census: Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia. Age 79, b NS. Farmer. Baptist. 3811

6 Children...

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    i. Nathan (1822-1902)
    ii. Hance Hamilton (1823-)
    iii. Phoebe (1825-<1901)</li>
    iv. Abigail (1826-1916)
    v. Jeptha (1828->1881)
    vi. Elisabeth J. (1832-)
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193. Mary Hamilton NELSON (Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, $James^3$, $Gawin^2$, $Hans^1$)

Birth: 25 Sep 1798, Clandeboye, County Down, Northern

Ireland 55,1124,1284,2303,3448,8369

Removal: 1824, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada²³⁴⁶

Death: 26 Feb 1890, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{1124,1284,2303}

Death: 26 Feb 1890, Northwood, Kent, Ontario, Canada³⁴⁴⁸ Burial: Field Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada²⁰³⁸

Father: **David NELSON**¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

• "To Iona 1824, there till 183-, then to township near Florence, then 1846 to Little Mill Farm, River Road, Harwich, near Chatham - d. there."

Source: Information given to Robert Jones by Ernest Coates of Nova Scotia; sent to DWM by Robert Jones, 7/8/1991. Mr. Coates obtained his information from Jane (Read) Nelson.

• Mary Hamilton Nelson, born 25 Sept 1798 at Clandeboye, near Belfast, Ireland, died at "Little Mill Farm" on 26 Feb 1890.

Robert & Mary were married in Nova Scotia 1820, moved from Nova Scotia, 1824 to Iona settlement near St. Thomas, Ont., moved to township of Euphemia near Florence, Ont., 1830, moved to Little Mill Farm, Harwich twp. 1846. 1284

- Married in NS to Robert C. Read in 1821. In 1824 moved to Iona, Ont. 55
- When Governor General of Canada, the Marquess of Dufferin and his wife Harriet Hamilton visited Chatham, when I don't know, but they went by our old house at 157 Park St. in a motorcade, and Grandmother Read said "Harriet was her cousin."

 I firmly believe this to be true, as there is too many consistencies to our family history which are parallel to the Killyleagh Castle Hamiltons. 2346
- Newspaper Clipping: Harwich

Died-- on Wednesday, 26th Feb., at her residence, River Road, Harwich, Mrs. Mary Read, relict of the late Robert Read, aged 91 years. Deceased was born in Ireland and came to Nova Scotia while yet in her teens, was married there and afterwards moved from there to this place, where [she] spent many happy years in the fairest country of all where she had remained, ever since. She was the mother of ten children, all of whom are living except two; and was a lady of more than ordinary strength and ambition, which her family have inherited in a great measure. She died rejoicing in hope of a blessed immortality beyond the grave.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mills, Marysville, Mich., have been here attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Read. Mr. Mills returned immediately after the funeral, but Mrs. Mills remained and is the guest of Mrs. S. E. Arnold this week.²³⁴⁶

• Chatham Tri-Weekly Planet - March 14, 1890 On Wednesday, the 28th of Feb. one of the oldest settlers of the county, Mary Hamilton

Nelson Read, passed away at the ripe old age of 91 yrs. and 7 months. Deceased was born in 1798, in County Down, Ireland, but by descent belonged to the ancient Scotch family of Hamiltons. Her father, David Nelson, was a large land holder under the Earl of Dufferin, but becoming dissatisfied, he concluded to try his fortune in the new world, and accordingly came out and settled with his family in Nova Scotia, in the year 1813. Mary Nelson married in 1821 Robert Read, who died May 12 1867. Ten children were born, eight of whom survive her. From Nova Scotia, she moved in 1824 to lona, Ont., where she lived until 1831, when she moved to the township of Zone, and from there in 1846 to the River Thames, Harwich where she resided up to the time of her death."

Census: • 1881 Canada Census: Harwich, Kent, Ontario. Age 78, b Ireland. Widow. F Baptist. 3818

Spouse: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Birth: 27 Jul 1796, Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{55,1284,8369}

Settlement: 1824, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada¹²⁸⁴

Settlement: 1830¹²⁸⁴

Memo: Euphemia Twp., near Florence, Kent Co., Ontario

Settlement: 1846, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada¹²⁸⁴

Memo: Little Mill Farm Will: 8 May 1867³⁴⁰⁵

Memo: Codicil

Death: 11 May 1867, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{1124,1284}

Burial: Field Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario²³⁰³

Father: Robert READ (16 Aug 1761-Sep 1830)

Mother: **Mary RIPLEY** (1765-1830)

Marriage: 18 Jan 1821, Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{55,1187,1193,2303,8369}

- Robert C. Read, born 27 July 1796 near Amherst, Nova Scotia, died 11 May 1867 at "Little Mill Farm," River Road, Harwich Twp., Kent Co., Ontario. 1284
- Birth Date of 27 Jul 1791. 1124
- In 1824, they came to Iona and in 1831, moved to Zone Tsp., Kent County, where at that time but two or three families had yet settled. In 1846, Mr. Read bought 200 acres of wild land in Harwich, and he and his wife lived thereon the remainder of their lives, and died, he on May 12, 1867, and she in 1885. They were devoted Baptists, and founders of that religious body in this neighborhood²³⁴⁶
- Named in his grandmother's will. 2346

10 Children...

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234
         i. William C. (1821-1883)
235
        ii. Mary (1822-1909)
236
        iii. Stephen (1824-1901)
237
        iv. Frances (1826-1918)
238
        v. Thomas (1828-1903)
        vi. Jane (1830-1911)
239
       vii. Eleanor (1832-1894)
240
241
      viii. Elizabeth (1836-1913)
242
        ix. John Collin (1843-1926)
243
        x. Dolly Ann (Died as Child) (1846-1857)
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Family Notes: • In 1824, they came to Iona and in 1831, moved to Zone Twp., Kent County, where at that time but two or three families had yet settled. In 1846, Mr. Read bought 200 acres of wild land in Harwich, and he and his wife lived thereon the remainer of their lives, and died, he on May 12, 1867, and she in 1885 [sic]. They were devoted Baptists, and founders of that religious body in this neighborhood.²³⁴⁶

194. Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 1803, County Down, Northern Ireland^{8,344}

Death: 30 Jul 1852, Wardsville, Mosa Township, Middlesex,

Ontario, Canada^{1,8,341,1153}

Death: 3 Jul 1852³⁴⁴⁸

Father: David NELSON¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

• Fifth child in family of eight children, all born in Ireland. Died in Wardsville, Ontario.¹



Margaret Ann

• Information provided by Ernest Coates of Fenwick, N. S.

Margaret Ann Nelson, born in Ireland, dau. of David and Elizabeth (Hamilton) Nelson, emigrated to Nova Scotia with her parents in 1813. In Nova Scotia she married Barnabus Mills, and moved to Ontario, first to Iona, and then to Wardsville; she died at the latter place.⁴

 \bullet Margaret Ann Nelson married in NS to a Barnabus Mills; moved from NS to Iona, Ont.^{55}

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

• 1851 Census: Mosa Twp. Age 48, b Ireland. 4,1647,2377

General: • Iona is a village on the boundary between the townships of Southwold and Dunwich, in what is now Elgin County, Ontario; Wardsville is a town on the Thames River in Mosa Township in Middlesex County, Ont.⁴

Spouse: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880)
Birth: 26 Feb 1801, River Hebert, Cumberland, Nova Scotia,

20 Feb 1001, River Hebert, Cumberland, Nova Scotla

Canada^{2,4,115,1096,6257,7616,8369}

Removal: abt 1825, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁴

Settlement: 1831, Mosa Township, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada⁴

Removal: abt 1858, Chatham, Kent, Ontario, Canada¹⁷⁶ Removal: abt 1870, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan^{176,1690}

Death: 24 Apr 1880, Marysville, St. Clair,

Michigan^{1,176,341,1144,1153}

Memo: tombstone: age 79 yrs 2 mos 22 days

Burial: 13 Jun 1894, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair,

Michigan³⁴⁰

Father: **Peter MILLS**^{1096,7615} (abt 1770-1820)

Mother: **Eleanor INNIS** (2 Apr 1777-1 Apr 1809)

Occupation: Farmer

Residence: Springhill, Cumberland, NS; Mosa township, Ontario

Flags: Earliest Immigrant

Marriage: 1822, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1,55,175}

- Born in Nova Scotia. Moved with family to Wardsville, Ontario in 1827 and lived his last years in Marysville, Michigan.¹
- Son of Peter & Elenor Mills.^{2,114,1818}
- Barnabas could have been named after Peter's brother-in-law, Barnabas Gilroy. 1112
- I find your Barnabas born 26 Feb 1801 in the town book, but Darrell doesn't list him, as he was not in the family notes, which would indicate that Barny [sic] did leave the county. 1087
- In my opinion there can be no doubt that Barnabas was in fact a son of Peter and Eleanor (Ennis/Innis) Mills. The only contrary evidence seems to be the fact that W. Darrell Mills' genealogical tables, as given in Michael's newsletter, do not show



Barnabas

Barnabas as one of Peter's children. However, Darrell's record leaves out other known children of Peter, and has at least one major error, so the omission of Barnabas cannot be considered significant. It must be pointed out in fairness to Darrell that he does not claim that his list of Peter's children is complete; in my experience "family source" information rarely is.⁴

- Actually I have a long-time acquaintance with your genealogy since our Mills families both came from NS to Mosa and then to St. Clair Co., MI. When I started hunting for my Mills connection in St. Clair, I met Lois Wedge. She gave me a sheet showing Daniel Mills as the father of Barnabus. But when I got the NS info, it appeared much more likely to me that he was the 1801 son of Peter, which is apparently the conclusion others came to also. There was a Daniel Mills in NS early enough to have a son in 1801, but the odds are against two Barnabas Mills being born in 1801. Name inferences are hardly conclusive. The Barnabas could have been named after Peter's brother-in-law, Barnabas Gilroy. Peter also had sons named Reuben and Nelson, names of your Barnabas's sons. Your Barnabas did not have a Peter, but many of the Mills did not name any of the children after the father of grandfather. 1112
- Moved from NS to Iona, Ont.⁵⁵
- It is possible that Barnabas may have moved to Upper Canada ca. 1820 as a single man, returning later to Nova Scotia to marry and live until after his son Hamilton was born. (In this connection the following information, mainly from secondary sources, may or may not be significant: About 1820, the time that this census indicates for Barnabas' arrival in Upper Canada, several families removed from the Southampton area of Cumberland Co., N. S., to Upper Canada, settling in the Iona area in Dunwich Twp. in what is now Elgin County. The group included James Lumley (son of John and Nancy (Harrison) Lumley) and his wife Eleanor H. Nelson; Eleanor was a sister of Barnabas Mills' first wife, Margaret Ann Nelson. According to Source 3, Barnabas Mills was born at Southampton, and according to Source 5, in Upper Canada. Barnabas Mills first settled at Iona.)⁴
- His [Reuben Mills] father was a native son of Nova Scotia, the year of his birth being 1801. The elder Mr. Mills followed the calling of the farm throughout his entire life. He came to Canada [meaning Ontario] in an early day, when he had reached his majority, and lived there for many years, till his family of thirteen children, seven boys and six girls, had grown to manhood and womanhood. The mother died when Reuben Mills, the immediate subject of this brief personal record, was nine years old [thus 1848], and some time after the father married again. The second wife bore him two children, and

after her death in Canada he came to Marysville, where he passed away in 1871.⁵⁰

- Nova Scotia Department of Lands and Forest Cadastral Map Index Sheet No. 60: This map shows that Barney Mills was granted 200 acres in Cumberland County. The lot, through which the Black River flows, is located on the eastern outskirts of the present town of Springhill, and lies on both sides of the road leading to Salt Springs. (The eastern part of the Springhill Cemetery now lies on part of the lot.) The following indicial information is given for the grant: "Lib 10 Fol 8 No. 1567/Book N p16". 3387 This is undoubtedly the property that Barney Mills "of River Thames" sold in 1836 [see below]. It cannot be concluded from this information that [Barnabas] Mills actually resided on the property. At this time many residents of the earlier-settled parts of the county obtained grants of crown land in the unsettled interior, probably to have access to the timber on the properties.⁴
- Petitioner a native of province with wife and one child; has never had land granted; asks for an order to survey for 200 acres "on the Black River adjoining lands on the East side, formerly laid off for Andrew Dexter." [A notation on the document states that a warrant to survey was issued and a grant made, both on 16 Dec. 1823.] The property is clearly that shown on the cadastral map, and that sold by Barnabas Mills of Mosa Twp. in 1836.

The statement that (on 23 Oct. 1823) Barney Mills had a wife and one child agrees with the Family Record: Barnabas' eldest child (Nelson) was born 15 Jan. 1823, and thus was nine months old when the petition was written; Barnabas' second child (Hamilton) was not born until 8 Aug. 1824, ten months after the petition was written.⁵

- In 1825, the hilltop now Springhill, and the surrounding countryside was all laid off in grants. A map of Crown Grants by B. Scott with grants dated 1827 and 1828 show these on or near the "Claremont Road" (now Main Street): ...Barney Mills, ... The grants were very elastic in their titles and surveys, with the legal term "more or less" widely used. These lands were used as a commodity and the early settlers constantly bought, sold and exchanged among themselves. 3386
- 1826: removal from Nova Scotia to Mosa: "when he [Nelson Mills] was three years old, they removed to Wardsville, about 30 miles from Chatham, Ontario."
- Barney Mills: Lot 21, Range 1RS. 1110
- Barney Mills: Lot 20 & 21, 1st Range S. Long Woods Road; 92 acres; patent date: 18 Nov 1847. 1111
- From transcriptions of assessment rolls for the township of Mosa, Middlesex County,



Ontario for the years 1826, 1831, and 1841, the following information is taken from those transcriptions and the facsimile:

• In 1826 Joseph Mills occupied 100 acres on Lots 20 & 21, south of Longwoods Road; the household consisted of Joseph only; none of the land was cultivated; the assessment was 20 [shillings].

(Joseph Mills is not listed in later assessment rolls.)

- In 1831 Barney Mills occupied Lot 21, first range south [of Longwoods Road]; the transcription gives no other information; the original perhaps includes more.
- In 1841 Barney Mills occupied Lot 21, First Range; the household consisted of three males over 16, three males under 16, one female over 16, and four females under 16 [for a total of 10].

(Barney Mills is not listed in the 1826 roll.)

This information places Barnabas in Mosa Township at least as early as 1831.

Apparently he was not there in 1826, at least not as a land owner or tenant farmer, which is consistent with his arriving with his family in Upper Canada ca. 1825 and first settling at Iona.

The composition of Barnabas' household in 1841 may be compared with that predicted by the information in the Family Record [prepared by David W. Mills]. According to the Record, in 1841 there would have been: three males over 16 (Barnabas, Nelson, Hamilton); three males under 16 (Barney, Hanse, Reuben; Abraham was born 27 Mar 1841, but since the assessment was for 1841, it would presumably have been made at or before the beginning of the year, and thus before Abraham was born); one female over 16 (Margaret Ann Nelson); four females under 16 (Elizabeth, Jane Ellen, Mary, Margaret Ann). The match is perfect.⁴

- The agricultural census shows that "Bernard" Mills occupied 190 acres on Lots 20 & 21 on the First Concession South (of Longwoods Road), of which (in 1860) 120 acres were "under wood," 15 and 1/2 acres in crops, and 54 and 1/2 acres in pasture. In the "Remarks" column are the terse comments: "Soil Good. River Flats. Want of culture."
- Barney Mills of River Thames, Upper Canada, and Peggy Ann his wife, for 30 pounds deeded to William Boss of Maccan land on the Black River. Signed by Barney Mills and Peggy Ann Mills. Dated 1 Oct. 1836, registered 21 June 1837.

Since Barney Mills of Mosa Twp. at this time occupied a farm which fronted on the Thames River, and his wife's given name was Margaret (for which "Peggy" is a common nickname), this must be the record of the sale of land belonging to Barney, son of Peter Mills. One can only conjecture about the reason he did not sell the land until at least 10 years after he left Nova Scotia.⁴

Obituary

Mr. Barney Mills died Saturday, April 24, of inflammation of the lungs. He had been sick less than two weeks, and was thought by his physician to be improving rapidly. He was able to walk about the room a half hour before his death.

Rev. J. W. Holt conducted the funeral services at the M. E. church, Tuesday, April 27th, at 10 o'clock a. m. The body was taken to Fort Gratiot Cemetery for interment. Mr. Mills was born in Nova Scotia in 1801 and removed to the vicinity of Chatham, Ontario about the year 1858 [sic]. The last few years of his life were spent in comparative quiet with his sons in this place. Mr. Mills was twice married and 12 children survive him. Among his sons are Reuben and Hamilton Mills, of this place, Nelson and Barney, of the well known firm of N. & B. Mills, lumberman, and James L. Mills, now residing in Washington territory. The daughters are Mrs. Edwards, of Port Huron, Miss Griffith, of Belle River, Mrs. Conger, of Toledo, O., and others residing in Ontario. 176

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp, Middlesex County, Ont. Married, age 30-59, non-proprietor of real property, farmer, 22 years in province. 3 males over 16; 3 males under 16; 1 female over 16; 4 females under 16.^{4,1110,1615}

- 1851 Mosa twp. Census: farmer, born Nova Scotia, Baptist, age 51, married. 4,1647,2377
- 1861 Mosa twp. Census: farmer, [b] N. S., Baptist, age 59. Enumerated as Bernard Mills. 4,1675

All six persons, including the Merryfield girl, are described in the appropriate column as "members of the family," indicating blood relationship.⁴

• 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 68, living with son, Hamilton. 1690

General: • The one native of Ireland would be Margaret Ann (Nelson) Mills. All the other members of the household are described as natives of Canada, whereas three were in fact born in Nova Scotia, which did not become part of Canada until 1867. However, the Canadian enumerators more often than not chose to regard persons born in Nova Scotia as natives of Canada, so this apparent discrepancy may be disregarded.⁴

Research: • Look for will/probate in St. Clair County.

14 Children...

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    i. Nelson (1823-1904)
    ii. Hamilton (1824-1883)
    iii. Elizabeth (1826-1901)
    iv. Barney (1828-1905)
    v. Jane Ellen (1830-1891)
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vi. Mary (1832-1913)
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250
       vii. Margaret Ann (1834-1901)
      viii. Hance (1835-1884)
251
252
        ix. Aaron (Died as Infant) (1837-1838)
253
        x. Reuben (1839-1921)
254
       xi. Abraham (Died as Infant) (1841-1842)
255
       xii. Sarah (1843-1924)
256
      xiii. James Lumley (1845-1924)
257
      xiv. Diana (1847-1905)
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Family Notes: • The family was living in a one and one half storey frame house (1851 Mosa Census).⁴

• 14 children.¹

195. David NELSON (*Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1808, County Down, Northern Ireland^{2038,6817}
Birth: 6 Jul 1805, Londonderry, Northern Ireland⁶⁸²²
Death: 30 Jun 1872, Mantua, Portage, Ohio^{6817,6822}

Father: **David NELSON**¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

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- Two sons, David and Hans Nelson, left Nova Scotia for the United States, but the mail system in those days being very imperfect, very little or nothing was ever heard of them. 1191
- You can find David and family starting in 1840, 1850, 1860 (under D. Nelson), 1870. They were in the general area of Mantua, Portage County; Auburn, Geauga County and Palmyra Ohio. I live in Beachwood, Ohio, suburb of Cleveland, not far from the old farms.

By the way, I never found the other brother. Keep looking!⁶⁸¹⁸

Census: • 1840 Census: Palmyra, Portage, Ohio. 2000120000000 / 0000100000000.8091

- 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 45, b Ireland. 6819
- 1860 Census: Auburn, Geauga, Ohio. Age 55.6820
- 1870 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 61, b Ireland. 6821

Research: • Parental connection inferred. 6817

Spouse: Esther GARRARD (abt 1817-1855)

Birth: abt 1817⁶⁸¹⁹ Death: 1855⁶⁸¹⁷

Marriage: 27 Dec 1835, Sharpsburg, Allegheny, Pennsylvania^{6817,6822}

• from England.⁶⁸¹⁷

Census: • 1840 Census: Palmyra, Portage, Ohio. 2000120000000/0000100000000.8091

• 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 33.⁶⁸¹⁹

7 Children...

- 258 i. John W. (~1837-)
- 259 ii. Francis J. Thomas (~1839-)
- 260 iii. David C. (~1841-1901)
- 261 iv. Wallace (~1844-)
- v. Mary Elizabeth (~1846-1896)
- 263 vi. George W. (~1848-1890)
- **264** vii. Emma Jane (1850-1932)

Spouse: **Jane** (abt 1826-) Birth: abt 1826, Ohio⁶⁸²⁰

Census: • 1860 Census: Auburn, Geauga, Ohio. Age 34, b OH. 6820

• 1870 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 42.⁶⁸²¹

1 Child...

265 i. Lydia (~1853-)

196. Hans Hamilton NELSON (Elizabeth

 $HAMILTON^7$, $Hans/Hants^6$, $William^5$, $John^4$, $James^3$, $Gawin^2$, $Hans^1$)

Birth: bef 1809, County Down, Northern

Ireland²⁰³⁸

Death: USA²⁰³⁸

Probate Memo: • Is this our Hans Hamilton Nelson?

Father: **David NELSON**¹ (bef 1768-1814)

Mother: **162.** Elizabeth HAMILTON (1774-22 Sep 1839)

Flags: Brick Wall



Hans Hamilton

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- The information on Hans Nelson came from the Cumberland Co. Estate Papers. "Estate of Hans Hamilton Nelson, filed by 29 April 1840 Hans Hamilton Nelson of Ragged Reef on the South Joggins in Co. Cumberland March 1839 to John Sinnet to going to Amherst for Doctor £ 0.10.0 L ,£ 0.15.0 Barronsfield, 27 April 1839." 3448

That is all that I found. It certainly sounds like the right family. I have no idea if he was married or not.²⁹⁹¹

• There was a hand-written pedigree chart in my family that says Hans Hamilton was the 8th of 9 children of Elizabeth Hamilton born before 1780 in Scotland, and David Nelson born about 1786 in county Fermagh or Fermanagh, Ireland. He and his brother David "went to the United States and nothing was ever heard of them." He was my 2nd great uncle. 6400

Research: • Is this our Hans Hamilton Nelson?⁷⁹⁷⁴

Family of Henry HAMILTON (165) & Mary WETHERALL

197. James John HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: 1788
Death: 1842

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

198. Rev. Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: 1795

Death: 16 Sep 1874

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: Mary WETHERALL⁶⁸⁹⁹

199. John HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: 1798 Death: 1847

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

200. Hans Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Birth: 1800 Death: 1885

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

Residence: of Dublin

• Source gives Birthdate of abt 1789, Armagh, Ireland. 6907

201. Robert HAMILTON (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: Mary WETHERALL⁶⁸⁹⁹

• Died unmarried. 6899

202. Mary HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

203. Isabella HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

204. Harriett HAMILTON 6899 ($Henry^7$, $James^6$, $James^5$, $Henry^4$, $James^3$, $John^2$, $Hans^1$)

Death: 1880

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL** 6899

205. Sophia HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: Mary WETHERALL⁶⁸⁹⁹

206. Charlotte HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (Henry⁷, James⁶, James⁵, Henry⁴, James³, John², Hans¹)

Father: **165.** Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁹ (16 Jul 1760-Nov 1844)

Mother: **Mary WETHERALL**⁶⁸⁹⁹

Family of Rt. Rev. Hugh HAMILTON DD (172) & Isabella WOOD

207. Alexander HAMILTON (Hugh⁷, Alexander⁶, Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: 27 Jan 1774⁶⁸⁹⁸

Death: Oct 1852

Father: 172. Rt. Rev. Hugh HAMILTON DD⁶⁸⁹⁸ (26 Mar 1729-1 Dec 1805)

Mother: **Isabella WOOD** (-1834)

Spouse: **Juliana TISDALL** (-1840)

Death: 1840⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: Michael TISDALL
Marriage: 29 Jan 1799⁶⁸⁹⁸

208. Rev. Hans HAMILTON DD⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Hugh⁷, Alexander⁶, Mary ROSS⁵, Ursula HAMILTON⁴, Hans³, William², Hans¹)

Birth: 22 May 1776

Death: 1839 Memo: dsp

Father: 172. Rt. Rev. Hugh HAMILTON DD⁶⁸⁹⁸ (26 Mar 1729-1 Dec 1805)

Mother: **Isabella WOOD** (-1834)

Spouse: Susanna OLIVER⁶⁸⁹⁸
Father: Silver OLIVER⁶⁸⁹⁸

209. Henry HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (*Hugh*⁷, *Alexander*⁶, *Mary ROSS*⁵, *Ursula HAMILTON*⁴, *Hans*³, *William*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 24 Nov 1780 Death: 7 Dec 1834

Father: 172. Rt. Rev. Hugh HAMILTON DD⁶⁸⁹⁸ (26 Mar 1729-1 Dec 1805)

Mother: Isabella WOOD (-1834)

• Extensive descendancy on p 547.⁶⁸⁹⁸

Spouse: Sarah SANDYS (-28 Nov 1871)

Death: 28 Nov 1871⁶⁸⁹⁸

Marriage: 1808⁶⁸⁹⁸

Descendants of Rev. Hans HAMILTON & Margaret DENHAM

Ninth Generation

Family of Sir Price TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin (175) & Helen Selina SHERIDAN

210. Sir Frederick HAMILTON-TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin⁶⁸⁸⁰ (*Price TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD*⁸, *Hans BLACKWOOD*⁷, *Dorcas STEVENSON*⁶, *James*⁵, *Anne HAMILTON*⁴, *James*³, *Archibald*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 21 Jun 1826, Florence, Italy^{6887,6912,6915}

Death: 12 Feb 1902, Clandeboye, County Down,

Northern Ireland^{6898,7591}

Burial: Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁷⁵⁹¹

Father: 175. Sir Price TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD Lord

Dufferin^{6880,6887} (6 May 1794-21 Jul 1841)

Mother: Helen Selina SHERIDAN^{6914,6880} (1807-13

Jun 1867)



Sir Frederick Lord Dufferin

- 1st Marquess of Dufferin and Ava. 6900
- Dufferin and Claneboye, Baron (Frederick Temple Blackwood), of Ballyleidy and Killyleagh, co. Down, in the peerage of Ireland; Baron Clandeboye, of Clandeboye, co. Down, in that of the United Kingdom; and a Baronet; b, in June, 1826; s. as 5th baron, on the death of his father, 21 July, 1841.
- Gov.-Gen. of the Dominion of Canada, 1872 to 1878. 6887
- The 5th Baron was the celebrated publicist, diplomatist and statesman, K.P., D.C., Lieutenant and Custos Rotolorum of co. Down; Vice-Admiral of the Province of Ulster; Chancellor of the Royal University of Ireland; Governor General of Canada, 1872-78; ambassador at St. Petersburg, 1879-81; Constantinople, 1881-84; Viceroy of India, 1884-88; Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the King of Italy, 1888-91, and to the French Republic, 1891-96; Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, 1891-95. He was created Marquess in 1888, and died in 1902. His wife was the eldest daughter of the late Archibald Rowan Hamilton, of Killyleagh Castle, co. Down, and sister of the present owner of that historic seat, Colonel Gawen William Rowan Hamilton.
- When Governor General of Canada, the Marquess of Dufferin and his wife Harriet Hamilton visited Chatham, when I don't know, but they went by our old house at 157 Park St. in a motorcade, and Grandmother Read said "Harriet was her cousin."

I firmly believe this to be true, as there is too many consistencies to our family history which are parallel to the Killyleagh Castle Hamiltons.²³⁴⁶

- a grandson was killed near Ava in Burma (from whence the title) during the Second World War.⁶⁹²⁶
- There is a life of Lord Dufferin by Harold Nicholson (Helen's Tower, 1937).⁶⁹²⁶

Spouse: 218. Harriot Georgina Rowan

HAMILTON^{6880,6887} (5 Feb 1843-25 Oct 1936)

Birth: 5 Feb 1843, Ireland?⁶⁹²⁸
Death: 25 Oct 1936^{6898,6912}

Burial: 28 Oct 1936, Clandeboye, County Down,

Northern Ireland⁶⁹²⁸

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-

2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Marriage: 23 Oct 1862, Killyleagh, County Down, Northern

Ireland 6887, 6888, 6898, 6909, 6912

Memo: Killyleagh Castle



Harriot Georgina Rowan

- After several generations of Dufferins, in 1862 the eldest son married Harriet Rowan-Hamilton, the eldest daughter of the Castle, and the two families were reunited. The husband was created 1st Marquess of Dufferin and Ava and the family seat is still Clandeboye which had come to the original Miss Hamilton of the gatehouse when the Hamilton estates were equally divided. 6900
- His wife was the eldest daughter of the late Archibald Rowan Hamilton, of Killyleagh Castle, co. Down, and sister of the present owner of that historic seat, Colonel Gawen William Rowan Hamilton. 6908,6887
- \bullet Lady Dufferin was very active during her husband's term as Governor General. She was the first spouse to accompany the Governor General on a tour, visiting southern Ontario in 1872. 6912
- Throughout the Dufferin's term of office, Lady Dufferin wrote weekly letters to her mother back in Ireland. 6912
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7 Children...

- i. **Archibald James** (1863-1900)
- ii. **Helen Hermione** (1865-1941)
- iii. **Terence John** (1866-1918)
- iv. Hermione Catherine Helen (1869-1960)
- v. **Ian Basil Gawin** (1870-1917)
- vi. Lady Victoria Alexandrina (1873-1968)
- vii. Frederick Temple (1875-1930)

Family of William-Stear BLACKWOOD (177) & Elizabeth HAMILTON

211. Hans-Stevenson BLACKWOOD (William-Stear⁸, Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 23 Nov 1833⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: 177. William-Stear BLACKWOOD (27 Apr 1802-)

Mother: **Elizabeth HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸¹

212. Robert-William BLACKWOOD (William-Stear⁸, Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 7 Jan 1840⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: 177. William-Stear BLACKWOOD (27 Apr 1802-)

Mother: **Elizabeth HAMILTON**⁶⁸⁸¹

213. Price-Frederic BLACKWOOD (William-Stear⁸, Hans⁷, Dorcas STEVENSON⁶, James⁵, Anne HAMILTON⁴, James³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 11 Oct 1841⁶⁸⁸¹

Father: 177. William-Stear BLACKWOOD (27 Apr 1802-)

Mother: Elizabeth HAMILTON⁶⁸⁸¹

Family of Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (184) & Catherine Anne CALDWELL

214. Col. Gawen William HAMILTON^{6908,2346} (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 7 Mar 1844^{6898,6900} Death: 22 Apr 1930^{6900,6898}

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Occupation: of Killyleagh Castle, County Down, and Shanagonagh Castle, County

Dublin

- There are people still alive in Killyleagh who remember the fourth Gawen 'The old colonel', an extraordinary character with a small head on the end of a long neck walking through the town, as he did each day, dressed in a top hat, stock and frock coat with a walking stick. I am told that he was one of the fairly few people who never did anything in the way of work in his life. My relations told me that he never understood the difference between capital and income, and that he happily went on spending, paying wages, while he sold the contents of the Castle to find the money. Certainly the Van Dyck of the first Countess of Clanbrassil went to the Frick Museum in New York City. A 15th century alms dish was given to my wife by a resident of Downpatrick. Her father had bought it at a sale held by Colonel Gawen at the Castle for £5. Perhaps one should not blame him as his son and heir (the real fourth Archie) was killed at Loos in 1915 without a son. 6900
- Gawen William Rowan Hamilton, J.P., D.L., of Killileagh Castle, Co. Down, High Sheriff 1875, Colonel Royal Irish Rifles, born 1844, died 1930, married 1876 Lina Mary Hawley, daughter of Sir George Howland Beaumont, Kt., of Colearton. 6909
- ...and sister [Harriet] of the present owner of that historical seat, Colonel Gawen William Rowan Hamilton.²³⁴⁶

Spouse: Lina Mary HOWLEY (-6 Jun 1934)

Death: 6 Jun 1934⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: Sir Harold Howland BEAUMONT⁶⁸⁹⁸

Marriage: 19 Oct 1876⁶⁸⁹⁸

2 Children...

i. **Archibald James** (1877-1915)

ii. Orfia Melita (1880-)

215. Lt.-Col. George Rowan HAMILTON (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 10 Apr 1845⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

• George Rowan, J.P., of Welford, Bray, Co. Wicklow, Lieut.-Col. Royal Irish Rifles, b. 1845, m. 1873 Helen, daughter of J. Mandesley of Kensington. 6909

Spouse: Helen MANDESLEY⁶⁹⁰⁹

Father: J. MANDESLEY

Marriage: 1873⁶⁹⁰⁹

1 Child...

i. Sir Sydney Orme Rowan

216. Lt. Sydney Augustus Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 1 Jul 1846 Death: 19 Apr 1868

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

• Died unmarried.⁶⁹⁰⁰

• Lieut., R. N.⁶⁹⁰⁹

217. Frederick Temple Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁸⁹⁸ (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 17 Jul 1850 Death: 9 Feb 1941

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Occupation: Comptroller to Lord Dufferin in Canada and India

• Frederick Temple Rowan, Lieut.-Col. Norfolk Regt., A.D.C. to Earl Spencer when Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, b. 1850, m. 1883 Blanche [1861-1879], daughter of Rear-Admiral Sir Thomas Fellowes Gordon, Kt., C.B., of Knockspock, Aberdeenshire. 6909

Spouse: Blanche Mary FELLOWES-GORDON (1861-24 Jan 1960)

Birth: 1861⁶⁹⁰⁹

Death: 24 Jan 1960⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: Rear Adm. William Abdy FELLOWES-GORDON

Marriage: 26 Apr 1883⁶⁸⁹⁸

1 Child...

i. Lt.-Col. Gawaine Basil Rowan (1884-)

218. Harriot Georgina Rowan HAMILTON^{6880,6887} (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Birth: 5 Feb 1843, Ireland?⁶⁹²⁸ Death: 25 Oct 1936^{6898,6912}

Burial: 28 Oct 1936, Clandeboye, County Down,

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Spouse: 210. Sir Frederick HAMILTON-TEMPLE-

BLACKWOOD Lord Dufferin⁶⁸⁸⁰ (21 Jun

1826-12 Feb 1902)

Birth: 21 Jun 1826, Florence, Italy^{6887,6912,6915}

Death: 12 Feb 1902, Clandeboye, County Down,

Northern Ireland^{6898,7591}

Burial: Bangor, County Down, Northern Ireland⁷⁵⁹¹

Father: 175. Sir Price TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD Lord

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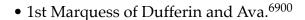
Mother: Helen Selina SHERIDAN^{6914,6880} (1807-13

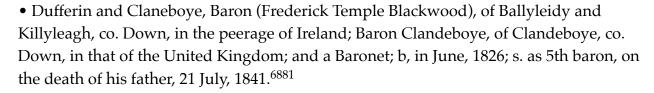
Jun 1867)

Marriage: 23 Oct 1862, Killyleagh, County Down,

Northern Ireland 6887,6888,6898,6909,6912

Memo: Killyleagh Castle





- Gov.-Gen. of the Dominion of Canada, 1872 to 1878. 6887
- The 5th Baron was the celebrated publicist, diplomatist and statesman, K.P., D.C., Lieutenant and Custos Rotolorum of co. Down; Vice-Admiral of the Province of Ulster; Chancellor of the Royal University of Ireland; Governor General of Canada, 1872-78; ambassador at St. Petersburg, 1879-81; Constantinople, 1881-84; Viceroy of India, 1884-88; Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the King of Italy, 1888-91, and to the French Republic, 1891-96; Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, 1891-95. He was created Marquess in 1888, and died in 1902. His wife was the eldest daughter of the late Archibald Rowan Hamilton, of Killyleagh Castle, co. Down, and sister of the present owner of that historic seat, Colonel Gawen William Rowan Hamilton.
- When Governor General of Canada, the Marquess of Dufferin and his wife Harriet Hamilton visited Chatham, when I don't know, but they went by our old house at 157 Park St. in a motorcade, and Grandmother Read said "Harriet was her cousin."

I firmly believe this to be true, as there is too many consistencies to our family history which are parallel to the Killyleagh Castle Hamiltons.²³⁴⁶



Sir Frederick Lord Dufferin

- a grandson was killed near Ava in Burma (from whence the title) during the Second World War.⁶⁹²⁶
- There is a life of Lord Dufferin by Harold Nicholson (Helen's Tower, 1937).⁶⁹²⁶

7 Children...

- i. **Archibald James** (1863-1900)
- ii. **Helen Hermione** (1865-1941)
- iii. **Terence John** (1866-1918)
- iv. Hermione Catherine Helen (1869-1960)
- v. **Ian Basil Gawin** (1870-1917)
- vi. Lady Victoria Alexandrina (1873-1968)
- vii. Frederick Temple (1875-1930)

219. Helen Gwendoline Rowan HAMILTON (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 4 Sep 1886⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

• Grandmother of present Earl of Clanwilliam. 6900

Spouse: Russell Maule STEPHENSON⁶⁹⁰⁹

Marriage: 1876⁶⁹⁰⁹

220. Mary Catherine Rowan HAMILTON⁶⁹⁰⁰ (Archibald Rowan⁸, Gawen William Rowan⁷, Archibald Rowan⁶, Gawen⁵, Archibald⁴, Gawen³, Archibald², Hans¹)

Death: 23 Mar 1951⁶⁸⁹⁸

Father: **184.** Archibald Rowan HAMILTON (9 Aug 1818-2 May 1860)

Mother: Catherine Anne CALDWELL⁶⁸⁹⁸

Spouse: Right Hon. Sir Arthur NICHOLSON⁶⁹⁰⁹

Marriage: 1881⁶⁹⁰⁹

Family of Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (191) & James LUMLEY

221. Hance H. LUMLEY (*Eleanor Hamilton NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans*/*Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 21 Apr 1821^{103,978}

Death: 6 Feb 1875^{103,981,3055}

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

Residence: of Dunwich³⁰⁵⁵

Spouse: Sarah JACKSON⁹⁷⁸ (-bef 6 Feb 1875)

Death: bef 6 Feb 1875³⁰⁵⁵ Marriage: 7 Oct 1846^{103,981}

4 Children...

- i. **Joseph** (1845-)
- ii. **Ephraim** (1847-)
- iii. **William** (1850-)
- iv. **Esther Ann** (1857-)

222. Elizabeth H. LUMLEY⁹⁷⁸ (Eleanor Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 19 Jul 1822¹⁰³ Death: 4 Jan 1847¹⁰³

Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁸²

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

223. James LUMLEY (Eleanor Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 11 Jul 1824, Nova Scotia, Canada^{103,2710}

Death: 23 Nov 1881, Dunwich Twp, Elgin, Ontario, Canada¹⁰³ Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁷⁷

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

Nickname: J. O.¹⁹⁹⁴

Census: • 1871 Census: Dunwich, Elgin West, Ontario. Age 54, b N. S.²⁷¹⁰

Spouse: **Louisa CLAY**⁹⁷⁸ (abt 1827-5 Sep 1897)

Birth: abt 1827⁹⁷⁷

Memo: died in her 70th year

Death: 5 Sep 1897, Dunwich Twp, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁷⁷

Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁷⁷

Marriage: 31 Dec 1844^{103,978}

8 Children...

- i. George
- ii. David
- iii. James Wesley
- iv. Charles
- v. **Alonzo** (1853-1859)
- vi. Arthur
- vii. Agnes
- viii. Louisa

Spouse: McCALLUM⁹⁷⁸

224. Enoch LUMLEY (Eleanor Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 30 Jul 1826^{103,980}

Death: 12 Sep 1859, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁸³

Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁸³

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

Spouse: Margaret L. CRAWFORD (11 Feb 1827-6 Jun 1852)

Birth: 11 Feb 1827⁹⁸⁰

Death: 6 Jun 1852, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁸²

Memo: age 25 yr 3 m 14 d at death

Burial: Lumley Cemetery, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada⁹⁸²

Father: Samuel CRAWFORD⁹⁸³
Mother: Sophronia SMITH⁹⁸³

Marriage: 30 Dec 1846^{103,978}

3 Children...

- i. **Charles B.** (1848-1875)
- ii. James Ernest Walter (1850-1921)
- iii. Margaret (Died as Infant) (1852-1852)

Spouse: **Mary Jane MILLS**⁹⁸⁰ (1812-aft 1850)

Birth: 1812 Death: aft 1850

Marriage: 5 Nov 1855^{103,980,5373}

2 Children...

- i. Enoch Jr. (1858-)
- ii. **Elizabeth** (1858-)

225. Ephraim LUMLEY (*Eleanor Hamilton NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans*/*Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 16 Sep 1828, Ontario, Canada 103,2710

Death: aft 19 Sep 1879

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

Census: • 1871 Census: Dunwich, Elgin West, Ontario. Age 42, b Ontario. 2710

• 1881 Canada Census: Dunwich, Elgin West, Ontario. Age 50, b Ontario. Farmer. Free Will Baptist. Listed as Ephariam. 4511

Spouse: Lydia JOHNSTON⁹⁷⁸ (abt 1832-) Birth: abt 1832, Ontario, Canada⁴⁵¹¹

Marriage: 21 Jan 1851^{103,978}

Census: • 1881 Canada Census: Dunwich, Elgin West, Ontario. Age 49, b Ontario. Free Will Baptist. 4511

- 4 Children...
 - i. Elizabeth (Died as Child) (1851-1860)
 - ii. Harvey W. (1854-)
 - iii. **Louisa** (1862-)
 - iv. **Dougald** (1864-1919)

226. Eleanor H. LUMLEY¹⁰³ (Eleanor Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 5 Jul 1830 Death: 29 Sep 1858

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

Spouse: **George JOHNSTON**⁹⁷⁸ (24 Jun 1828-10 Apr 1891)

Birth: 24 Jun 1828¹⁰³ Death: 10 Apr 1891¹⁰³ Marriage: 22 Jun 1853^{103,978}

3 Children...

i. **John** (1854-1926)

ii. Eleanor H. Elizabeth (Died as Child) (1855-1856)

iii. Lydia Elizabeth (Died as Infant) (1858-1858)

227. Joseph LUMLEY¹⁰³ (*Eleanor Hamilton NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 19 Jul 1832 Death: 27 Aug 1847

Father: **James LUMLEY** (22 Mar 1795-21 Sep 1851)

Mother: **191.** Eleanor Hamilton NELSON (9 Jan 1793-aft 19 Sep 1879)

Family of Elizabeth NELSON (192) & Joseph HOEG

228. Nathan HOEG (Elizabeth NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 22 Feb 1822, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada¹¹⁸⁸
Death: 5 Jun 1902, Southampton, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸⁴

Father: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885) Mother: **192. Elizabeth NELSON** (abt 1795-abt 1885)

Spouse: Charlotte HARRISON (1827-1 May 1889)

Birth: 1827⁸⁴

Death: 1 May 1889, Southampton, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸⁴

Father: **James HARRISON**^{84,837} (5 Jun 1805-28 Jun 1860)

Mother: Mary BRADLEY (abt 1802-10 Nov 1864)

1 Child...

i. **Joseph** (1865-1927)

229. Hance Hamilton HOEG⁸³⁶⁹ (*Elizabeth NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 21 Nov 1823, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada¹¹⁸⁸

Father: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885)

Mother: **192.** Elizabeth NELSON (abt 1795-abt 1885)

230. Phoebe HOEG (*Elizabeth NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 1825, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸³⁶⁹

Death: bef 1901⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885) Mother: **192. Elizabeth NELSON** (abt 1795-abt 1885)

231. Abigail HOEG (Elizabeth NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 26 Mar 1826, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1188,3578}

Death: 22 May 1916, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885) Mother: **192. Elizabeth NELSON** (abt 1795-abt 1885)

Spouse: **Joseph HOLMES** (1822-29 Dec 1865)

Birth: 1822, England⁸³⁶⁹

Death: 29 Dec 1865, Apple River, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada⁸³⁶⁹

1 Child...

i. Hance Hamilton Nelson (1850-)

Spouse: **John GILBERT** (1812-1886)

Birth: 1812, County Wicklow, Ireland^{3578,8369}

Death: 1886, New Canaan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia⁸³⁶⁹

Marriage: 6 May 1867, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{3578,8369}

1 Child...

i. Clarence Bishop (1870-)

232. Jeptha HOEG (Elizabeth NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 25 Apr 1828, Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada¹¹⁸⁸

Death: aft 1881⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885) Mother: **192. Elizabeth NELSON** (abt 1795-abt 1885)

• He was married and widowed by 1881.8369

233. Elisabeth J. HOEG (Elizabeth NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 19 Jan 1832⁸³⁶⁹

Father: **Joseph HOEG**⁸³⁷¹ (25 May 1802-abt Jul 1885) Mother: **192. Elizabeth NELSON** (abt 1795-abt 1885)

Family of Mary Hamilton NELSON (193) & Robert Collin READ

234. William C. READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 16 Sep 1821, Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1284,2303}

Removal: 1826, Kent County, Ontario, Canada²³⁴⁶

Death: 30 May 1883, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada 1284,2303,2346

Memo: Little Mill Farm, River Thames

Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

Residence: River Road, Harwich²³⁴⁶

Spouse: Hannah HORTON^{1284,2346}

Marriage: 1856, Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1193,1284,2346}

2 Children...

i. Mary Emily

ii. Elizabeth Selina

235. Mary READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 14 Nov 1822, Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{1284,2303} Death: 1909, Florence, Euphemia Twp., Lambton, Ontario, Canada^{1284,6450}

Burial: Mawlam Cemetery, Lambton, Ontario, Canada⁶⁴⁵⁰ Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

Spouse: **Henry Stainthorpe MAWLAM**¹¹⁹³ (abt 1813-1889)

Birth: abt 1813⁶⁴⁵⁰

Death: 1889⁶⁴⁵⁰

Burial: Mawlam Cemetery, Lambton, Ontario, Canada⁶⁴⁵⁰

Marriage: 1855, Florence, Euphemia Twp., Lambton, Ontario, Canada^{1193,1284}

2 Children...

- i. Thomas (Died as Child)
- ii. Henry Stainthorpe Jr. (1859-1898)

236. Stephen READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 23 Jun 1824, Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Canada^{427,1124}

Settlement: 1846, Kent County, Ontario, Canada²³⁴⁶

Death: 26 Dec 1901, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{427,1124,1284}

Memo: Little Mill Farm
Death: 25 Dec 1901²³⁴⁶

Burial: Bethel Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario¹¹²⁴
Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

Spouse: Anna Maria ARNOLD (1827-1918)

Birth: 1827⁴²⁵
Death: 1918⁴²⁵

Burial: Bethel Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario¹¹²⁴
Father: Lewis L. ARNOLD¹¹¹⁹ (abt Jul 1802-8 Feb 1887)
Mother: Mary SHERMAN¹¹¹⁹ (29 Sep 1801-29 Apr 1830)
Marriage: 7 Feb 1855, Ontario, Canada^{427,1119,1124,1284,2300}

2 Children...

- i. Mary Jane (1856-1943)
- ii. Bertha Celestia Ellena (1870-1960)

237. Frances READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 14 Oct 1826, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada¹²⁸⁴

Death: 5 Feb 1918, Chatham, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{1284,3190,7592}
Burial: 8 Feb 1918, Bethel Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario²³⁰³

Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

• Frances Read Blackburn is the individual whose oral history of the Nelson family was written down in 1901.

Source: Maryanne Barker, letter to DWM dated 26 Sep 1994.

- In Ernest Coates' "Read Family History" published in "the Citizen" in 1981, he shows among his references for the family of Robert Collins Read and his wife Mary Hamilton (Nelson) Read: "Reference was from a printed manuscript left by their daughter Frances (Read) Grieves (1826-1918), and the above data was sent to me in long-hand by her great-grandson Robert S. Green of Wallaceburg Ont." 2351
- "Great Grandmother." Marginal note. 3190

Spouse: George GRIEVES^{1119,1284}

Marriage: 1850^{1193,3536}

1 Child...

i. **Georgina** (1850-1928)

Spouse: **Joseph BLACKBURN**¹¹⁹³

Residence: of Louisville, Kent County²³⁴⁶

238. Thomas READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 10 May 1828, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada^{1284,2303}

Death: 27 Feb 1903^{2303,2346}

Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

• Mr. Thomas Read was one of the successful emigrants to California in 1858. He made the trip by way of New York and the Isthmus, and after five years, returned with ample means.²³⁴⁶

Spouse: Elizabeth CAMPBELL¹²⁸⁴ (Jan 1844-18 Apr 1897)

Birth: Jan 1844, Howard Township, Ontario²³⁴⁶

Death: 18 Apr 1897, Northwood, Peterborough, Ontario, Canada²³⁴⁶

Father: **James CAMPBELL**

Mother: Mary²³⁴⁶

Marriage: 1870, Northwood, Peterborough, Ontario, Canada^{1193,1284}

1 Child...

i. **Grace** (1879-)

Family Notes: • Six children. 1193,1284,2346

239. Jane READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 11 Feb 1830, Iona, Elgin, Ontario, Canada¹²⁸⁴

Death: 27 Feb 1911, Wallaceburg, Kent, Ontario, Canada²³⁴⁶ Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

Spouse: **George STEER**¹²⁸⁴
Residence: of Wallaceburg²³⁴⁶

Family Notes: • Eight children. 1284,2346

240. Eleanor READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 6 May 1832, Florence, Euphemia Twp., Lambton, Ontario, Canada^{1284,2303}

Death: 4 Jul 1894, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{1284,2303}

Memo: at Little Mill Farm

Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

• Unmarried. 1284

Census: • 1881 Canada Census: Harwich, Kent, Ontario. Age 47, b Ontario. F Baptist. 3818

241. Elizabeth READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 20 May 1836, Florence, Euphemia Twp., Lambton, Ontario, Canada^{1284,2303}

Death: 17 Aug 1913, Spokane, Spokane, Washington¹²⁸⁴ Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

Spouse: Stephen JULIAN¹²⁸⁴

Residence: of Leamington, Ontario²³⁴⁶

Marriage: abt 1868^{1284,2346}

Family Notes: • Four children. 1284,2346

242. John Collin READ (Mary Hamilton NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 14 Jul 1843, Florence, Euphemia Twp., Lambton,

Ontario, Canada^{1284,2303}

Death: 17 Jan 1926, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{2303,7593}

Burial: 19 Jan 1926, Bethel Cemetery, Harwich, Kent,

Ontario²³⁰³

Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: 193. Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb

1890)



John Collin

• Parents are Robert Read and Mary Nelson. 7593

Spouse: **Mary Ann GOODALL**¹²⁸⁴ (27 Sep 1844-8 Aug 1914)

Birth: 27 Sep 1844²³⁴⁰
Death: 8 Aug 1914²³⁴⁰
Residence: of Harwich²³⁴⁶

Marriage: 16 Feb 1870^{1284,2340}

8 Children...

i. Jessie

ii. **Charlotte** (->1954)

iii. **John Kirk** (1874-1936)

iv. Robert Bruce

v. Flora (Died young)

vi. Stephen

vii. Harriet

viii. Samuel (Died as Infant)

243. Dolly Ann READ¹¹⁹³ (*Mary Hamilton NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 14 Jun 1846, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{1284,2303}

Death: 12 Apr 1857^{1284,2346}

Memo: drowned

Father: Robert Collin READ (27 Jul 1796-11 May 1867)

Mother: **193.** Mary Hamilton NELSON (25 Sep 1798-26 Feb 1890)

Family of Margaret Ann NELSON (194) & Barnabas MILLS

244. Nelson MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 15 Jan 1823, Halifax, Halifax, Nova Scotia,

Canada^{3,175,179,1102,1147}

Memo: age 63 in 1884; b NS

Removal: abt 1846, Marine City, St. Clair, Michigan^{3,180}

Settlement: 1850, St. Clair County, Michigan¹¹⁰²

Naturalization: 2 May 1860, St. Clair County, Michigan³⁴¹⁷

Memo: Liber No 1, page 104 Will: 17 Apr 1903^{1128,1135} Memo: Codicil, 7 Mar 1904

Death: 16 Mar 1904, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan^{3,175,179,1135}

Burial: 18 Mar 1904, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair,

Michigan^{3,340,341,7078}

Probate: 12 Apr 1904, St. Clair County, Michigan¹¹³⁵

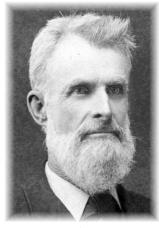
Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194. Margaret Ann NELSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Occupation: Lumber; ships; See Notes.

Residence: Mosa Township, Ontario; Marysville, Michigan

- Born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, the first born in a family of 14 children. In 1844 he left his father's farm near Wardsville [Ontario] and migrated to Newport, now Marine City, Mich. where he went to work as a ship carpenter in the same ship yard where in later years he had several ships built and repaired. About 1850 he moved 14 miles north to Vicksburg, the name being changed to Marysville, to honor his wife, to go into the lumber business. He resided in Marysville until his death.¹
- March 1845: School in Mosa; from penmanship book: "went to school on 12th of March, 1845, Aldborough." ¹¹¹⁸
- 10 Oct 1845: Living in Mosa Township.

"Nelson Mills, his Book. A living in the Township of Mosa, London District, October the $10 \mathrm{th}$, 1845." 180



Nelson

- ...who came from Canada in 1844, and had been a ship-carpenter in Marine City until he joined Miron Williams in lumbering on the Turnpike about 1850.⁵⁴⁴
- Married 1863. All children born in Marysville, Michigan. 1
- "Nelson Mills settled in Mosa with his father in 1826......"

The 1826 date of settlement in Mosa given in this source corresponds to that indicated in the query in Mills Ancestry [issue #10 26 Sept. 1988], which gives it as c. 1826. The wording "settled...with his father" seems a bit incongruous, since Nelson would have been only 3 years old in 1826. The fact that the author, writing about 60 years after Nelson moved from Mosa to Michigan, chose to describe the settlement in terms of Nelson rather than Barnabas, suggests that he may have had some kind of contact with Nelson over the years. (The author, Hugh McColl, who was b. 1837 in Ekfrid Twp., published the Strathroy Age from 1868 to 1876, and was postmaster at Strathroy from 1875 until his death in 1910.)

Source: Commentary by Robert A. Jones,⁵, in which this quotation is taken from Hugh McColl, Some Sketches of the Early Pioneers of the County of Middlesex (Toronto, 1902; facsimile edition Ottawa, Ont., Canadian Heritage Publications, 1979), page 23.

- At Marysville, or Vicksburg, as it was then generally called, E. P. Vickery, the first syllable of whose name had been used in giving the name to the settlement, had built a steam saw mill about 1843 which he later enlarged until it had a capacity of one million feet. A short distance below, Williams and Mills built, in 1855, a steam mill of two million feet capacity, and this together with the Vickery mill, were acquired by Williams and Mills, and later by Nelson and Barney Mills, who also purchased in 1878 the mill above their upper mill, which had been built in 1871 by William Sanborn and brother (James). This mill was a fine modern mill with a capacity of seven million feet, and was erected to saw timber brought from north of Saginaw bay.²⁹
- In 1845, William Sanborn and his brother, John P. Sanborn, came to the Port Huron area to work with their uncle James W. Sanborn. In Michigan, William Sanborn learned the art of timber scouting and surveying work under his uncle in the public land office. After the Civil War, William operated a sawmill on the St. Clair River in Marysville, Michigan, where he sawed the pine timber he cut from his properties in Iosco, Alcona and Oscoda Counties. He sold the property to Nelson and Barney Mills in 1871. This mill was located on the old Morton Salt property north of Bunce Road in Marysville.
- Two brothers, J. L. and J. W. Kelsey, built a mill in 1844 in the forest three miles west of Vicksburg on the Fort Gratiot Turnpike. Their lumber was hauled by teams to their dock up the St. Clair river which was known as Kelsey's dock or wharf.

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Miron Williams and Nelson Mills organized a partnership March 21, 1850 and bought the mill and adjoining land of Kelseys. They operated the mill under the name of Williams and Mills, later to became a well known institution along the river and at Vicksburg, to which point the Kelsey mill was moved in 1858, after the timber available to the turnpike mill was exhausted.

Miron Williams had been a mill operator for Ward & Gallagher at Belle River Mills. Nelson Mills had been since 1844 a ship-carpenter in Ward's Marine City Shipyard. Williams married the oldest Gallagher girl, Mary, in 1838 and they came in 1854 with their family of two boys and seven girls to Vicksburg, this being quite a substantial increase in the population of that time. The Williams farm home became the scene of much entertainment during the 30 years following. A school was maintained by Williams for his own children and those of the neighborhood, being the first school house in Vicksburg. 1129

• [excerpts] Williams & Mills bought the turnpike saw-mill Mar. 21, 1850 from Joel w. & Jos. L. Kelsey, who had bought in 1844 from P. Laturno and Jos Beaushaw. Other land was included in the deed from Kelseys. Price was \$3500, with mortgage back for \$2500. See Vol U- pages 703-704.

Miron Williams and Nelson Mills formed a co-partnership dated May 29, 1850, and operated this mill, store, boarding house on the turnpike. The location was in NW 1/4 Sec. 1, St. Clair township.

Some date between 1850 and 1854, Nathan Reeve of Detroit (or Newburgh, N. y.) was taken into partnership, becoming the firm named Reeve, Williams & Mills.

Mar. 25, 1862. Nelson Mills and Barney Mills partnership agreement.

Mar. 25, 1862. Agreement of Miron Williams to sell to Nelson & Barney Mills. 7069

- Before the end of pastor Tuttle's first successful year here, the Methodists were planning for a building. They had organized a Board of five Trustees--Peter Brakeman, Nelson Mills, Ainsley Griffith, William Smith, and David Carlisle. These trustees purchased a strip of land 4 rods wide and 39 rods deep from Obadiah Gardner for the sum of \$100.¹¹⁴¹
- The Methodist Episcopal Church of Vicksburg was organized November 9, 1859, with Peter F. Brakman, Nelson Mills, Ainsley M. Griffith, D. Carlisle and William Smith Trustees, and William Tuttle, pastor.²⁹
- At the foot of River Road and what is now Huron Ave. stood the general store operated by Nelson and Barney Mills. They carried everything a lumberjack needed to get along in life. All kinds of merchandise and groceries. The men were paid \$1.50 per

day and felt an obligation to trade with Mr. Mills. They were paid on Saturday at the office in rear of store on way home from work. Later in day on payday most of them went back to store and purchased their needs for next week which resulted in Mr. Mills getting the money back that he had paid the men earlier in the day. The Mills family had a complete lumber empire.

The Mills family had a complete lumber empire -- a lumber camp but can't recall where it was located but my Father called it the Nelson Mills camp in his songs. They owned a fleet of boats, four sawmills and several farms and the store also leased and operated Stag Island, and inaugurated a ferry service between Marysville and the island. Also would like to add that Nelson Mills was in his office a lot but he could put on boots and grab a pole and ride the logs in the river as good as any of the men. 1156

- In the fall, when the first snow came, the Mills family's horses and oxen were shipped from Stag Island in the St. Clair River to Ogemaw County to work in the lumber camps. Around 1870 the Mills family owned hundreds of acres of Ogemaw County. They started a lumbering project which was carried for twenty years. After the trees were cut and trimmed into sizable logs, they were skidded into the Rifle River, during the spring freshets, and floated downstream. Upon reaching Lake Huron, they were rafted and pulled by tug boats to the St. Clair River, near Port Huron. Steam boats and tow barges transported them to Cleveland, Ohio, through Lake Erie. 3402
- Supervisor of St. Clair Township, 1860-61.²⁹
- Justice of the Peace, 1856 & 1859.²⁹
- Marysville Postmaster: 1864-1892. 1129
- The Mills Transportation Company was formed February 4, 1878, with a capital stock of \$250,000, divided into 10,000 shares of \$25 each. Nelson Mills, of Marysville, held 2,812; Barney Mills, 938; August C. Gray, 1,250; Henry McMorran, Port Huron, 2,500; and Charles Neal, Bay City, 2,500 shares.²⁹
- Nelson Mills, Marysville, of the firm of N & B Mills, Section 32, manufacturers of pine and other lumber, is a native of Nova Scotia, and was born January 15, 1823. When three years of age his parents moved to Upper Canada in the township of Mosa; there he lived until manhood. Then he came to Michigan and located in the County at Newport (now Marine City) and became a citizen. He worked at ship-building. Then he and Myron Williams bought a tract of timber and sawmill on the Fort Gratiot turnpike in 1850, and engaged in lumbering. Their mill burned the next winter, and they rebuilt the mill and had it running in six weeks. They ran the business there twelve years. In 1853, they formed a partnership with N. Reeves, of Detroit, and bought a tract of pine land in

Sanilac County, and the Brooks and St. Clair mill at Algonac. N. Mills took charge of the Williams and Mills' property, and M. Williams that of the Reeves, Williams and Mills'. In 1854, they bought the Vickery mill at Vicksburg and transferred their business to that place and built another mill. Soon after this the Vickery mill burned. The business was carried on in this way for three years, when Reeves failed; Williams and Mills took his interest and paid the debts. They carried on the business until 1862. Then N. Mills bought the Williams' interest, and took B. Mills in as partner and moved the mill from the turnpike to where the Vickery mill had been burned. They bought a tract of pine in Ogemaw County. They run the logs down the Rifle River, where they raft them and bring them to Vicksburg (now Marysville), where they operate two mills and a shingle and planing mill. They cut from eight to ten million feet of lumber yearly, and have the largest retail trade on the river. Mr. Mills is the largest stockholder in the Mills Transportation Company, which consists of the large steam barge Nelson Mills and four tow barges. They have also two other steam barges which are employed in freighting lumber to Cleveland, where [there is] the lumber yard for the sale of their lumber. They also carry on mercantile business. The interests of this firm comprise the business interests of Marysville. Mr. Mills has been actively identified with the interests of the town and county, and has held the office of Supervisor of the town of St. Clair, Justice of the Peace and School Inspector; and has held the office of Postmaster most of the time since he came here. He owns a large farm about two miles from Marysville. In 1863, Mr. Mills was united in marriage to Miss Mary Williams, a native of this county, and daughter of Myron Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Mills have six children, three sons and three daughters - John, Myron, Maggie, Hannah, Emeline and David.²⁹

- For many years the lumber and shipbuilding enterprises of Nelson and Barney Mills comprised the only industry in the village [Marysville, MI]. 5165
- My [Myron Mills] father, N. Mills, was one of the leaders of industry in this section from 1876 to 1904, taking an active part in most of the enterprises that developed St. Clair County, and was specially interested in lake freight transportation. After his death in 1904, I became one of the executors of his estate, and had charge of it until disposed of in 1912. 1136
- NELSON MILLS PASSES BEYOND
 Active Life Closed
 Interested In Many Industrial Corporations and Large Vessel Owner
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Nelson Mills, one of the oldest and best known residents of St. Clair county, died at his home in Marysville on Wednesday afternoon. He was taken sick on Sept. 9 last and has been confined to his room since Christmas day. Different specialists have been called and all have agreed that the stomach trouble was of such a serious nature that he could not recover and that the end would be only a matter of a few months. Notwithstanding his illness he has looked after many of the details of his business up to within a few days, and remained conscious up to the time of his death. Mr. Mills was considered the wealthiest man in St. Clair county, his property holdings being estimated at over \$1,000,000.

Nelson Mills was born January 15, 1823, in Nova Scotia, of English parentage. When three years of age his family moved to Wardsville, near Chatham, Ont., where his early boyhood was passed on a farm until he was twenty-one years old, except one winter which was spent getting out ship timber for the Quebec trade. In 1844 he came to Marine City, then known as Newport, and engaged in shipbuilding, at which occupation he had the name of doing more work in one day and doing it better than any other three men in the county. It was there that he first became known for that strength, endurance, and passion for labor that has marked his whole life, and this great capacity for work soon gained him more than local fame. He detested shams and believed that work was the mother of success, and that luck was only a very distant relative.

Between 1844 and 1850 he made frequent trips into the pine forests of Michigan as a land looker for various people, and in 1850 engaged in lumbering on his own account in partnership with Myron Williams and Nathan Reeves, doing what was then a large business in lumber and rafting of logs on Black river, their capacity being 10,000,000 feet of lumber annually. In a few years Reeves went out of the business and Williams & Mills erected their first saw mill on the Fort Gratiot turnpike, three miles from the St. Clair River, for which their supply of logs was obtained from a 3,000 acre tract of thickly timbered land surrounding that point, the logs being brought to the mill on a wooden railroad.

In 1862 Mr. Mills purchased his partner's interest in the business, and with his brother, Barney, formed the partnership of N. & B. Mills, which has until the present time continued with-out interruption, with headquarters at Marysville. This firm later purchased 15,000 acres of pine land in Ogemaw and Arenac counties, which became their resource for a large timber supply for fifty years.

In 1862 Mr. Mills, in connection with L. M. Skidmore, opened a wholesale lumber yard at Toledo, Ohio, which continued for six years.

Nelson Mills has been interested in vessels all his life, and has owned and operated a large fleet of boats in the lumber, grain, and ore trades, and has always been closely connected with the development of shipbuilding, from the small vessels of the '60's to the present day. In 1863 his first venture was the building of the schooner Antelope, and placing her in the Chicago trade, where she not only cleared her first cost during the first season, but was sold at the end of the first year for more than her entire cost. This phenomenal success induced him to dip deeper into this branch of business, and for many years the Mills Transportation Co., the Pawnee Boat Co., and other lines have been important factors in the carrying trade of the Great Lakes. This firm in 1864 established a wholesale and retail lumber yard at Cleveland, Ohio, under the name of Mills, Jewett & Co., which some years later was changed to N. Mills & Co., and then to the Mills, Carleton Co. In 1897 the present corporation was formed by the consolidation of the Mills, Gray, Carleton Co., became one of the largest wholesale lumber companies doing business on Lake Erie, handling over 100,000,000 feet annually.

In 1889 Mr. Mills, together with his son, John, in connection with Isaac Bearinger of Saginaw, and Hiram W. Sibley, of Rochester, N. Y., purchased 10,000 acre tract of land in West Virginia, timbered with black walnut and yellow poplar, and commenced manufacturing this valuable timber on an extensive scale.

In 1900 John E. Mills, eldest son of Nelson Mills, secured the right of way and began the construction of an electric suburban road between Lansing, St. Johns, and St. Louis. Upon his death in August, 1903, the work was taken up and carried on by his father. During the summer of 1903, Mr. Mills with his son, Myron, his son-in-law J. R. Elliott, and Geo. G. Moore, of Port Huron, bought the Lansing street railway, which has been reconstructed, and both roads are being rapidly pushed to completion.

The many business interests in which Mr. Mills was personally concerned are:

President of the Mills, Gray, Carleton Lumber Co., Cleveland, Ohio

President of the Lansing street railway

President of the St. Louis & St. Johns Railway Co.

President of the Mills Transportation Co.

President of the Pawnee Boat Co.

President of the Mills, Elliott Manufacturing Co.

President of the Nelson Mills company

President of the Port Huron & Sarnia Ferry Co.

President of the Port Huron Navigation Co.

Director of the Panther Lumber Co., West Virginia

Director of the Port Huron Savings Bank

Director of the Port Huron Engine & Thresher Co.



Director of the Deepspring Mineral Bath Co.

Director of the Northern Life Assurance Co., of Canada

Mr. Mills was a large property holder in Port Huron, Detroit, Toledo, and Cleveland. He was the owner of Stag Island, a popular summer resort in St. Clair river, owned a planing mill and branch lumber yard in St. Clair, and large farms in St. Clair county. He was also an active stock-holder in numerous industries: Malleable Iron Works, Port Huron Saw Works, and the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Co., of Toronto.

Mr. Mills always took a marked interest in politics, his first vote having been for Fremont in 1850, and while a devout adherent to the principles of the Republican Party, and often solicited to accept office, his business interests compelled refusal, except in the early days of the county, when he was supervisor and justice of the peace.

In 1850 he became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and for more than fifty years held the office of steward of the church. No matter what the business cares of the week had been, he was never found absent from his pew twice on Sunday, and during the early part of his life took an active part in Sunday school work. In his business, religious and every day life, he has shown the same strong characteristics. Determined in carrying out with success whatever he undertook, and always thoroughly just in his dealings with men in whatever station in life. He rarely discharged an employee, and during dull seasons in business his great anxiety was to be able to keep those depending on him employed.

Mr. Mills, was married in 1862 [sic] to Miss Mary Williams, daughter of his former partner, and the union was blessed by three sons and four daughters: John E., Myron W., Margaret M., Hanna E., Emeline W., David W., and Hally B. Mrs. Mills died in 1891. Her death was followed by that of Hally in 1900, and John in 1903. 3,1825

• NELSON MILLS PASSES AWAY.

Pioneer Lumberman and Capitalist of Michigan Dead

Port Huron Mich., March 17–Nelson Mills, a pioneer lumberman and capitalist, died at his home in Maryville [sic] during the day, aged eighty-one years.

Mr. Mills built up one of the finest summer resorts on the lakes at Stag island, in the St. Clair river, which he leased from the Canadian government for 100 years. He controlled lumber yards at Cleveland, Toledo, Maryville and in West Virginia.

Recently he promoted and completed the deal for the purchase of the Lansing street railway and the St. Louis-Johns interurban line in this state.⁸⁰¹⁶

• LATE NELSON MILLS

An Interesting Story Told of His Early Life How the Village of Marysville Received Its Name

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A dispatch from Marine City says, of the late Nelson Mills:

An interesting story is told of Nelson Mills, St. Clair County's millionaire, who died a few days ago. It would be needless to state for the benefit of those who were personally acquainted that Mr. Mills when a young man was very plain in his appearance and address, but possessed of a good stock of courage and perseverance.

It was about 1848 that Mr. Mills arrived in what was then Newport, now Marine City, Capt. Sam Ward who was the founder of Newport, was then carrying on a shipyard and general store, the shipyard being known in later years as the Holland yard. Being in urgent need of more ship-carpenters, and happening to be on the dock as young Mills landed, and learning that he wished work, Capt. Ward went with him at once to the shipyard, where Jacob Wolverton was master builder, and Stephen Rose foreman. Capt. Ward suggested to his master builder that he thought he had found a man to work in the yard. Wolverton, giving a side glance over his shoulder at Mills and his tools (which were exposed in his open "coon box"), told him that if Ward had any barns to build he might hire him, but that he himself had no use for him in his shipyard.

It happened that Ward was in need of having a barn built, and at the curt answer of Wolverton the captain turned to Mills and asked him if he would build it. The young man answered he was looking for work, and it mattered little where it was. He went to work at once on the barn (which for many years stood in the rear of the Ward residence). This has since been known as the Holland homestead. After completing the barn, Capt. Ward was so well pleased that a position was given Mills at once in the shipyard, where he remained as long as it was continued by Ward, and afterward for Solomon Gardner when the Steamer "Ocean" was built.

When he settled up with Ward, Mills had the larger portion of his wages coming to him, which furnished the nucleus for his going into the lumber business at Marysville in company with Myron Williams.

Mills afterwards married Mary, the daughter of his partner, and in her honor the village was named.

Mills' experience in the Newport shipyard was of great importance to him, as, outside of his vast lumber and real estate interests, he had been known as one of the largest ship owners on the lakes. The old shipyard where he once worked has been kept busy for many years building new boats and repairing old ones for him.¹¹²⁷

• MILLS' ESTATE

Will of Nelson Mills Was Filed Today The Five Children All Get Share and Share-Alike

The will of the late Nelson Mills was filed in the probate court today. The estate is

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divided, share and share alike, among his five children, namely: Myron W. Mills, Margaret Hopkins, Hannah Mills, Emeline Elliott and David Mills.

The will was executed on the 17th of April, 1903, and occupies just twenty-three typewritten lines.

Myron W. Mills was made executor and was empowered to sell or convey any or all of the estate without the necessity of applying to the probate court. Subsequently Mr. Mills made his son, David W. Mills, a joint executor with Myron W. Mills and expressed his desire that the estate should be kept intact and that all partnership and business interests in which he was engaged at the time of his death should be carried on until such time as the best interests of the estate would permit them to be closed up, and for this purpose Myron W. and David W. were also made trustees of all of the estate, real and personal, and were directed to distribute the estate among the heirs from time to time as the best interests of all seem to require. The trustees are given full power and authority to manage the business precisely as if it was their own. In the event of the death of either of the trustees, the other is given full power and authority under the will.

John E. Mills was alive at the time this will was made but, owing to the fact that his father incurred large liability for him which the estate had to pay, no provision was made for him in the will. The other children were asked to deal fairly and justly by this son.

The will was witnessed by Prudence Carroll and W. L. Jenks.

Myron L. Mills said it was impossible to estimate the value of the estate. In the petition filed by Attorney George G. Moore in the probate court this morning, the value of the estate was placed at \$1,000 and upwards, but it is understood the real value comes nearer a million or a million and a half. It includes the Mills Gray Carleton Lumber Co., of Cleveland, and business and book property in Cleveland and Canton, Ohio, including also large summer resort property in Cleveland, great lumber tracts in Northern Michigan and coal and lumber lands in the south. The Lansing and Suburban Traction Company, vessel property, bank stock, ten or twelve farms in St. Clair county, Stag Island, stock in the Engine and Thresher Co. and many other industrial enterprises. By the provisions of the will it is estimated that the children will have two hundred to three hundred thousand dollars each. 1128

• When Nelson Mills passed from life into death St. Clair county suffered one of the greatest losses in her history. He was a real captain of industry, but his success was never due to any crooked methods but to a tremendous capacity for hard work and unusual business ability. (cont.)⁵⁰

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- OBITUARIES:
- 1) NELSON MILLS PASSES AWAY
- 2) VIGOROUS TYPE OF BUSINESS MAN
- 3) NELSON MILLS' WILL¹¹³²
- There is much history, etc. about the Mills in this county, and I guess some other parts of Michigan. The Mills were prominent and rich at one time.³²⁷⁵
- Well the updates to the Pioneer site...are a delight to see. I just love that 'David W. Mills Ship' photo. Nelson Mills' Great Lakes shipping interests were as important as the timber reserves and the mills that processed that material into dimensional timbers and dimensional lumber. This ship? It was steam powered (1st generation Great Lakes shipping vessels were sailing ships that specialized in cargo, 2nd generation were sailing and steam assisted combos, then finally fully steam-powered barge style ships which is what the David W. Mills was)...and carried 1,000,000 bf of lumber at a time. That's a large shipment today. But then? It was massive. It shows how serious the NORTHERN OHIO LUMBER wholesale operations of Nelson and David Mills were in Cleveland at that time. And the ship....named after his son David. Just wonderful. Right? It has to be terrific to you......Great picture. 7496

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Mosa Twp. Census: labourer, born Nova Scotia, age 28, "in the States." 4,1647,2377
- 1860 Census: Vicksburg P. O., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 35, b Nova Scotia. Lumber man. \$27,000; \$13,000. 1662
- 1870 Census: Port Huron Twp., Marysville P.O., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 47, lumberman, b Nova Scotia; \$58,000; \$85,000. 1689
- 1880 Census: Port Huron Twp., Marysville P.O., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 57, b NS. Father b NS: mother b Ireland. Mill Owner. 1707
- 1884 Michigan Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 63, born Nova Scotia. Father born Nova Scotia; mother born Ireland. Lumber dealer. 1147
- 1894 Michigan Census: Port Huron Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 71, widowed, Lumber yard business, in U.S. 50 years. 1149
- 1900 Census: Port Huron Twp., Marysville P.O., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 77, b Jan 1823, Canada Eng. Lumber dealer. Immigrated 1843 [sic]. 1753

Directories: • <u>Marysville Business Directory, 1863</u> Mills, N & B, (Nelson and Barney), general store. 3653

• Port Huron Directory, 1902

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General: • A Brief History of Marysville

In 1817, Zephaniah W. Bunce sailed up the St. Clair River and settled at the mouth of Baby's Creek, serving as merchant, postmaster, lumberman, judge, and legislator for sixty five years. There was no habitation nearer that Fort Gratiot to the North and Palmer (St. Clair) to the south. The pine forest that stretched from Pine River to the Strait of Mackinac was barely touched by man. This was woodland.

Eventually saw mills sprouted up on streams in Marysville known today as Carleton Creek (the Golf course), at Bunce Creek (Detroit Edison Plant), and at Mud Creek (in Marysville Park).

Meldrum and Park erected a sawmill in 1792 at Carleton Creek and was later succeeded by Colonel Andrew Mack, a prominent Detroit man. The Colonel constructed a house there, which later became the home of George W. Carleton. A model of this house may still be seen on the lawn of Marysville Historical Museum in Marysville Park. The tombstone of Andrew Mack and his wife, Amelia, still remains standing on the north bank of Carleton Creek in the Riverview Golf Course.

Another mill located at Bunce Creek was owned by Judge Bunce and his sons, Mumford and Lefferts, which was built on the site on an earlier mill started by Antoin Morass about 1786. It was water powered and in operation from 1818 until 1870. Initially it was called Bunceville, serving as a port of call for passenger steamers running between Chicago and Detroit. It was the trading post for Indians and trappers, the post office for Fort Gratiot and Desmon, of which Judge Bunce was postmaster. The judge later became a member of the first Michigan Legislature.

In 1843, Edward P. Vickery purchased land form Cummings Sanborn and erected a sawmill at the point where Mud Creek flowed into the St. Clair River, near the foot of the present Huron Boulevard. He named his operation Vickery's Landing. As the settlement grew, it was renamed Vicksburg. Then in 1859 the name was changed to Marysville, after Nelson Mills' wife Mary. Vickery sold his mill in 1852 to Lewis Brockway and Horace E. Bunce, who in turn sold it in 1854 to Nathan Reeves, Myron Williams and Nelson Mills. Mills became the sole owner in 1862. Nelson Mills operated three specialized mills on the St. Clair River near the mouth of Mud Creek. These continued to function until about 1900. The Williams-Mills operation was the largest enterprise in Marysville up until the arrival of C. H. Wills.

Another establishment within the present boundaries of Marysville was Hubbard's Corners, where Isaac Hubbard built a tavern, blacksmith shop and a store on the corner of Bartlett Road (Huron Blvd.) and Gratiot Turnpike. Hubbard married Edward Vickery's daughter, Mary.

From 1853 to 1883, Vicksburg was also a shipbuilding town. Myron Williams built the schooners: Mary-88 tons; Mary Williams-88 tons. These small schooners were built to transport lumber from Vicksburg to Detroit and other Lake Erie ports. In 1862 Williams built the schooner Emeline-121 tons; and in 1864 the tug Tawas, named after an Indian of that name. The tug blew up in 1874 killing some of its crew.

In 1864, Williams also constructed the City of Tawas-572 tons and the scow D. G. Williams in 1874. N & B Mills rebuilt the Clifton in 1866, built the N. Mills in 1870, the Mary Mills in 1872 and the Steamer J. E. Mills in 1883.

Following the lumber era - from 1900 to 1919 - Marysville was a quiet little village extending from the river west to what is now Michigan Avenue. These was no industry at that time, although there was a rapid transit system to Detroit and Port Huron via the electric interurban railway known as the D.U.R. (Detroit Urban Railway).

In 1919, C. Harold Wills, a millionaire motor car engineer from Detroit, changed the face of the village. Within two years, his "Dream City" had become a reality. New streets were laid out and new homes built. C. H. Wills and Company built a factory to produce the Wills Ste., Clair automobile, whose design and engine were far ahead of its time. Unfortunately, due to the high cost of production and a severe economic depression, the operation failed. The building Wills had constructed was later purchased by Chrysler Corporation and houses the Mopar operation there today.

Marysville was first incorporated as a village in the year 1919 and as a fifth class City in 1924 under the City Manager form of government. The population has grow steadily and is approximately 10,000 today. New businesses have sprung up in the area, attracted by our fine school system, efficient police and fire departments, and good municipal services.²³⁵⁷

Biography: • Myron W. Mills, splendid gentleman, descendant of a long-line of respected forebears and present official Historian of Marysville, furnishes the script for my broadcast of tonight. It is a pleasure to collaborate with Mr. Mills in bringing old-time history of Marysville to you at this time.

For 30 years following 1871 the whole activity of Marysville centered in the lumber mills and vessel business of Nelson and Barney Mills. The history of Marysville during that period must be the story of N & B Mills, --- the company which began in 1862 and continued to operate its saw-mills until the death of the partners in 1904 and 1905.

By a fortunate, well-timed purchase of pine land in 1870 from a group of land speculators in Buffalo, the Mills Company obtained a log supply to keep their operations running many years. This purchase involved going into debt for upwards of \$50,000, which was a big loan at any time but was especially heavy when it became necessary to carry it through the 1873 panic. Only the confidence of the selling parties

in the integrity and industry of the Mills firm enabled the latter to carry through the undertaking. The debt was finally paid off in about 10 years, after the partners had found it necessary to pledge everything they possessed in order to raise money.

By singular good fortune they were able to get the William Sanborn Mill, just north of the Marysville Creek, in 1878. This mill had operated only a year or two after it was built in 1871, because the Sanborns had no available timber supply. The mill was strictly modern, built to saw timbers as long as 80 feet. Logs of this type could be obtained only from the shores of Lake Huron and its tributaries. This fitted exactly into the plan of N & B Mills whose logs coming from Tawas Bay ran to lengths of 120 to 140 feet. It cannot be said that such lengths were usual, but many did cut up into 40, 60 and 80 foot lengths, and many pine logs suitable for spars were formed and laid aside for future demand as spar timber.

Log rafts on St. Clair river were very common during those years. Almost daily a raft passed down bound for Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland and other Lake Erie ports in tow of one of the old time lake tugs.

Four or five days were required to bring one of the Mills rafts from Tawas Bay to Marysville. The tying-up place was at Bunce Creek where two very strong piles were driven at the beach for snubbing. When a raft approached St. Clair river, it was necessary to keep in mid-channel, as they were 600 or more feet wide and 1500 to 2000 feet in length. They were usually held in the lake until they could come in by daylight. The morning of arrival of a raft all was excitement in Marysville. "Dad" Levi Ogden, grandfather of Myron E. Ogden, loaded a dozen mill hands into his wagon to take they tying-up tackle to Bunce Creek. This consisted of a line or rope about the size of a man's leg. Frequently it was possible to hail a vessel passing down. "Vessel ahoy!" "Did you see a raft coming in?" And perhaps the answer would be "Yes, it is just coming into the river." After waiting an hour or two, the tug could be seen passing Black River. Another hour would bring it down along the Canadian shore. Suddenly the tug would swing over to the sand hill at Ravenswood, and the raft swung slowly and gracefully across the river, reaching from shore to shore. Slowly it straightened out and drifted with the strong current toward the snubbing piles. Everything was in readiness as the big raft floated down. At the right instant Nelson Mills shouted from the river bank, "Hold on! Hold everything," waving his hat and arms as the signal. Black smoke poured from the tug, her throttle wide open, steam roared from the steam pipe, the raft straightened and the chains tightened up. The big yawl with 6 or 8 men shot to shore, men jumped in the water, hauled the big line ashore to the snubbing piles, threw on the turns, tightened up the line, the raft nosed into the shore, smoke and fire flew from the friction on the piles, water was doused on, the line, surged, more fire,

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more smoke and more water doused on. Two boats, the Point Abino and the J. E. Mills, on the outside crowded the raft ashore. The logs rolled up on the beach and if all went well the raft was finally at rest and safely tied up. The tension was over and Marysville had a supply of logs for another month or two.

The Marysville Post Office from 1864 to 1893 was located in the Mills store east of the river road at the foot of present Huron Boulevard. Mails were carried by star route (horse and buggy or cart or sleigh) between Port Huron and St. Clair until the coming of the interurban car line in 1900. A covered stage heated by a stove operated during the winter months when the regular passenger boats could not operate between Algonac and Port Huron.

The Mills store provided nearly everything required by a pioneer community, dry goods, needles and pins, boots and shoes, groceries, flour, salt pork, drugs, patent medicines, tobaccos, hardware, axes, nails, etc.

A telegraph office of the Western Union opened in October, 1874, in the Mills store and continued until 1904. N. Mills was manager. The first operator was N. P. Arnold followed by W. O. Randall, Ed. Gillett, Arlie Mills, George Shaw, Myron Mills, and W. J. Newton, all of whom were also clerks in the store and post office.

The Mills lumber office was in the rear of the store, presided over by A. C. Gray, who began working for the company in 1862 and continued in charge of the many details of the lumber and boat business until 1895, a most loyal and reliable factor in the business. Two sons, Guy and Ralph, were raised by Mr. Gray. They entered the lumber business of N. Mills & Company in Cleveland, Ohio, in which they became partners, and made a distinguished record in that city for many years as highly successful lumbermen and eventually established a company of their own, the Guy and Ralph Gray Lumber Company.

Marysville's first long distance telephone was installed in the Mills office about 1879, when the river line was put in operation between Port Huron and Detroit. The telephone at that time was mainly used for office communication to Cleveland. In 1894 a private telephone line connected the residences of Nelson Mills and Myron Mills with the Mills office. These were the only telephones used in Marysville until about 1910, when the Port Huron exchange was extended to cover the Marysville section.

At another time I will be glad to tell you something about some of the old Marysville families.

Here is where the story of Historian Mills ends for tonight.

What follows is the contribution of your announcer because Myron Mills is too modest to write the good things which so truthfully can be told about his father, Nelson Mills, and his sturdy character.

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I quote the tribute which W. L. Jenks, in his History of St. Clair County, paid the father of Myron W. Mills.

"Nelson Mills was a real captain of industry, but his success was never due to any crooked methods, but to a tremendous capacity for hard work and unusual business ability. As one of the Port Huron papers remarked at the time of his death: That he was possessed of a remarkable business sagacity has been conceded for years. His marvelous acquisition of property, and always by honest means and clean methods, brought that fact home convincingly to every mind. Another paper prints the following: Mr. Mills' secret of success was industry combined with good judgment. No one of his employees worked harder than he and he never seemed to be thoroughly happy unless he was doing something. He had little faith in luck, but believed that industry and perseverance would win in the end. He was always genial and approachable by anyone. Every proposition met with respectful consideration and his word could be relied upon implicitly. While his business interests have been largely in the hands of others during the past years, because of advancing age, yet he had continued the active supervision of affairs up to a short time before his death and his removal will necessarily be felt in the community. His career may not be described as brilliant, but he was solid, successful man, one of the real captains of industry upon whom the burden of progress always rest. Such was the estimate of those who know him, and the following brief account of his life will prove their words to have been far from eulogistic.

Nelson Mills was born on the 15th of January, 1823, in Nova Scotia. His parents were of English birth, and when their small son was three years old, they removed to Wardsville, about thirty miles from Chatham, Ontario, where they bought a farm. Here the lad grew up, received what education he had, the conditions of the times making this rather meager, and until he was 21 worked on his father's farm. One of these winters, however, he spent in getting out ship timber for the Quebec market. In 1844, having through (sic) the work just mentioned, acquired some knowledge of shipbuilding and some acquaintance with shipbuilders, Nelson Mills went to Newport, now Marine City, Michigan, where he engaged in shipbuilding. There he began to gain the reputation for that same strength, endurance and passion for labor that marked his whole life. He soon had the name of doing more work in one day and doing it better than any other three men in the county. In addition to carrying on his shipbuilding trade, between the years 1844 and 1850, much of his time was taken up by frequent trips which he made into the woods as a land looker for various people. In this way he picked up a vast amount of knowledge concerning the pine timber lands of Michigan, and when he engaged in the lumber business in 1850, he was thoroughly familiar with

the details of the work.

Mr. Mills always took a keen interest in politics, though his business cares prevented him from ever accepting office in spite of the solicitations of his friends. He cast his first vote for Fremont in 1856, and from that time was always a staunch Republican. He became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1850, and for more than fifty years held the office of steward of the church. No matter how heavy his business cares may have been, nor how wearied he was with the exertion of the week, Sunday always found him in his pew at church, and he did not attend once, but twice. During the early part of his life he was an active worker in Sunday School. The following is a brief estimate made of him by one who knew him: "In his business, religious and everyday life, he has shown the same strong characteristics, determined in carrying out with success whatever he undertook and always thoroughly just in his dealings with men in whatever station of life. He rarely discharged an employee, and during dull seasons in business his great anxiety was to be able to keep those depending on him employed."

Yes, Myron W. Mills has promised to tell you about some of those old-time Marysville families at some future time but the Marysville Historian would never have peeped about his own family. He just isn't built that way. So I have done it myself. Now, good night, good cheer, and I thank you. 1130

Military: • Class II War Registration, 5th Congressional District, Michigan. Age 39, Lumberman, b Nova Scotia. 8017

Spouse: Mary Jerralds WILLIAMS 1133,1135 (4 Jun 1842-3

May 1891)

Birth: 4 Jun 1842, Algonac, St. Clair,

Michigan 12,179,1147,1153

Memo: age 42 in 1884; b MI

Death: 3 May 1891, Marysville, St. Clair,

 $Michigan^{179,1153}$

Burial: 4 May 1891, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St.

Clair, Michigan^{340,341,7078}

Father: Miron Pease WILLIAMS^{11,1424} (6 Jun 1813-27

Jun 1884)

Mother: Mary Margaret GALLAGHER (4 Jan 1817-6 Jul

1883)

Marriage: 22 Mar 1863, Armada, Macomb, Michigan 12,179,1401,6850

Memo: Methodist Parsonage

• Born in Algonac, Mich. The first born daughter in a family of ten children. Died in



Mary Jerralds

Marysville, Mich.¹

• Their oldest girl was Mary, my mother, born 1842. She was married in 1862 to Nelson Mills, who came from Canada in 1844, and had been a ship-carpenter in Marine City until he joined Miron Williams in lumbering on the Turnpike about 1850.⁵⁴⁴

Census: • 1850 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 8, b MI. 1637

- 1860 Census: Vicksburg, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 18, b MI. 1661
- 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 28, b MI. 1689
- 1880 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 39, b MI. 1707
- 1884 Michigan Census: Port Huron Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 42, b MI. Father born VT; mother born Unknown. 1147

General: • MARYSVILLE - One name is as good as another.....or is it?

In 1843 Edward Vickery bought land and erected a sawmill at the point where Mud Creek flowed into the St. Clair River, at the foot of what today is Huron Boulevard. The name given this location was Vickery's Landing. As the surrounding settlement grew it eventually became known as Vicksburg.

Vickery sold his sawmill in 1852 to Lewis Brockway and Horace Bunce, who in turn sold it to Nathan Reeves, Myron Williams and Nelson Mills in 1854. In 1859 Nelson Mills ordered a piano for his daughter Mary. The delivery destination was given as Vicksburg, Michigan. Unknown to Nelson Mills, there was also another city in Michigan, a much older city, called Vicksburg, in the southern part of the state just southeast of present day Kalamazoo. The piano was mistakenly shipped to the other Vicksburg. The shipping agent told Mr. Mills that his piano had been shipped and had arrived in Vicksburg without a scratch. Mr. Mills, knowing that his daughter's piano had not arrived in the settlement, vehemently denied the piano arrived at its proper destination. Further checks made by the shipping agent discovered that there were in fact two settlements in Michigan called Vicksburg. The shipping agent was able to retrieve the piano and personally delivered it to Mr. Mills and his daughter Mary.

In 1859, at the insistence of Nelson Mills, the name of the settlement, located on the western bank of the St. Clair River, was officially changed to Marysville, in honor of both his wife and daughter.²⁵¹⁵

7 Children...

- i. **John Edgar** (1864-1903)
- ii. **Myron Williams** (1866-1947)
- iii. Mary Margaret (1869-1932)
- iv. Hannah Elizabeth (1872-1935)

- v. **Emeline Williams** (1874-1956)
- vi. **David Williams** (1879-1957)
- vii. Hally Ballenger (Died young) (1884-1900)

Marriage Notes: • When Nelson Mills and Mary Williams married in 1863 they bought and lived in the house vacated by the Hubbard family. In 1868 the house burned. Myron Mills, then one and one-half years old, miraculously escaped being trapped in the fire. N. Mills then began building the brick home that stood sixty-five years as a landmark on the St. Clair River. 1131

• Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mills, Marysville, Mich., have been here attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Read [Mary Hamilton Nelson Read]. Mr. Mills returned immediately after the funeral, but Mrs. Mills remained and is the guest of Mrs. S. E. [Margaret Ann Mills; Mrs. Samuel Eli] Arnold this week.²³⁴⁶

245. Hamilton MILLS¹¹³⁵ (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 8 Aug 1824, Nova Scotia, Canada^{175,1154,8369}

Death: 12 Jun 1883, Marysville, St. Clair,

Michigan^{341,1153,1154}

Memo: died age 58y 10m 4d

Burial: Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair,

Michigan¹¹⁵³

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24

Apr 1880)

Mother: **194.** Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Occupation: carpenter¹¹⁵⁴

Residence: of Sombra, Lambton county, Ontario¹¹⁴³

Death cause: blood poisoning 1154

• Owner of 50 acres in Tilbury East, 7 of which under cultivation. 1678

• Died, at Marysville, June 12th, Hamilton Mills, after a short illness. Mr. Mills leaves a wife and three children, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn his loss. His age was 58 years. He was a brother of N. and B. Mills, well known business men of this place. Dr. Poole, of Port Huron, preached an eloquent funeral sermon Friday morning at M. E. Church, of which deceased had for many years been a member. 7679



Hamilton

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Census: Mosa Township. "in the states," age 26.4,1647,2377
- 1861 Census: Tilbury East, Kent, Ontario. Age 36, b Lower Canada. 1678
- 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 45, carpenter, \$1,000; \$0, b Nova Scotia. 1690
- 1880 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 55, b Nova Scotia. Carpenter. Father b NS; mother b Ireland. 1717

Spouse: Mary McDONALD (abt 1831-bef Jan 1866)

Birth: abt 1831, Ontario, Canada¹¹⁴³

Death: bef Jan 1866¹¹¹⁷

Residence: of Sombra, Lambton county, Ontario¹¹⁴³

Marriage: 22 Feb 1852, Cottrellville, St. Clair, Michigan 1143,4705

Memo: witnessed by Eleanor Mills of Mosa, Canada

Census: • 1861 Census: Tilbury East, Kent, Ontario. Age 26, b Upper Canada. Name given as Margaret A. Mills. 1678

3 Children...

i. **George** (~1855-<1909)

ii. Margaret T. (~1859->1909)

iii. **Janet C.** (1860->1909)

Spouse: Jannet CAMERON (20 May 1825-27 Nov 1902)

Birth: 20 May 1825, Abernethy And Kincardine, Highland, Scotland 1690,7042,8108

Baptism: 22 May 1825, Abernethy And Kincardine, Highland, Scotland⁸¹⁰⁸

Immigration: 1866¹¹⁵⁰

Death: 27 Nov 1902, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan^{340,7042}

Burial: 29 Nov 1902, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair,

Michigan^{340,7042,7078}

Father: **Daniel CAMERON**⁷⁰⁴²
Mother: **Jennett FRASIER**^{1117,7042}

Death cause: chronic nephritis⁷⁰⁴²

Marriage: 30 Jan 1866, Tilbury East?, Kent, Ontario, Canada¹¹¹⁷

- Name given as unknown Cameron. 4701
- Name given as Janet McCallum; parents George and Jennett McCallum. 1117
- Name given as Jenette Arnold. 6570

Census: • 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 45, b Scotland. 1690

- 1880 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 55, b Scotland. 1717
- 1884 Michigan Census: Port Huron Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 69, b Scotland. Widow. 1148
- 1894 Michigan Census: Port Huron Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 69, widow, born Scotland. 1150
- 1900 Census: Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 75, b May 1825, Scotland. Widow. Mother of 2 children, both living. Parents b Scotland. 4625

2 Children...

- i. Mary (1868-1942)
- ii. James Nelson (1868-1903)

246. Elizabeth MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 9 Sep 1826, Canada¹⁷⁵

Immigration: 1859⁴⁷⁵⁸

Death: 7 Oct 1901, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan⁸⁰⁴²

Memo: St. Joseph's Hospital

Burial: 9 Oct 1901, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan³⁴⁰

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194. Margaret Ann NELSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Nickname: Betsy⁴

• This particular census was taken between 12 Jan. and 27 Mar. 1852: during that period Elizabeth Mills, who was born 9 Sept. 1826, would have been 25 years old, matching the age of Betsy Edwards. There can be no doubt that this Betsy Edwards was Barnabas Mills' daughter.⁴

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Census: Mosa township. Age 25.4,1648,2376
- 1860 Census: Vicksburg, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 34, b Canada. 8041
- 1880 Census: Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 53, b Canada. Head. Dress Maker. Enumerated as Elizabeth Edwards. Father b NS; mother b IRE. 3817
- 1900 Census: Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 75, b Sep 1826, Canada (Eng.). Widow. Parents b Nova Scotia. Mother of 1 living child. 4758

Spouse: **James EDWARDS** (abt 1817-bef 1880)

Birth: abt 1817, Canada¹⁶⁴⁸

Memo: age 34 in 1851 Death: bef 1880³⁸¹⁷

Father: **James EDWARDS**¹⁸¹⁵ (1780-1849)
Mother: **Lydia KNOWLES** (1792-19 May 1876)

Marriage: 12 Sep 1849, Middlesex County, Ontario 1815,7040

Memo: witnessed by Jane E. Mills

Census: • 1851 Census: Mosa township. Age 34, farmer. 4,1648,2376

• 1860 Census: Vicksburg, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 43, b Canada. Labourer. 8041

5 Children...

- i. **John** (1850-<1909)
- ii. Margaret Ann (1851-1920)
- iii. Elizabeth (1855-~1925)
- iv. **James Knowles** (1856-1937)
- v. Jane (~1858-)

247. Barney MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 8 Jul 1828, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario,

Canada¹⁷⁵

Death: 19 Jul 1905, Marysville, St. Clair,

Michigan 1128,1135,1139,1153

Memo: died intestate

Burial: 21 Jul 1905, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St.

Clair, Michigan³⁴⁰

Probate: 19 Jan 1909¹¹³⁵

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194. Margaret Ann NELSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Residence: Prescott, Ogemaw County, MI^{1752,3403}

• [excerpts] Lumbering reached gigantic proportions back in our early history, when Michigan was known as the lumber capital of the world. Ogemaw County contributed millions of feet of virgin timber during that era, which has acclaimed Michigan a giant in the annals of our history.

In the fall, when the first snow came, the Mills family's horses and oxen were shipped from Stag Island in the St. Clair River to Ogemaw County to work in the lumber camps. Around 1870 the Mills family owned hundreds of acres of Ogemaw County. They



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started a lumbering project which was carried for twenty years. After the trees were cut and trimmed into sizable logs, they were skidded into the Rifle River, during the spring freshets, and floated downstream. Upon reaching Lake Huron, they were rafted and pulled by tug boats to the St. Clair River, near Port Huron. Steam boats and tow barges transported them to Cleveland, Ohio, through Lake Erie. 3402

• Mills Township, with the Rifle River flowing through its center, is surprisingly free of early lumber settlements. Although lumber camps surely existed along the township's waterways, supply and milling settlements flourished elsewhere.

Richland Township contained the settlements of Hardwood Lake and Mills, and is still the location of the village of Prescott. Mills was a train stop at the western county line. Prescott began as a camp called Camp Six. Its owner, Barney Mills, built a saw mill and shingle mill and owned much of the timber lands in Mills and Richland Townships. 3403

Prescott's first saw mill was built by Barney Mills. He also built a shingle mill in Prescott. In 1889, the McLain brothers owned the mills that Mr. Mills had built. John Fitzmaurice tells of a Saturday evening he spent in a southern Ogemaw Camp.

January 17th, 1883, I find by reference to my notebook, was an occasion in which I was made partaker in a camp "Saturday night" that I will long remember. It was in B. B.[sic] Mills' Rifle River camp, Mich., which like a singed cat, was much better than it looked. It was built upon the old-fashioned style, with what is known as a "caboose," in place of a stove. The "bunk camp" was cosy, and with but little room, one would imagine, in which to give a variety theatre exhibition. Still, in that same camp was congregated more diversified talent, than I have met at one time before or since in the woods. 3403

• The Mills Transportation Company was formed February 4, 1878, with a capital stock of \$250,000, divided into 10,000 shares of \$25 each. Nelson Mills, of Marysville, held 2,812; Barney Mills, 938; August C. Gray, 1,250; Henry McMorran, Port Huron, 2,500; and Charles Neal, Bay City, 2,500 shares.²⁹

• Prominent Port Huron Man Dead.

Port Huron, Mich., July 19 [1905] – Barnabas Mills, a brother of the late Nelson Mills and a partner of his in many of their business enterprises, died at this home at Marysville this morning, aged 77 years. Mr. Mills took sick while inspecting some of the lumber properties belonging to the estate in northern Michigan, and was brought home last week. 1128

- Died intestate. 1135
- Barney Mills died intestate leaving a widow without children by him. The widow has one son and two grandchildren by a former marriage. There are thirteen families of

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Barney Mills kindred of which the heads of six are still living. Two near Chatham, Ontario, one in Washington state, two in Ogemaw County, Michigan, and one in this village. Of all the other families there is one minor child about sixteen years of age living near Chatham, Ontario.

Barney Mills estate consists practically as follows:

Farm, store, village property and house at Prescott, Ogemaw County, Michigan. Stock in several corporations.

1/4 interest in this co-partnership.

The inventory of this company will be furnished you as soon as it can be obtained and an appraisal made. But for the purposes of this letter will state that the assets are chiefly as follows:

Real estate in Ogemaw, Montmorency, Sanilac and Saint Clair Counties, and in Cleveland and Toledo, Ohio.

Lumber yard and Planning [sic] Mill at Saint Clair.

Stock of lumber and store at this place.

Stag Island.

Interest in mill and land in West Virginia.

Interest in Electric Railway at Lansing.

Accounts and notes receivable. 1139

• In a separate email I am going to send you a photo of the first store in Prescott, which was built by Barney Mills as a general department store. The two-story brick building was built sometime before 1900 on Sherman Street. Mills closed the store and the building was purchased by the I.O.O.F. and Geneve Rebecca Lodges. The groups held their meetings upstairs and used the first floor for large gatherings, such as banquets, dances, and large community meetings. For quite a number of years (about 15) the first floor was also used by the school where temporary classrooms were established. After 1965, when the I.O.O.F. charter expired and was not renewed, the building was sold to Bed and Bernadine Haskin and used as a recreational facility.

Do you have the book called PRESCOTT COMMUNITY IN PIONEER HISTORY by Ervadeen Hosbach?⁶¹¹⁹

- Barney Mills was another pioneer lumberman. He owned hundreds of acres of wooded land north of town. After the land was cleared it was sold to men who became farmers. Mills also had one of the first general stores before 1900 in the two-story brick building on Sherman Street, which now houses Bud and Bernadine Haskin's Rec. Hall. 6146
- The town had several mills as well as in the rural area. Barney Mills had a grist mill

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and Bob Cliff, Sr. had a shingle mill. Both were destroyed by fire. 6146

- Harold Currie lives on the farm of his grandfather, Gilbert Currie, Sr., two miles north of Sage Lake Road. It had been purchased from Barney Mills. 6146
- Yesterday I spent some time at the Oscoda library in the genealogical room. (I love it there!) Anyhow, I found some little things about Barney Mills in the newspapers. I figured this was easier to just type the info out rather than scan the copies, as some are such poor quality.

TAWAS HERALD June 5, 1891: Barney Mills long timber camp is in operation at West Tawas, again with Joseph Lalone, the old standby foreman. Part of the old crew is on deck, with Tink at the helm.

TAWAS HERALD May 20, 1892: (two entries)

Louis Grant, representing E. Morse, the lumber King of the east, of Tonawanda, was in town this week visiting Jos. Lalone, Barney Mills' foreman. Mr. Morse has purchased a quantity of timber from Mr. Mills.

Jas. Lalone, foreman for Barney Mills, informs us that he has started rafting at the mouth of Tawas River, and will add another force of men in a few days. Quite a number of the old boys are at their old posts of duty.

TAWAS HERALD July 28, 1893: (part of the Prescott social column)

A train of Barney Mills long timber goes out every day from Bush Lake to Tawas Bay.

J. B. Mills, better known as "Cheap John," handles hardware and everything very extensively. He keeps in stock hardware from a needle to a threshing machine. J. B. is quite a hustler.

TAWAS HERALD December 15, 1893: (part of the Prescott social column)

The Keystone flouring mill here is now owned by Messrs Barney Mills and C. E. Cannan. The third partner pulling out of the business.

TAWAS HERALD March 29, 1895: C. E. Cannon has served his connection with the Keystone Milling Co. Having sold his interests in the firm to Barney Mills.

TAWAS HERALD June 27, 1902: (part of the Whittemore social column)

Barney Mills visits our village quite often of late. He has a fine span of drivers of which he is justly proud, and then he is found of good company.⁶¹⁴⁷

• Mr. B. Mills

Prescott, Mich.

Dear Sir:

In reply to yours of the 17th. We are very sorry to say that we are short of cash at present and if we sent you the \$500.00 requested would have to borrow same. We expect to get our money on Steamer Sparta insurance very soon and will then send you

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the \$500.00. If you must have it sooner kindly let us know and we will loan same. Will make you price on land you mentioned in your letter later.

Yours truly,

N. & B. MILLS By 7065

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Mosa Twp. Census: "in the states," age 23.4,1647,2377
- 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 42, b Canada. Lumberman. 4632
- 1880 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 51, b Canada [sic], lumberman. Father b New Brunswick [sic]; mother b Ireland. 3474
- 1894 Michigan Census: St. Clair Township, Michigan. Age 66, b Canada. Lumberman. Father b Canada; mother b Ireland. 5475
- 1900 Census: Mills Township, Ogemaw, Michigan. Age 71, b Jul 1827, Canada Eng. Farmer. Father b Canada Eng; mother b Ireland. Married 30 years. His wife is absent. 1752

General: • 1903 Plat map of Richland Township, Ogemaw County, Michigan. 6120

Spouse: Mary Melissa WILLIAMS (1 Jun 1830-1 Jun 1913)

Birth: 1 Jun 1830, Deerfield, Portage, Ohio 11,179,1440

Death: 1 Jun 1913, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan 179,1153

Burial: Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan³⁴⁰

Father: Sanford WILLIAMS (23 Jun 1783-8 Jan 1856) Mother: Elizabeth HUDSON (6 Jun 1801-15 Jun 1890)

Marriage: 8 Nov 1866, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan 1133,1143,7608

• Marriage to Barney Mills witnessed by John Hudson & Ruth Hudson, his wife. John is the uncle of Mary Melissa. ¹¹⁴³

Census: • 1830 Census: Deerfield, Portage, Ohio. 0000001/10001. 1596

- \bullet 1840 Census: Deerfield, Portage, Ohio. Age 10-15. $00000001/111001^{1612}$
- 1850 Census: Deerfield, Portage, Ohio. Age 20, b OH. Married to Almon Wright. Living adjacent to father, Sanford Williams. 1617
- 1860 Census: Kenockee, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 28, b OH. 1651
- 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 40, b OH. 4632
- 1880 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 50, b OH. Father b VT; mother b PA. 3474
- 1894 Michigan Census: St. Clair Township, Michigan. Age 64, b OH. Father b VT; mother b PA. 5475
- 1900 Census: St. Clair Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 69, b Jun 1830, OH. Head. Father b ME; mother b PA. Living alone, but near Reuben Mills family. 4630

• 1910 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 79, b OH. Widow. Father b VT; mother b PA. Mother of 2 children, 1 living. Living in household of son, Warren Wright. 5482

No Children

248. Jane Ellen MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 11 Jun 1830, Canada¹⁷⁵

Death: Jan 1891, Greenville, Montcalm, Michigan³⁴⁰

Burial: 11 Jan 1891, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan³⁴⁰

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194. Margaret Ann NELSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Death cause: pneumonia³⁴⁰

• Witness to the marriage of her sister, Elizabeth. 1815

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

• 1851 Census: Mosa Twp. Age 20.4,1647,2377

- 1860 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 30, b Canada. 5289
- 1870 Census: China, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 40, b Canada. 5283
- 1880 Census: China twp., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 50, b Canada. 1710

Spouse: Ainsley W. GRIFFITH¹¹³⁵ (abt 1820-Nov 1894)

Birth: abt 1820, New York⁵²⁸³

Death: Nov 1894, Greenville, Montcalm, Michigan³⁴⁰

Burial: 5 Nov 1894, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan³⁴⁰

Father: **GRIFFITH**

Mother: Mary (abt 1793-) Occupation: Keeps hotel¹¹⁴⁵ Marriage: abt 1860¹¹³⁵

Memo: based on birth year of Winifred

- Both parents born in Ireland. 1710
- Before the end of pastor Tuttle's first successful year here, the Methodists were planning for a building. They had organized a Board of five Trustees--Peter Brakeman, Nelson Mills, Ainsley Griffith, William Smith, and David Carlisle. These trustees purchased a strip of land 4 rods wide and 39 rods deep from Obadiah Gardner for the sum of \$100.

- The Methodist Episcopal Church of Vicksburg was organized November 9, 1859, with Peter F. Brakman, Nelson Mills, Ainsley M. Griffith, D. Carlisle and William Smith Trustees, and William Tuttle, pastor.²⁹
- Justice of the Peace, 1882. School Inspector.²⁹

Census: • 1860 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 39, b NY. Carpenter & Joiner. \$600; \$200.⁵²⁸⁹

- 1870 Census: China, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 50, b NY. Carpenter & Joiner. \$1700; \$500. 5283
- 1880 Census: China twp., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 53, b NY. Farmer. 1710

6 Children...

- i. Winifred N. (1861-1915)
- ii. **Nelson H.** (1862-)
- iii. **Perry M.** (1863->1909)
- iv. Lillian May (1865-1944)
- v. **Effie E.** (1866-1966)
- vi. **James B.** (~1872->1909)

Marriage Notes: • Ainsley W. Griffith & Wife Jane E. sign Warranty Deed 23 Sep 1867. 1135

249. Mary MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 13 Apr 1832, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario,

Canada^{175,427,5906}

Death: 17 Oct 1913⁴²⁷

Burial: Maple Leaf Cemetery, Chatham, Kent, Ontario¹¹²¹
Father: Barnabas MILLS^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880)
Mother: 194. Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Residence: Chatham, Ontario¹⁷⁷

• Received 1/26th of the 1/4 share of the assets of said copartnership belonging to the Barney Mills estate. 1155

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Mosa Twp. Census: age 19.4,1647,2377
- 1861 Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. 1677



Mary

• 1881 Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 48, b Ontario. 4273

Spouse: **David Lewis ARNOLD** (19 Jan 1830-10 Jan 1922)
Birth: 19 Jan 1830, Harwich?, Kent, Ontario, Canada^{427,5906}

Death: 10 Jan 1922^{427,1121}

Burial: Maple Leaf Cemetery, Chatham, Kent, Ontario¹¹²¹
Father: Lewis L. ARNOLD¹¹¹⁹ (abt Jul 1802-8 Feb 1887)
Mother: Mary SHERMAN¹¹¹⁹ (29 Sep 1801-29 Apr 1830)

Marriage: 3 May 1854, Canada 1121,5906

 \bullet His mother d. 29 Apr 1830; he was reared by his gdf. Lewis Arnold & inherited from LA. 1121

Census: • 1861 Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 31. 1677

• 1881 Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 51, b Ontario. Farmer. 4273

4 Children...

- i. **Sylvester** (~1855-1922)
- ii. Margaret Ann (1858-1941)
- iii. Salem Lewis (1861-1928)
- iv. **Edith Evelyn** (1867-1923)

250. Margaret Ann MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 4 Apr 1834, Mosa Township, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada^{175,1120}

Death: 24 Dec 1901, Harwich?, Kent, Ontario, Canada¹¹²⁰
Burial: VanHorn Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario¹¹²⁰
Father: Barnabas MILLS^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880)
Mother: 194. Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Residence: Chatham, Ontario¹⁷⁷

• Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mills, Marysville, Mich., have been here attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Read. Mr. Mills returned immediately after the funeral, but Mrs. Mills remained and is the guest of Mrs. S. E. Arnold this week.²³⁴⁶

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

• 1851 Mosa Twp. Census: age 17.4,1647,2377

Spouse: **Samuel Eli ARNOLD** (4 Jan 1825-19 Feb 1913) Birth: 4 Jan 1825, Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Canada¹¹²⁰

Death: 19 Feb 1913¹¹²⁰

Burial: VanHorn Cemetery, Harwich, Kent, Ontario¹¹²⁰
Father: Lewis L. ARNOLD¹¹¹⁹ (abt Jul 1802-8 Feb 1887)
Mother: Mary SHERMAN¹¹¹⁹ (29 Sep 1801-29 Apr 1830)

Marriage: 27 Dec 1852, Mosa Township, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada^{426,1116,1120}

5 Children...

- i. Nelson Philo (1853-1932)
- ii. Emma Amelia (1857-1919)
- iii. Alpheus Lorenzo (1859-1876)
- iv. Lawrence Wellesley (1863-1903)
- v. **Violet Mae** (1868-1919)

Marriage Notes: • Witnesses to Marriage: David L. Arnold; Jane E. Mills. 1120

251. Hance MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 17 Aug 1835, Canada^{175,4266}

Removal: abt 1856, Minnesota⁷⁶⁸⁴

Death: 23 Oct 1884, Bijou Hills, Brule, South Dakota⁷⁶⁸⁴

Death: Oct 1883⁷⁶⁸¹
Memo: deceased

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194.** Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

- I'm sorry but we don't find him here except for the 1880 census. We checked the 1885 and 1895 census, death records, probate records and cemetery records as well as marriage records from 1883 through 1921. 4278
- \bullet The estate of the late Barney Mills cannot be closed until the heirs of the late Hance Mills, brother of Barney Mills, can be located. The Hance Mills family went west several years ago and has not been heard from since. It is not known how many heirs are left. 7680
- Hance Mills parted from his first wife in 1876. The couple had three children, Addie, Anna and George. The two latter are still living. Anna at Opdyke, Ill., and George at Rochester, N. Y. These he took with him and located at Morristown, Minn., later going to Iowa, and thence to South Dakota, where in 1883 he married again. The missing Walter Mills was born to this second union. ⁷⁶⁸¹

• Mr. H. Mills, living near Bijou Hills, in endeavoring to get his horses out of his burning barn, was severely burned about his neck, arms and side. He lay in a much suffering condition for several days, when he died.⁷⁶⁸⁴

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Twp., London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Mosa Twp. Census: age 16, labourer. 4,1647,2377
- 1860 Census: Morristown, Rice, Minnesota. Age 25, b Canada. Cabinet maker. 2 household members. ⁷⁶⁸³
- 1870 Census: Morristown, Rice, Minnesota. Age 33, b Canada. Carpenter. Name listed as Hanson Mills. ⁷⁶⁸²
- 1875 Minnesota Census: Rice County, Minnesota. Age 39, b Canada. Parents b Canada. 7685
- 1880 Census: Neola, Pottawattamie, Iowa. Age 43, b CAN. Widower. Farmer. Father b Nova Scotia; mother b Ireland. Enumerated as H. Mills. 4266

Spouse: Mary Emerette POPE⁷⁶⁸⁴ (abt 1841-1900)

Birth: abt 1841, New York⁷⁶⁸³

Death: 1900⁷⁶⁸⁴

Marriage: 21 Nov 1859, Morristown, Rice, Minnesota⁷⁶⁸⁴

Separation: 1876⁷⁶⁸¹

Census: • 1860 Census: Morristown, Rice, Minnesota. Age 19, b NY. 7683

- 1870 Census: Morristown, Rice, Minnesota. Age 26, b NY. 7682
- \bullet 1875 Minnesota Census: Rice County, Minnesota. Age 35, b NY. Parents b England. Enumerated as "Mary E" 7685

3 Children...

- i. Sarah Adaline (1862-<1880)
- ii. **George** (1871-)
- iii. Anna Margaret (1876-)

Marriage Notes: • Hance Mills parted from his first wife in 1876.⁷⁶⁸¹

Spouse: Arvilla E. PARSEL (24 Apr 1851-1 Mar

1902)

Birth: 24 Apr 1851, Plymouth, Richland,

Ohio⁷⁶⁸⁸

Birth: 24 Apr 1852, Plymouth, Richland,

Ohio⁷⁶⁹⁴

Death: 1 Mar 1902, Bemidji, Beltrami,

Minnesota^{7684,7692}

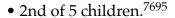
Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery, Grand Forks,

Grand Forks, North Dakota⁷⁶⁹⁴

Father: William Morgan PARSEL (1825-1926)

Mother: Martha Jane KIRKPATRICK (1835-1889)

Marriage: 1 Oct 1883, Chamberlain, Brule, South Dakota^{7681,7684}



- Anna and George Mills were aged respectively 7 and 13 years when Hance Mills died in October, 1883. Soon after this the second Mrs. Mills took the infant and disappeared.⁷⁶⁸¹
- [excerpts] Mrs. A. Milne, a pioneer of Bemidji, died of typhoid fever, March 1, 1902, at St. Anthony's hospital, after a short illness. She leaves behind her a husband, two sons, and one daughter to mourn her untimely demise.

Arbilla E. Parsell was born at Plymouth, Ohio, April 24, 1852. She was married in 1870 to Peter Doty, who died in South Dakota in 1887 to which state they moved in 1883. She married Alex Milne a few years previous to their coming to Bemidji. 7694

Census: • 1860 Census: Plymouth, Richland, Ohio. Age 9, b OH. 7695

- 1880 Census: Pleasant, Pottawatamie Iowa. Age 29, b OH. Father b NY; mother b OH. ⁷⁶⁸⁶
- 1885 Territorial Census: Charles Mix County, South Dakota. Age 34, b OH. Enumerated as "Mother." Head of household; no husband present. Seven children in household. 7687
- 1900 Census: Bemidji, Beltrami, Minnesota. Age 51, b Apr 1851, OH. Father b NY; mother b OH. Married 13 years. Mother of 5 children, 3 living. ⁷⁶⁹³

1 Child...

i. Walter Earle (1884-)

252. Aaron MILLS¹⁷⁵ (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶,



Arvilla E.

William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 17 Jun 1837, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada Death: 15 Aug 1838, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194. Margaret Ann NELSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

253. Reuben MILLS (*Margaret Ann NELSON*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: 11 Apr 1839, Mosa Township, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada^{50,175,341}

Naturalization: 4 Nov 1876, St. Clair County, Michigan³⁴¹⁷

Memo: Liber No 1, page 420

Death: 24 Jan 1921, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan 1140

Burial: 27 Jan 1921, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan 340,7079

Father: Barnabas MILLS^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880)

Mother: 194. Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Occupation: Farmer; Lumberman; foreman sawmill^{1143,1146,1151}

- Came to Michigan in 1854, according to 1894 Michigan Census. 1151
- Reuben Mills, a brother of the late Nelson and Barney Mills, holds a prominent place in the history of Marysville, both because of his sturdy and upright citizenship and his substantial connection with the lumbering interests of this part of the state. He was born in Wardsville, the Dominion of Canada, on April 11, 1839, the son of Barney and Margarette Ann (Hamilton) Mills.

As a boy Reuben Mills attended the school in Wardsville, Canada, during the short winter season, and at the Mills school in Marysville after he had come to this place at the age of nineteen [1858]. From the age of nine until he was thirteen Reuben lived at home, and then went to work by the month on a neighboring farm. After six years he came to Michigan, and here for one year was engaged in farm work for his brother. He then started in the lumber business, and in a single summer at running a shingle and lathe mill, and receiving pay by the thousand, he made the sum of four hundred dollars, a very remarkable amount for a boy of those days. Soon after this venture he found his way to the lumber woods, and there worked for some time, driving logs by way of Elk creek and Black river. Following that he worked in the Reeves, Williams and Mills saw mill, soon becoming foreman and an overseer of logging camps, a calling which he followed for thirty-five years. He invested in four hundred acres of farm land in Sanilac county, Michigan, and it has been so well improved under Mr. Mills'

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management that it is now practically all under cultivation.

At the age of twenty-one Mr. Mills was united in marriage to Miss Corinthia Wright, of Marysville, Michigan. She died, leaving four children, Etta, Prudence Edith, Arlington, and Herbert R. Etta became the wife of John A. Rowe, a Methodist Episcopal minister, now the pastor of a church at Napoleon, Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Rowe have five children. Prudence Mills married Frank Geel, a farmer, and is now the mother of one child. Arlington Mills passed away in his twenty-first year, and his brother Herbert died at the age of seventeen.

Politically Mr. Mills is a thorough going Republican, and had the honor to start his allegiance to that party by casting his first vote for Abraham Lincoln as president. He was a member of the school board of his district for forty years without a single break until his resignation on last July. Since his seventeenth year he has been a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, the greater part of the time being also an office holder in the church.

In 1898 Mr. Mills was again married, his bride being Mrs. Addie M. Davis, of Marysville. It is interesting to record that in the days when Mr. Mills was a sturdy driver of logs for his brother he once, during a summer in the early sixties, cleared five thousand dollars in a single season.⁵⁰

- Received 1/26th of the 1/4 share of the assets of said co-partnership belonging to the Barney Mills estate. 1155
- REUBEN MILLS: AGED PIONEER PASSES AWAY

Was One of the First in Developing Lumber Tracts in This Part of State

Marysville, Jan. 24 – Reuben Mills, pioneer resident of Marysville and one of the first developers of the lumber industry in this part of the state, died Sunday night at 12 o'clock at his Marysville home, after a lingering illness of one year's duration. Heart trouble was the direct cause of death.

Mr. Mills, who had reached the age of 82 years had been in failing health for some time, and his death last night was not unexpected.

The death of Mr. Mills removes one of the last of the few surviving pioneers whose lives were given over to the development of this section of Michigan, and whose early life were filled with hardships of the lumber camps and log running which featured the early history of St. Clair county and vicinity.³⁴³

Census: • 1842 Census: Mosa Township, London District, Ontario. 1615

- 1851 Census: Mosa township. Age 14.4,1647,2377
- 1860 Census: Vicksburg, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 19, sawyer, b Canada. Living with brother, Nelson Mills. 1662

- 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 31, lumberman, \$1,000; \$0, b Canada. 1688
- 1880 Census: Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 41, b Canada. 1717
- 1894 Michigan Census: Port Huron Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 53, b Canada. Foreman sawmill. Father b Scotland; mother b OH. 1151
- 1900 Census: St. Clair Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 61, b Mar 1839, Canada (W). Farmer. Parents b Scotland. 4630
- 1910 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 70, b Canada. Farmer. Parents b Scotch. 5482

Spouse: Mary Corinthia WRIGHT (9 Jul 1849-19 Sep 1887)

Birth: 9 Jul 1849, Ohio¹¹⁴⁶

Death: 19 Sep 1887, Marysville?, St. Clair, Michigan^{341,1440}

Burial: Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan 340,7079

Father: Almon D. WRIGHT¹⁶⁵¹ (abt 1830-27 Apr 1862)
Mother: Mary Melissa WILLIAMS (1 Jun 1830-1 Jun 1913)

Marriage: 11 Mar 1866, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan^{50,1140,1143,4705}

Census: • 1850 Census: Deerfield, Portage, Ohio. Age 1, b OH. 1617

- 1860 Census: Kenockee, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 11, b OH. 1651
- 1870 Census: Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 21, b OH. 1688
- 1880 Census: Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 30, b OH. 1717
- 1884 Michigan Census: Port Huron Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 33, b OH. Parents b OH. 1146

4 Children...

- i. **Ethelyn** (1867-1949)
- ii. **Prudence Edith** (1869-1913)
- iii. Arlington (Died young) (1870-1895)
- iv. **Herbert R.** (Died young) (1874-1892)

Spouse: Ada Madeline CAREY^{1135,8040} (15 Nov 1853-

24 Mar 1926)

Birth: 15 Nov 1853, Clayton, Jefferson, New

York^{8040,8039}

Death: 24 Mar 1926, Marysville, St. Clair,

Michigan^{8039,8040}

Burial: Woodland Cemetery, Port Huron, St. Clair,

Michigan⁸⁰³⁹

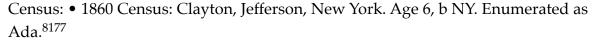
Father: **James CAREY**^{1143,8039} (1813-1893)

Mother: **Sarah LAMPHERE**^{1143,8040} (1817-1896)

Nickname: Addie⁸⁰⁴⁰

Residence: of Marysville¹⁴⁴⁰

Marriage: 29 Nov 1897, Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan^{1140,1142,1143}



• 1880 Census: Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 22, b NY. Parents b NY. 4631

• 1900 Census: St. Clair Township, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 46, b Nov 1853, NY. Mother of 2 living children. Parents b NY. 4630

Ada Madeline

• 1910 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 54, b NY. Parents b NY. Mother of 3 children, 2 living. 5482

No Children

254. Abraham MILLS¹⁷⁵ (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 27 Mar 1841, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada Death: 31 Aug 1842, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194.** Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

255. Sarah MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 11 Aug 1843, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada¹⁷⁵

Immigration: 1847⁴⁶⁵³

Memo: 43 years in the US

Death: 30 Aug 1924, Alpena, Alpena, Michigan⁷⁵⁹⁴

Burial: 2 Sep 1924, Evergreen Cemetery, Alpena, Alpena, Michigan⁷⁵⁹⁴

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194. Margaret Ann NELSON**⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Residence: of New York⁴⁴³³

Nickname: Sally

- Received 1/26th of the 1/4 share of the assets of said co-partnership belonging to the Barney Mills estate. 1155
- Date of Birth given as June 9th; age at death: 81 years, 2 months, 21 days. Birthplace: Canada. Parents given as Barney Mills, b Nova Scotia, and Mary Hamilton, b Nova Scotia. 7594

Census: • 1851 Mosa Twp. Census: age 8.4,1647,2377

- 1860 Census: Vicksburg P. O., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 16, b Canada. Living with brother, Nelson Mills. 1662
- 1880 Census: Toledo, Lucas, Ohio. Age 37, b Canada. Widow. Father b NY; mother b CT [probable enumerator error]. Living in household of Maro Wheeler. 5136
- 1900 Census: Manhattan, New York, New York. Age 55, b Jun 1844, Canada (Eng). Widow; married 29 years prior. Boarder. Father b Canada (Eng); mother b Ireland. Listed as Sarah Conger. 4653
- 1920 Census: Zion, Lake, Illinois. Age 75, b Canada. Widow. Domestic. Father b Canada; mother b Scotland. Resident in Zion Home on Elijah Avenue. [Note presence of her niece, Margaret Barron, living also in Zion. 5134,5138]

Research: • Could not find in 1910; Ancestry.com, 13 Mar 2006 & 19 Feb 2022

Spouse: Hon. James Lockwood CONGER (18 Feb 1805-10 Apr 1876)

Birth: 18 Feb 1805, Rockaway, Morris, New Jersey^{702,2341}

Memo: Rockaway birth place due to marriage place of his parents

Removal: 1809, Canandaigua, Ontario, New York²³⁴³

Memo: with his parents

Removal: 1822, Lancaster, Fairfield, Ohio²³⁴³
 Removal: 1826, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio²³⁴³
 Removal: 1837, Macomb County, Michigan²³⁴³

Removal: abt 1847, Belvedere, Charlevoix, Michigan⁴¹⁶⁹ Removal: 1850, Mt. Clemens, Macomb, Michigan²³⁴³

Death: 10 Apr 1876, St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan^{702,2343,4169}

Burial: abt 15 Apr 1876, Green Lawn Cemetery, Columbus, Franklin, Ohio^{2343,3148}

Father: David Beeman CONGER²³⁴¹ (8 Oct 1779-abt 1839)

Mother: Hannah Ferrin LOCKWOOD²³⁴¹

Occupation: Lawyer⁴²⁵⁸

Marriage: 6 Jul 1868, St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan^{702,1155,7691}

• [excerpts] Previous to coming to Michigan he lived in Ohio (Cleveland we believe) where he had attained great prominence at the bar, being regarded as one of the ablest criminal lawyers in that state. He came to Michigan in about 1839, and bought a large tract of land in Macomb County, at the mouth of the Clinton River, where he went into business. He erected saw mills, and laid out a city known as Belvedere. The investment was not a successful one and Mr. Conger sank a large fortune in the enterprise.

He was an ardent Whig, and in 1850 was elected to Congress from the Third District, which then composed the counties of Macomb, St. Clair,...etc.

He leaves a widow, (a sister of Mr. Nelson Mills of Marysville) and a son and daughter by a former wife. ⁷⁰²

- CONGER, James Lockwood, a representative from Michigan; born in Trenton, N.J., February 18, 1805; moved to New York in 1809 with his parents, who settled in Canandaigua, Ontario County; attended the district schools and Canandaigua Academy; studied medicine; moved to Lancaster, Ohio, in 1822; taught school for several years; studied law; was admitted to the bar in 1825 and commenced practice in Lancaster, Ohio; moved to Cleveland, Ohio, and continued the practice of law from 1826 to 1837, when he moved to Macomb County, Mich., and laid out the town of Belvedere; engaged in banking and mercantile pursuits until 1850; moved to Mount Clemens, Mich.; elected as a Whig to the Thirty-second Congress (March 4, 1851-March 3, 1853); declined to be a candidate for renomination in 1852; resumed his former business pursuits; owing to ill health retired from active business pursuits; died in St. Clair, St. Clair County, Mich., April 10, 1876; interment in Green Lawn Cemetery, Columbus, Ohio.²³⁴³
- Very little has been preserved of the Cleveland life of James Lockwood Conger, a lawyer residing in the city between 1826 and 1840, save through a package of old letters written by Mrs. Conger to her only sister, Mrs. Erwina Miner of Centerville, Fairfield Co., Ohio. James L. Conger, b. in Trenton, N. J., was the son of David and Hannah Lockwood Conger, who later lived in Phelps, N. Y. He received his general education in that locality and studied law with Judge Ewing of Ohio. 4169
- Some time after the panic of 1837, that was the cause of scattering many of the numerous Cleveland lawyers and doctors to all points of the compass, James L. Conger removed to Belvedere, Mich., where in 1847, after four years of battling with

tuberculosis, Mrs. Conger died, aged forty-one. Mr. Conger married again, but there is no record furnished of this union. He became a prominent man of that community and at one time represented it in the lower house of Congress in Washington. 4169

Census: • 1840 Census: Harrison Township, Macomb, Michigan. 0001110001/001001. Listed as J. L. Conger. 4654

• 1860 Census: St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan. Age 58, b NJ. Lawyer. \$15,000; \$1000. No wife present; 3 domestics in household. 5135

No Children

256. James Lumley MILLS⁴⁴⁰² (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 6 Jun 1845, Mosa Township?, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada¹⁷⁵

Birth: 11 Aug 1845, Canada⁴⁴³³

Removal: 1868, Toledo, Lucas, Ohio⁴⁴³³

Naturalization: 15 Feb 1870, St. Clair County, Michigan³⁴¹⁷

Memo: Liber No 1, page 253

Removal: 1874, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio⁴⁴³³

Removal: 1878, Colorado⁴⁴³³

Removal: 1879, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington⁴⁴³³

Will: 21 May 1921, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington⁴⁴³⁹ Death: 26 Feb 1924, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington⁴⁴⁴⁰

Memo: died Tuesday evening

Death: 25 Feb 1924, Kittitas County, Washington⁴³⁸¹

Burial: Thorp Cemetery, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington^{4381,4446}
Father: Barnabas MILLS^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880)
Mother: 194. Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

Occupation: lumberman³⁴⁷³

Residence: "of Washington" 343,1140

- "now residing in Washington territory." ¹⁷⁶
- "There are thirteen families of Barney Mills kindred of which the heads of six are still living. Two near Chatham, Ontario, one in Washington state,...¹¹³⁹
- [excerpts] James L. Mills, a lumber manufacturer in Thorp, Washington, has been engaged in the milling business since a boy.

Mr. Mills was educated in Canada and Michigan and is graduated from a commercial

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school in Detroit. When a boy he started to work in the lumber mills, and in 1868 he took charge of a lumber yard in Toledo, Ohio, for his brother. In 1874 the business was moved to Cleveland, and he continued in charge until 1878, when he went to Colorado for his health. In 1879 he came to Thorp, bought out a homestead and pre-empted the land, and that fall started work on a water ditch for his mill. He commenced to operate the mill in 1880. He bought the J. E. Bates farm in 1884, and later secured one hundred and sixty acres of railroad land, all of which he has under cultivation.

The husband and wife are Good Templars and members of the Methodist church. Mr. Mills is a leader in the church work, is one of the trustees, and has been superintendent of the Sunday school for a number of years. He is an honest, upright and industrious man. His property holdings include three hundred and twenty acres of land, besides the sawmill and site. 4433

- The James Mills sawmill in Thorp was one of the first sawmills in the valley. The machinery for the mill was freighted into Kittitas over the Squaw Creek Trail from The Dalles. Many of the early homes were built from lumber cut at this mill. Mr. Mills built a small ditch from the Yakima to the mill pond and to operate the light plant. In 1879 mail and messages were left by this headgate for there was no station in Thorp. Many old letters and records are kept that tell the story of the mill. A water right was sold to Horace Hutchinson so he would have water for his flour mill. A marker is at the head of the mill ditch. On the marker is the date 1879. 4434
- One mill of which we do have some knowledge was also one of the most picturesque old mills in Kittitas. The James E. Mills sawmill in Thorp. Built in 1879, it seems to have supplied lumber to most of the farmers and builders in the country. There are many old letters, papers and records that give reliable historical data.

A letter written by Mr. Nelson Mills [James' son] reads thus:

"James L. Mills walked most of the way in to Kittitas over the old trail from Puget Sound in 1878. In 1879 and 1880, he dug the mill race and built the sawmill. The water wheel and machinery were brought up from the Dalles by teams and wagons. Later, he sold a part interest in the water to Horace Hutchinson who built the North Star Flouring Mill. In 1902, the sawmill was under the name of J. L. Mills and Son. In 1906, we put in an electric light plant.

"During the next 30 years, the old water wheel turned logs into lumber by day in the mill, and drove the dynamo by night that turned darkness to light for the town of Thorp. The old sawmill and light plant are on Mills' land and still in the Mills family."

• Lumber from that mill has always been considered the best in Kittitas; the matched

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flooring, ceiling, siding was perfect. Many pioneer builders said it was the best he had ever used. "So-called matched boards couldn't be driven together with a sledge hammer."

"Lumber from Mills fits; it goes together with a tap of a hammer."

Commenting on this reputation, Mr. Nelson Mills said, "No wonder, I have seen him [Mr. James Mills], file and fit the bits of matched boards; if not perfect, he would try again for half an hour. When he had everything right, you knew the matched lumber would be perfect." 4435

- Received 1/26th of the 1/4 share of the assets of said co-partnership belonging to the Barney Mills estate. 1155
- James L. Mills, a pioneer resident of Thorp for the past 48 years, died Tuesday evening at this home in that city. The deceased was 80 years of age and has conducted a mill there with his son, Nelson, for some time.

As a resident of Thorp for the greater part of his life, Mr. Mills had made a vast number of friends who mourn his passing. Besides his son Nelson he also leaves a daughter, Mrs. Ada Beal, residing at College Place near Walla Walla. His wife died some two years ago. The body was taken to the Honeycutt parlors to remain until funeral arrangements were made.

The passing of Mr. Mills thins still further the list of Kittitas valley pioneers. 4440

• From my records, the "L" in James L. Mills is LUMNEY. 4446 I do not know if Lumney was a family name.

[reply]: Likely is was "Lumley." James L. Mills' aunt was Eleanor Hamilton Nelson (his mother's sister) who married James Lumley. 4402

Census: • 1851 Census: Mosa Township; age 6.4,1647,2377

- 1861 Census: Mosa Township; born U. C., Wesleyan Methodist, age 16.4,1675
- \bullet 1870 Census: Toledo, Lucas, Ohio. Age 24, b MI [sic]. Book keeper. Living in household of Sewell Wittlesey. 4646
- 1880 Census: West Kittitas, Yakima, Washington. Age 34, b Canada, lumberman. 3473
- 1887 Territorial Census: Kittitas County, Washington. Age 42, b Canada. Farmer. 4438
- 1889 Territorial Census: Kittitas County, Washington. Age 41, b Canada. Lumberman. 4438
- 1900 Census: West Kittitas, Kittitas, Washington. [unclear]: b Aug 1846, age 54, b Canada (Eng.). Saw miller. Father b Canada; mother b Ireland. 4387
- 1910 Census: West Kittitas, Kittitas, Washington. Age 64, b Canada English. Parents b Canada English. Married 30 years. Naturalized, 1872. 8009

• 1920 Census: West Kittitas, Kittitas, Washington. Age 74, b Canada, farmer. 3629

General: • ...the Thorp area...often referred to as West Kittitas. 4414

Spouse: **Marie Lydia CANNON**⁴³⁸¹ (15 Jun 1850-22 Feb 1922)

Birth: 15 Jun 1850, Solon Twp, Cuyahoga, Ohio^{4397,4433} Will: 21 May 1921, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington⁴⁴³⁹

Death: 22 Feb 1922, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington^{4385,4397,4441}
Burial: Thorp Cemetery, Thorp, Kittitas, Washington⁴⁴⁴⁶
Father: James Henry CANNON (11 Nov 1821-4 Jul 1900)
Mother: Lydia Gamwell BABCOCK (5 Oct 1827-3 Mar 1915)

Marriage: 1877, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio^{4387,4433}

Memo: married 23 years in 1900

• She is highly educated, and taught school previous to her marriage. 4433

• Mrs. Marie L. Mills, 71, died at 10:30 last evening at the family residence at Thorp after a long illness. She was the wife of James L. Mills and mother of Nelson Mills of Ellensburg and Mrs. Ada Beal of Walla Walla.

Mrs. Mills was born in Ohio June 15, 1850. In 1877 she was married to James L. Mills, and with him came to Thorp in 1879, where he bought a homestead, pre-empted the land and established a lumber mill. He commenced to operate the mill in 1880.

Funeral services have not yet been arranged. The body is at Bridgham's mortuary. 4441

Census: • 1870 Census: Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio. Age 20, b OH. At home, with her parents. 4647

- 1880 Census: West Kittitas, Yakima, Washington. Age 30, b Ohio. Both parents born in Massachusetts. 3473
- 1887 Territorial Census: Kittitas County, Washington. Age 34, b OH. 4438
- 1889 Territorial Census: Kittitas County, Washington. Age 38, b OH. 4438
- 1900 Census: West Kittitas, Kittitas, Washington. [unclear] Born Aug 1850(?), age 50, b OH. Parents b MA. Mother of 4 children, 2 living. 4387
- 1910 Census: West Kittitas, Kittitas, Washington. Age 59, b OH. Married once, 30 years. Mother of 4 children, 2 living. Parents b MA.⁸⁰⁰⁹
- 1920 Census: West Kittitas, Kittitas, Washington. Age 68, b OH. 3629

4 Children...

- i. **Nelson Gamwell** (1881-1956)
- ii. James Harlan (Died as Child) (1882-1888)

iii. Ada Violet (1885-1974)

iv. Paul Lumley (Died as Child) (1890-1893)

257. Diana MILLS (Margaret Ann NELSON⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: 10 Mar 1847, Wardsville, Mosa Township, Middlesex, Ontario, Canada⁵

Immigration: 1892, United States⁴⁷⁰³

Death: 1 Feb 1905, Chicago, Cook, Illinois⁷⁶⁸⁹

Death: bef 15 Sep 1909¹¹⁵⁵

Father: **Barnabas MILLS**^{1818,1821} (26 Feb 1801-24 Apr 1880) Mother: **194.** Margaret Ann NELSON⁸³⁶⁹ (1803-30 Jul 1852)

- Nevertheless, it is possible that she was born at Thamesville as the register states, but the writer suspects that "Thamesville" was written by someone in error for "Wardsville"; both places are on the Thames River and they are only 15 miles apart.⁵
- Beers-Kent shows Diana Mills' husband as Flavis GILLETT. 1115
- The daughter Diana does not appear here [1861 Mosa census]. It is quite unlikely that she was married when this census was taken, since she would then have been only about 14 years old; perhaps she had gone to the United States to live with one or other of her siblings who were resident there at the time.⁴ [Yes, living with brother, Nelson.¹⁶⁶²]

Census: • 1851 Census: Mosa Township. Age 4.4,1647,2377

- 1860 Census: Vicksburg P. O., St. Clair, Michigan. Age 12, b Canada. Living with brother, Nelson Mills. 1662
- 1871 Canada Census: Dover, Essex, Ontario. Age 21, b Ontario, Baptist.⁵
- 1881 Canada Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 33, b ON. Church of England. Name given as Diannah. 4265
- \bullet 1891 Canada Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 43, Father b Ireland; mother b U.S. 8084
- 1900 Census: Chicago, Cook, Illinois. Age 52, b Canada Eng. Father b Nova Scotia; mother b Canada Eng. Mother of 7 children, 2 living. 4703

Spouse: Flavius Josephus GILLETT (Mar 1842-24 Mar 1918)
Birth: Mar 1842, Windham, Norfolk, Ontario, Canada^{788,4703}

Immigration: 1892, United States⁴⁷⁰³

Death: 24 Mar 1918, Chicago, Cook, Illinois^{6741,8082}

Burial: 25 Mar 1918, Chatham, Kent, Ontario, Canada⁶⁷⁴¹

Father: Lorenzo D. GILLETT⁶⁷⁴¹ (abt 1810-)

Mother: Adaline TRASK⁵⁵⁵⁶ (abt 1811-) Residence: 4153 Wilcox Avenue, Chicago⁶⁷⁴¹

Marriage: 4 Mar 1868, Kent County, Ontario, Canada^{5,788,1115}

Memo: both residents of Chatham

• Mother's name given as Adelaid Frost. 6741

Census: • 1851 Canada Census: Dover, Essex, Ontario. Age 11, b Canada Eng.⁵

- 1861 Canada Census: Dover, Essex, Ontario. Age 19, b U. Canada.⁵
- 1871 Canada Census: Dover, Essex, Ontario. Age 29, b Ontario, mechanic, Methodist.⁵
- 1881 Canada Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 38, b ON. Grocer. Church of England. Enumerated as F. Josephus. 4265
- 1891 Canada Census: Chatham, Kent, Ontario. Age 49, b ON. Difficult to read. 8084
- 1900 Census: Chicago, Cook, Illinois. Age 58, b Canada Eng. Father b Canada Eng; mother b NY. 4703
- 1910 Census: Chicago, Cook, Illinois. Age 68, b Canada Eng. Widower. Parents b Canada Eng. Alien; 1888 Immigration Year. Father in household of his son, Edwin. Enumerated as Florena J Gillet.⁶⁷⁴²

2 Children...

- i. **Edwin R.** (1869-1926)
- ii. **Herbert Mills** (1881-1958)

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258. John W. NELSON⁶⁸¹⁸ (David⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1837⁶⁸¹⁹

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)

Mother: Esther GARRARD (abt 1817-1855)

Census: • 1840 Census: Palmyra, Portage, Ohio. 2000120000000 / 0000100000000.8091

- 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 13.⁶⁸¹⁹
- 1860 Census: Auburn, Geauga, Ohio. Age 23.6820

259. Francis J. Thomas NELSON⁶⁸¹⁸ (David⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1839⁶⁸¹⁹

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)

Mother: Esther GARRARD (abt 1817-1855)

Census: • 1840 Census: Palmyra, Portage, Ohio. 2000120000000/0000100000000.8091

• 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 11.6819

260. David C. NELSON⁶⁸¹⁸ (*David*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: abt 1841⁶⁸¹⁹ Death: 1901⁶⁸²²

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)
Mother: **Esther GARRARD** (abt 1817-1855)

Census: • 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 9.6819

Spouse: **Maria Eliza TAYLOR**⁷⁴⁸⁶ (1842-1912)

Birth: 1842 Death: 1912

Marriage: 24 Feb 1865, Elkhart, Elkhart, Indiana⁷⁴⁸⁶

Family Notes: • 5 children. 7486

261. Wallace NELSON⁶⁸¹⁸ (David⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1844⁶⁸¹⁹

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)
Mother: **Esther GARRARD** (abt 1817-1855)

Census: • 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 6.6819

262. Mary Elizabeth NELSON⁶⁸¹⁸ (David⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1846⁶⁸¹⁹ Death: 1896⁶⁸²²

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)
Mother: **Esther GARRARD** (abt 1817-1855)

Census: • 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 4.6819

• 1860 Census: Auburn, Geauga, Ohio. Age 14.6820

263. George W. NELSON⁶⁸¹⁸ (*David*⁸, *Elizabeth HAMILTON*⁷, *Hans/Hants*⁶, *William*⁵, *John*⁴, *James*³, *Gawin*², *Hans*¹)

Birth: abt 1848⁶⁸¹⁹ Death: 1890⁶⁸²²

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)

Mother: **Esther GARRARD** (abt 1817-1855)

Census: • 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 2.6819

• 1860 Census: Auburn, Geauga, Ohio. Age 12.6820

264. Emma Jane NELSON ($David^8$, $Elizabeth HAMILTON^7$, $Hans/Hants^6$, $William^5$, $John^4$, $James^3$, $Gawin^2$, $Hans^1$)

Birth: Jan 1850⁶⁸¹⁷ Death: 1932⁶⁸²²

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)

Mother: Esther GARRARD (abt 1817-1855)

• Emma and Edgar Wellington were both dead when I was born; I never had the pleasure of their company. No history, stories or tales of the families.⁶⁸¹⁷

Census: • 1850 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 0.6819

Spouse: Edgar Wellington MARTIN⁶⁸¹⁷ (1848-1939)

Birth: 1848⁶⁸²³ Death: 1939⁶⁸²³

Father: **John MARTIN**⁶⁸²³
Mother: **Sarah CONNOR**⁶⁸²³

Marriage: 1871⁶⁸¹⁷

2 Children...

i. Luella (1872-)

ii. Edgar Earl (1887-1967)

Family Notes: • 2 children.⁶⁸¹⁷

Family of David NELSON (195) & Jane

265. Lydia NELSON (David⁸, Elizabeth HAMILTON⁷, Hans/Hants⁶, William⁵, John⁴, James³, Gawin², Hans¹)

Birth: abt 1853⁶⁸²⁰

Father: **195. David NELSON** (1808-30 Jun 1872)

Mother: **Jane** (abt 1826-)

• 1870 Census: Mantua, Portage, Ohio. Age 17.6821

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- 84. Descendants of Thomas Harrison of Rillington, Yorkshire, England, Submitter: from Bob Harrison of Edmonton, Alberta, Date: received 5 Jan 1997, Image Restored: 11 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Bent; Bradley; Mills; Decow; Hodgson; Lumley; Meade. Files (5): 84.1.jpg, 84.02.jpeg, 84.07.jpeg, 84.08.jpeg, 84.27.jpeg
- 103. Lumley-Johnston Bible Record, Submitter: as submitted by Mrs. Walter P. Bruer, Publisher: Detroit Society for Genealogical Research Magazine, Vol. III, pages 165-66, Date: May 1840, Date: received 24 Jul 1992 from Carol Holstine, Other surname(s): Nelson.
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 - She relates a statement from a Mrs. David Anderson, a descendant of Eleanor Nelson Lumley, from a Bible source submitted by Mrs. Walter Breuer, appearing in the May, 1940 edition of the Detroit Society for Genealogical Research magazine. Carol Holstine adds that she has not corroborated the statement.

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- **114.** Letter from Allan C. Dunlop, Associate Provincial Archivist, Public Archives of Nova Scotia, Halifax, Date: 16 Aug 1988, Other surname(s): Innis; Mills.
 - · the first authoritative indication of the name of the father of Barnabas Mills, to be

Peter, not Daniel, as indicated in Source #1.

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 - Gives Barnabas's parents as Daniel Mills and wife
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- **180. Handwritten cover of penmanship book,** Author: by Nelson Mills, Date: 10 Oct 1845, Mosa, London District, Ontario, Canada, Document Location: Mills Library. File: 180.jpg
- 340. Lakeside Cemetery Records, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan, Submitter: Cemetery computer browse by name of buried, Date: June 1989, URL: https://porthuron.org/government/departments/city_clerk/cemetery/index.php, Other surname(s): Cameron; Griffith; Mann; Mills; Williams; Wright. Files (6): 340.1.jpg, 340.2.jpg, 340.3.jpg, 340.4.jpg, 340.5.jpg, 340.6.png
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- **343. Reuben Mills: Aged Pioneer Passes Away,** Publisher: *Port Huron Times-Herald,* Date: 24 Jan 1921, Submitter: received from Helen Whiting, Marysville, MI, 10 Dec 1987, Document Location: genealogy safekeeping file folder. File: 343.jpg
- **344.** Pedigree Chart of Mary Elizabeth Mills, b 1894, Author: prepared by herself, Submitter: forwarded by St. Clair County Family History Group, Other surname(s):

- Mann; Whittlesey; Teeple; Nelson; Rathbone. File: 344.jpg
- **425. Descendants of Frederick Arnold & Martha Schauer,** Submitter: from Bert Wees of Chatham, Ontario, Image Restored: 28 Sep 2024, Other surname(s): *Schauer.* Files (3): 425.1.jpg, 425.2.jpg, 425.3.jpg
- **426. Pedigree Chart from Samuel Eli Arnold,** Submitter: as modified by Bert Wees, Date: received 29 Sep 1989, Other surname(s): *Sherman; Snider.* Files (2): 426.1.jpg, 426.2.jpg
- **427. Descendants of Lewis L. Arnold,** Submitter: as modified by Bert Wees, Date: received 29 Sep 1989, Other surname(s): *White; Bolton; Chatterson; Drew; Gillies; Iler; Chapman; Leitch; McCreery.*
 - Files (4): 427.1.jpg, 427.2.jpg, 427.3.jpg, 427.4.jpg
- **544. Letter written by Myron Mills,** Date: 16 May 1932, Document Location: Marysville Historical Museum, June 1989, Other surname(s): *Ward.* File: 544.jpg
- 702. Death of Hon. James L. Conger, Publisher: *Port Huron Times*, Port Huron, Michigan, Date: 13 Apr 1876, Page(s): page 4, Submitter: received from Helen Whiting, 29 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Mills*.

 File: 702.jpg
- **788.** Marriage Registers, Kent County, Ontario, Canada, Date: 1857 1869, Submitter: Reference 95:09, Document Location: North York Public Library, Toronto, Date: 9 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Gillett; Mills; Trask*. Files (2): 788.Index.jpg, 788.1.jpg
- **837. FGR of John Harrison & Charlotte Mills,** Author: as modified by Carol Lumley Holstine, Date: received 22 Apr 1993, Image Restored: 11 Oct 2024. File: 837.jpeg
- **840. Genealogy of Harrisons of Nova Scotia,** Author: from Ernest Coates of Nova Scotia, Date: received 22 Apr 1993 from Carol Lumley Holstine, Image Restored: 11 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Bent; Vose; Brown; Cannon; Coates; Lumley; Hoeg; Lodge; Mills; Pugsley.*
 - Files (6): 840.1.jpeg, 840.2.jpeg, 840.3.jpeg, 840.4.jpeg, 840.5.jpeg, 840.6.jpeg
- **859. Cumberland County Families,** Author: by Ernest E. Coates, Publisher: *The Citizen [Nova Scotia]*, Date: 11 Apr 1981, Date: received from Carol Lumley Holstine, 22 Apr 1993, Image Restored: 11 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Lumley; Harrison; Nelson*. Files (3): 859.1.jpeg, 859.2.jpeg, 859.3.jpeg
- **977.** Plans & Transcriptions of Lumley Cemeteries (2), Dunwich Township, Elgin County, Concession 9, Lot C, Submitter: West Elgin Genealogical and Historical Society, Date: June 26, 1982, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024.
 - This cemetery is a small family cemetery. It is in a very poor state as all the stones are broken and are lying on the ground.

Files (8): 977.1.jpeg, 977.2.jpeg, 977.3.jpeg, 977.4.jpeg, 977.5.jpeg, 977.6.jpeg, 977.7.jpeg, 977.8.jpeg

978. Records of the Lumleys, Author: by C. C. Lumley, Publisher: The Municipal World, St. Thomas, Ontario, Date: 1908, Submitter: also received transcription of pages 69-70 from R. A. Jones, 8 Jul 1991, Document Location: full book in Mills Library, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Nelson.
Files (4): 978.Title.jpg, 978.16.jpeg, 978.55.jpeg, 978.56.jpeg

979. Letter from Bill Dennison, Denver, CO, Date: received 21 Jan 1992, Other surname(s): *Harrison; Lumley.*

Files (2): 979.1.jpg, 979.2.jpg

- **980.** The Lumley Family (1730-1990), Submitter: received 24 Jul 1992 from Carol Lumley Holstine of Fenton, Michigan, Other surname(s): *Nelson.* Files (2): 980.1.jpg, 980.2.jpg
- **981. Descendants of James Lumley & Eleanor H. Nelson,** Submitter: received 24 Jul 1992 from Carol Lumley Holstine of Fenton, Michigan, Other surname(s): *Nelson.* File: 981.jpg
- **982.** Lumley Cemetery readings, contributed by Mona & Ray Read, Submitter: received 24 Jul 1992 from Carol Lumley Holstine of Fenton, Michigan, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Nelson*. File: 982.jpeg
- **983. FGR of Enoch Lumley & Margaret L. Crawford,** Author: as modified by Carol Lumley Holstine, Date: received 22 Feb 1993, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024. File: 983.jpeg
- **1087. Mills Family History Information,** Submitter: from Michael Mills, Hinesburg, VT, Date: received 6 Sep 1988, Other surname(s): *Ennis.*Files (3): 1087.1.jpg, 1087.2.jpg, 1087.3.jpg
- 1090. Biographical Sketches of Cumberland, Submitter: received 4 Sep 1990 from Marion Kyle, Publisher: unknown newspaper, Parrsboro, NS, Image Restored: 19 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Read; Hoeg; Blenkhorn; Harrison; Ryan; Lumley; Innis; Brown; Coates; Wood; Daniels; Hood.
 Files (2): 1090.1.jpeg, 1090.2.jpeg
- **1096.** Letter from Joyce Harrison, Springhill, Nova Scotia, Date: received 18 Aug 1990, Image Restored: 16 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Innis; Ennis.* Files (3): 1096.1.jpg, 1096.2.jpg, 1096.3.jpg
- 1102. Letter from Joan Abele Griffin, Author: Corresponding Secretary, Kent County Branch, Ontario Genealogical Society, Date: received 1 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 19 Oct 2024.
 Includes reference books for Mills, Hamilton, Nelson families
 File: 1102.jpeg
- **1110.** Rise of a Township: Mosa, Author: by Arnold Nethercott, Publisher: Families, quarterly publication of Ontario Genealogical Society, Vol. 26, Number 3, Page(s): page 160 et

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seq., Date: August 1987, Document Location: London Branch, OGS, 6 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Mills.*

Files (6): 1110.Cover.jpg, 1110.160.161.jpg, 1110.162.163.jpg, 1110.164.165.jpg, 1110.166.167.jpg, 1110.168.169.jpg

1111. Middlesex County (Ontario) Patents, Town of Mosa, Submitter: landholder: Barnabas Mills; 1st Range South, Long Woods Road, Date: 1847, Document Location: SL film #162123.

File: 1111.jpg

- **1112.** Letter from Dennis Kenaga, Big Rapids, MI, Date: received 27 Oct 1988. Files (2): 1112.1.jpg, 1112.2.jpg
- **1115.** Letter from Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Canada, Date: received 17 Mary 1989, Other surname(s): *Gillett.*

File: 1115.jpg

- **1116.** Letter from Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Date: received 21 Apr 1989, Other surname(s): *Arnold; Mills*.
 - From Middlesex County Marriage Register, 1849-1869

File: 1116.jpg

- 1117. Marriage Record of Hamilton Mills & Janet McCallum, Submitter: Index to Kent County Marriages, Vol. 23, 1857-1869, Date: 30 Jan 1866, Submitter: also received July 1991 from Robert Jones of Kingston, Ontario, Document Location: North York Public Library, Toronto, Image Restored: 19 Oct 2024.
 - Files (4): 1117.1.jpg, 1117.2.jpg, 1117.3.jpg, 1117.4.jpg
- **1118. Penmanship Book of Nelson Mills,** Mosa Township, Ontario, Canada, Date: abt 1840, Document Location: Mills Library.

File: 1118.jpg

- **1119. Ancestors of Bert Oliver Wees, b 1925,** Submitter: prepared by Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Date: received Feb 1989, Other surname(s): *Arnold.* Files (2): 1119.1.jpg, 1119.2.jpg
- **1120. FGR of Samuel Eli Arnold & Margaret Ann Mills,** Submitter: from Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Date: 20 Feb 1989, Image Restored: 28 Sep 2024. File: 1120.jpg
- **1121. FGR of David Lewis Arnold & Mary Mills,** Author: as modified by Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Date: 20 Feb 1989, Image Restored: 28 Sep 2024, Other surname(s): Bakewell; Bolton; McLean; Oldershaw.

 File: 1121.jpg
- 1124. FGR of Lewis L. Arnold & Mary Sherman, Submitter: as modified by Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Date: 20 Feb 1989, Image Restored: 28 Sep 2024, Other surname(s): Read; Mills. File: 1124.jpg
- **1127.** Late Nelson Mills, Publisher: Extract from Marine City newspaper, from Myron Williams

Mills scrapbook, Date: August, 1904.

Files (2): 1127.1.jpg, 1127.2.jpg

1128. Mills' Estate; Will of Nelson Mills Was Filed Today, Publisher: *unknown newspaper,* Date: June 1989.

File: 1128.jpg

- **1129. Auld Lang Syne Talk,** Date: 14 Jan 1941, Document Location: 3 originals in genealogy safekeeping file folder.
 - Script of an Auld Lang Syne talk given by H. A. Hopkins, Secretary-Manager, Port Huron Chamber of Commerce and St. Clair County Historian, over the Blue Water Station, WHLS, Tuesday evening, January 14, 1941, at 6:30 o'clock in a series paying tribute to the early builders of this beautiful lake and river district.

Files (3): 1129.1.jpg, 1129.2.jpg, 1129.3.jpg

- **1130.** Auld Lang Syne Talk, Date: 18 Feb 1941, Document Location: originals in genealogy safekeeping file folder.
 - Script of an Auld Lang Syne talk given by H. A. Hopkins, Secretary-Manager, Port Huron Chamber of Commerce and St. Clair County Historian, over the Blue Water Station, WHLS, Tuesday evening, February 18, 1941, at 6:15 o'clock in a series paying tribute to the early builders of this beautiful lake and river district.

Files (3): 1130.1.jpg, 1130.2.jpg, 1130.3.jpg

- **1131.** Auld Lang Syne Talk, Date: 2 May 1941, Document Location: originals in genealogy safekeeping file folder.
 - Script of an Auld Lang Syne talk given by H. A. Hopkins, Secretary-Manager, Port Huron Chamber of Commerce and St. Clair County Historian, over the Blue Water Station, WHLS, Friday, May 2, 1941, at 12:45 PM in a series paying tribute to the early builders of this beautiful lake and river district.
 - Tonight's contribution is from Myron Mills, historian, about old-time Marysville. Files (3): 1131.1.jpg, 1131.2.jpg, 1131.3.jpg
- **1132. Three Nelson Mills obituaries,** Document Location: Marysville Historical Museum, Date: 5 Jun 1989.

File: 1132.jpg

1133. Abstracts of Land Records and Estates, 1812-1909, St. Clair County, Michigan, Document Location: Marysville Historical Museum, 5 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Williams*.

Files (7): 1133.1.jpg, 1133.2.jpg, 1133.3.jpg, 1133.4.jpg, 1133.5.jpg, 1133.6.jpg, 1133.7.jpg

1135. Legal Abstracts, St. Clair County, Michigan, Document Location: Marysville Historical Museum, 5 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Williams; Mills*.

Files (2): 1135.50.jpg, 1135.51.jpg

1136. Work Record of Myron W. Mills, Author: prepared by Myron Mills, Document Location: original at Marysville Historical Museum, Marysville, MI.

File: 1136.jpg

1139. Letter from Myron Williams Mills to Detroit law firm, re: organizing a corporation to continue the business of N. & B. Mills, Date: 17 Aug 1905. Files (2): 1139.1.jpg, 1139.2.jpg

1140. Personal Notes on Descendants and Ancestors of Nelson Mills & Mary Williams, Author: unknown compiler, Document Location: Marysville Historical Museum, Date: 5 Jun 1989, Document Location: originals in genealogy safekeeping file folder, Other surname(s): Wright.

Files (2): 1140.1.jpg, 1140.2.jpg

- 1141. Supplementary Historical Materials On The Early History of Marysville Methodist Church, Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Document Location: Marysville
 - Historical Museum, Date: obtained 5 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): Rowe.
 - In June 1989, we spent the better part of the day rummaging around the basement of the Museum, and came away with copies of many documents not found elsewhere. Thank you to the museum volunteers who trusted us to be caring and wise. Files (3): 1141.1.jpg, 1141.5.jpg, 1141.6.jpg
- **1142.** Notes on Mills Marriages & Baptism, Author: compiled by DWM, Date: 7 Jun 1989, Document Location: St. Clair County Public Library, Other surname(s): *Carey.* File: 1142.jpg
- 1143. Early Marriages of St. Clair County, Submitter: compiled by St. Clair County Family History Workshop, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, Port Huron, Michigan, Other surname(s): Carey; Lamphere; McDonald; Williams.
 Files (2): 1143.Title.jpg, 1143.1.png
- 1144. Letter from Michigan Dept. of Public Health regarding death record of Barnabas Mills, Lansing, MI, Date: 6 Oct 1988, Image Restored: 19 Oct 2024.
 - Could not locate death record in Michigan.

File: 1144.jpeg

- **1145. 1884 Michigan Census,** Marysville, St. Clair county, Date: 24 Jun 1884, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Griffith*.
 - Family of Ainsley W. Griffith

Files (2): 1145.1.jpeg, 1145.2.jpeg

- **1146. 1884 Michigan Census,** Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 27 Jun 1884, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Wright.*
 - · Family of Reuben Mills

Files (2): 1146.1.jpeg, 1146.2.jpeg

- **1147. 1884 Michigan Census,** Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 28 Jun 1884, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Williams*.
 - · Family of Nelson Mills; he's listed as Lumber Dealer

File: 1147.jpeg

- **1148. 1884 Michigan Census,** Port Huron, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 11 Jun 1884, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *McCallum; Mills*.
 - Family of widow, Janet McCallum Mills.

Family of George K. Mills.

File: 1148.jpeg

- **1149. 1894 Michigan Census,** Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 25 Jun 1894, Page(s): Page 58, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 - Family of Nelson Mills

File: 1149.jpeg

1150. 1894 Michigan Census, Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 8 Jun 1894, Page(s): Page 18, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Dale; Mills*.

File: 1150.jpeg

- **1151. 1894 Michigan Census,** Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 25 Jun 1894, Page(s): Page 57, Document Location: St. Clair County Library, 7 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024. Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 - Family of Reuben Mills

File: 1151.jpeg

- **1153. Notes of Monument Readings,** Author: by David W. Mills, Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, Michigan, Date: 5 Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Williams; James; Nelson; Rowe.* Files (3): 1153.1.jpg, 1153.2.jpg, 1153.3.jpg
- **1154. Death Record of Hamilton Mills, record #4736,** Author: Personal Notes of St. Clair County Vital Records, Submitter: compiled by Gretchen M. Mills, Image Restored: 19 Oct 2024.

File: 1154.jpeg

- **1155.** Legal Papers, Circuit Court, County of St. Clair, State of Michigan, Date: 15 Sep 1909, Document Location: obtained at Marysville Historical Museum, Date: Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Arnold; Barron; Griffith; Conger; Edwards; Kelley; Hodgkin.*
 - Recorded in Liber 39, Page 225; Register of Deeds Office, Ogemaw County, Michigan
 - Myron W. Mills and David W. Mills, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Nelson Mills, Deceased, Complainants vs. Mary M. Mills and Hannah E. Mills (James) Administratrices of the Estate of Barney Mills, Deceased, et. al, Defendants.
 - · Provides information on the Heirs of Nelson Mills

Files (4): 1155.1.jpg, 1155.2.jpg, 1155.3.jpg, 1155.4.jpg

- **1156. Reminicences of Old Marysville,** Author: by Edward Manion, Date: obtained 7 Jun 1989, Marysville, Michigan, Document Location: Marysville Historical Museum, Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 - Edward Manion was born in Marysville, son of James Manion

- Files (4): 1156.1.jpg, 1156.2.jpg, 1156.3.jpg, 1156.4.jpg
- **1187.** International Genealogical Index Nelson, Date: as of Apr 1988, Nova Scotia, Canada, Page(s): 2487, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Read.* File: 1187.jpeg
- 1188. Letter from Susan Hill, Amherst, Nova Scotia, Date: received 17 Aug 1994, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Hoeg; Boss; Pugsley; Harrison.
 Source: Township Records of Southampton (Cumberland County, NS)
 - Files (3): 1188.1.jpg, 1188.2.jpg, 1188.3.jpeg
- **1189.** Letter from Carol Holstine, Date: received 24 Jul 1992, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Nelson; Lumley.*
 - Includes 1871 Census transcription by Robert Jones, Kingston, Ontario. Files (3): 1189.1.jpeg, 1189.2.jpeg, 1189.3.jpeg
- 1190. Surviving Pioneers in Elgin and Neighbourhood, Publisher: Talbot Times, Vol. X, Date: December 1991, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Lumley.
 Newsletter of the Elgin County Branch, Ontario Genealogy Society. Editor's Note: The following material was discovered in the St. Thomas Evening Journal of September 9 and 19, 1879.

File: 1190.jpeg

- **1191.** Letter to Carol Holstine, Author: from Monabelle [ID=6260] and Raymond Read, Date: dated 11 Nov 1960, Submitter: received from Carol Holstine, 24 Jul 1992, Other surname(s): *Read; Nelson; Summersides.*
 - "The following story was wrote [sic] by Mary Jane Read Chatterson. As far as I can figure out, this story was wrote between the years 1885 to 1890."
 - "Hamilton-Nelson" also received from Maryanne Barker, 16 Feb 1995
 Files (6): 1191.1.jpg, 1191.2.jpg, 1191.3.jpg, 1191.4.jpg, 1191.5.jpg, 1191.6.jpg
- 1192. Letter to Carol Holstine, Submitter: from Monabelle and Raymond Read, Date: dated 1 Nov 1960, Date: received from Carol Holstine, 24 Jul 1992, Other surname(s): Lumley; Nelson.

Files (2): 1192.1.jpg, 1192.2.jpg

- 1193. Letter from Maryanne Barker, Date: 26 Sep 1994, Wasaga Beach, Ontario, Call Number: includes Descendants of David Nelson (R1193), Call Number: includes Descendants of Frances Read, b 1826 (R4995), Date: received 3 Oct 1994, Other surname(s): Hamilton; Armstrong; Read; Arnold; Grieves; Sexsmith; Currie; Lumley; Silcox; Dodson; Hartwick; Summersides.
 - I have just recently begun research on the Nelson branch of my family and am fortunate to have an oral history written down in 1901 by Frances Read Blackburn, the daughter of Mary Hamilton Nelson, the wife of Robert Collins Read.
 - Files (5): 1193.letter.jpg, 1193.cover.jpg, 1193.1.jpg, 1193.2.jpg, 1193.3.jpg
- **1284. FGR of Mary Hamilton Nelson and Robert Colin Read,** Submitter: letter to Carol Holstine from Monabelle and Raymond Read, Date: received from Carol Holstine, 29 Jul

1992, Image Restored: 24 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Armstrong; Grieves; Chatterson; Goodall; Horton; Mawlam; Brooks.

Files (4): 1284.1.jpeg, 1284.2.jpeg, 1284.3.jpeg, 1284.4.jpeg

- **1401. FGR of Miron Williams & Mary Margaret Gallagher,** Submitter: received from M. John Fox, Date: 12 Jul 1991, Other surname(s): *Kimball; McMorran; Mills; Neal.* Files (2): 1401.1.jpg, 1401.2.jpg
- **1424.** Pedigree Chart from Emma Caroline Williams, b 1845, Submitter: as modified by M. John Fox of Meadville, PA from work of DWM, Date: received 12 Jul 1991, Other surname(s): *Gallagher*.

File: 1424.jpg

1440. FGR of ____?___ Wright & Mary Melissa Williams, Author: received from M. John Fox, Date: 12 Jul 1991.

File: 1440.jpg

- **1596. 1830 Census,** Deerfield, Portage county, Ohio, Page(s): page 207, Image Restored: 8 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Hudson; Williams.*File: 1596.jpeg
- **1612. 1840 Census,** Deerfield, Portage county, Ohio, Image Restored: 8 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Williams; Hudson.*

File: 1612.jpg

- **1615. 1842 Canada Census,** Mosa twp., London District, Ontario, Document Location: SL film #281227; West LA FHL, 11 Mar 1989, Image Restored: 8 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills*. File: 1615.jpg
- **1616. 1842 Canada Census,** Dunwich township, Middlesex county, Ontario, Canada, Date: 11 Apr 1842, Document Location: West LA FHL, 11 Mar 1989, Image Restored: 8 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Lumley; Nelson*. File: 1616.jpeg

1617. 1850 Census, Deerfield, Portage, Ohio, Date: 26 Sep 1850, Page(s): 201, Document Location: West LA FHL, 5 Nov 1993, Other surname(s): *Wright; Hudson; Williams*. File: 1617.jpg

- **1637. 1850 Census,** St. Clair, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 20 Jul 1850, Image Restored: 8 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Williams; Gallagher.* File: 1637.jpeg
- **1647. 1851 Canada Census,** Mosa township, Middlesex county, Ontario, Page(s): 53, Document Location: SL film #0349223, Scan Date: 31 Mar 2023, Other surname(s): *Mills; Nelson.*

File: 1647.jpg

1648. 1851 Canada Census, Mosa township, Middlesex county, Ontario, Date: between 12 Jan and 27 Mar 1852, Document Location: SL film #0349223, Image Restored: 30 Oct

2024, Other surname(s): Edwards.

File: 1648.jpeg

- **1651. 1860 Census,** Kenockee, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 16 Aug 1860, Page(s): 282, Date: 13 Apr 2021, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Williams; Wright*. Files (2): 1651.png, 1651.jpg
- **1661. 1860 Census,** Vicksburg, St. Clair twp., St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 20 Jul 1860, Page(s): page 619 (old), Other surname(s): *Gallagher; Williams*. File: 1661.jpg
- **1662. 1860 Census,** Vicksburg, St. Clair twp., St. Clair, Michigan, Other surname(s): *Mills*. File: 1662.jpg
- 1675. 1861 Canada Census, Mosa twp., Middlesex county, Ontario, Date: early 1861; ages are "next birthday", Page(s): Enumeration District No. 1, page 5, Other surname(s): Merryfield; Mills; Simpson.
 File: 1675.jpg

1677. 1861 Canada Census, Chatham, Kent county, Ontario, Date: early 1861; ages are "next birthday", Document Location: North York Public Library, Toronto, 9 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Arnold; Mills*. File: 1677.jpeq

1678. 1861 Canada Census, Tilbury East, Kent county, Ontario, Date: early 1861; ages are "next birthday", Document Location: North York Public Library, Toronto, 9 Jun 1989, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Mills.

• Includes Agricultural Census (page 2)

Files (2): 1678.1.jpeg, 1678.2.jpeg

- 1679. 1861 Canada Census, Dunwich twp., Middlesex county, Ontario, Date: ages are "next birthday", Page(s): Enumeration District No. 5, page 15, Document Location: from Robert Jones, Kingston, Ontario, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Nelson; Lumley.
 File: 1679.jpeg
- **1688. 1870 Census,** Marysville, Port Huron twp, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 9 Jul 1870, Page(s): page 7 (old), Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Wright; Mills*. File: 1688.jpeg
- **1689. 1870 Census,** Marysville, Port Huron township, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 9 Jul 1870, Page(s): page 6 (old), Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Williams; Mills*.

File: 1689.jpeg

- **1690. 1870 Census,** Marysville, Port Huron township, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 9 Jul 1870, Page(s): page 8 (old), Other surname(s): *Mills; McCallum*. File: 1690.jpg
- 1707. 1880 Census, Marysville, Township of Port Huron, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 24

Jun 1880, Other surname(s): Mills; Williams.

File: 1707.jpg

- **1710. 1880 Census,** Township of China, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 8 Jun 1880, Page(s): page 78, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Griffith; Mills.*File: 1710.jpeg
- **1717. 1880 Census,** Marysville, Township of Port Huron, St. Clair county, Michigan, Date: 8 Jun 1880, Page(s): page 323, Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 - Note: includes both Hamilton Mills and Reuben Mills families, living about 10 houses from one another.

File: 1717.jpg

- **1752. 1900 Census,** Mills Twp, Ogemaw County, Michigan, Date: 19/20 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 133, Sheet 7, Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 - File: 1752.jpg
- **1753. 1900 Census,** Marysville, Port Huron Twp, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 26 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 108, Sheet 16B, Image Restored: 31 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Hopkins; Mills.*

File: 1753.jpg

- **1815. FGR of James Edwards & Elizabeth "Betsy" Mills,** Author: as modified by David W. Mills, Date: 14 Aug 1988, Scan Date: 23 Apr 2023.
 - Marriage of James & Elizabeth: Mosa Marriages film, page 629, at London Branch, O. G. S., 7 Jun 1989.

File: 1815.jpg

- **1818.** Publisher: *Mills Ancestry*, No. 5, Date: 30 Sep 1987, Author: edited by Michael Mills, Hinesburg, VT, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024. Files (10): 1818.01.jpeg, 1818.02.jpeg, 1818.03.jpeg, 1818.04.jpeg, 1818.05.jpeg, 1818.06.jpeg, 1818.07.jpeg, 1818.08.jpeg, 1818.09.jpeg, 1818.10.jpeg
- **1821.** Publisher: *Mills Ancestry,* No. 10, Date: 26 Sep 1988, Author: edited by Michael Mills, Hinesburg, VT, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024. Files (10): 1821.01.jpg, 1821.02.jpg, 1821.03.jpg, 1821.04.jpg, 1821.05.jpg, 1821.06.jpg, 1821.07.jpg, 1821.08.jpg, 1821.09.jpg, 1821.10.jpg
- **1825.** Publisher: *Mills Ancestry,* No. 14, Date: 20 Jun 1989, Author: edited by Michael Mills, Hinesburg, VT, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024. Files (10): 1825.01.jpg, 1825.02.jpg, 1825.03.jpg, 1825.04.jpg, 1825.05.jpg, 1825.06.jpg, 1825.07.jpg, 1825.08.jpg, 1825.09.jpg, 1825.10.jpg
- **1994.** The Descendants of Thomas and Ruth Lumley, Author: prepared by William D. and Elva J. Dennison, Page(s): 45 pages, Date: 1990, Document Location: Mills Library, Other surname(s): *Lumley,* Other surname(s): *Nelson.*File: 1994.Title (1994.jpg)
- **2038. FGR of David Nelson & Elizabeth Hamilton,** Publisher: *Family Search Ancestral File,* Date: 7 Jul 1999.

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• Submitter: Mrs. S. G. Stubbs, 68 Timms Avenue, Kilsyth, Victoria, Australia 3137 (in addition to David W. Mills)

Files (2): 2038.1.jpg, 2038.2.jpg

- 2300. Marriage Record; Stephen Read & Anna Maria Arnold, Date: 7 Feb 1855, Ontario, Canada, Date: 10 Mar 2000, Image Restored: 24 Oct 2024.

 File: 2300.ipeq
- **2303. FGR of Robert Collin Read & Mary Hamilton Nelson,** Publisher: *Family Search Ancestral File,* Date: 10 Mar 2000, Image Restored: 24 Oct 2024. Files (2): 2303.1.jpeg, 2303.2.jpeg
- **2340. Pedigree Chart from Raymond Lloyd Read,** Author: compiled by Monabelle Grawburg Read, Submitter: received 24 Jul 1992 from Carol Holstine, Other surname(s): *Brooks; Hamilton; Kirk; Nelson; Steadman.*Files (2): 2340.1.jpg, 2340.2.jpg
- **2341. Birth Record, James Lockwood Conger,** Date: 18 Feb 1805, Rockaway, Morris, NJ, Publisher: *Family Search IGI,* Date: 1 May 2000, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024. File: 2341.jpeg
- **2343.** Conger, James Lockwood, 1805-1876, Publisher: Congressional Biography, Date: 1 May 2000, Document Location: bioguide.congress.gov. File: 2343.jpg
- 2346. Hamilton Nelson/1626-to-1901, Author: probably transcribed and typed by Edna Read from "Grandmother Read's story", Date: received 3 May 2000 from Read Allen of Tantallon, NS, Image Restored: 11 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Nelson; Atkinson; Blackburn; Bradley; Campbell; Colling; Goodall; Currie; Mawlam; Williams; Pipes.

 page 8 taken from Belfast newspaper, page 188, "Belfast and the Province of Ulster," published in 1909.
 Files (13): 2346.1.jpg, 2346.02.jpeg, 2346.03.jpeg, 2346.4.jpg, 2346.05.jpeg, 2346.10.jpeg, 2346.11.jpeg, 2346.12.jpeg, 2346.13.jpeg
- **2351. Email from Read Allen,** Tantallon, NS, Date: 7 May 2000, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024.

File: 2351.jpeg

- 2357. A Brief History of Marysville, Marysville, St. Clair County, Michigan, Date: 1 May 2000, Other surname(s): Williams.
 Files (2): 2357.1.jpg, 2357.2.jpg
- 2376. Mosa Township 1851/1852 Census; Page 7 of 7, Date: as of 11 January 1852; age is next birthday, Date: 1 Jun 2000, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Merryfield.

File: 2376.9.jpeg

2377. Mosa Township 1851/1852 Census, Page(s): page 7 of 11, Publisher: as of 11 January 1852; age is next birthday, Date: 1 Jun 2000, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024.

File: 2377.7.jpeg

2515. Newsletter of Friends of the Marysville Museum, Marysville - One Name is as Good as Another, Date: October 2000, Other surname(s): Williams.

File: 2515.jpg

2710. Index to the 1871 Census of Ontario; Lumley, Publisher: *National Archives of Canada,* Document Location: ArchiviaNet, Date: 22 Mar 2001, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Nelson.*

Files (2): 2710.1.jpeg, 2710.2.jpeg

2991. Email from Janet Read Nelson, Troy, MI, Date: 19 Jul 2001, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024.

File: 2991.jpeg

3055. Email from Melinda Clark Brasier, Enumclaw, WA, Date: 18 Aug 2001, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills*.

File: 3055.jpeg

3148. Seven Generations of the Family of Joseph Conger and Mary Marsh, Other surname(s): *Clark; Beeman*.

Source 3148

Files (3): 3148.01.jpg, 3148.20.jpg, 3148.21.jpg

3190. Descendants of Robert Collins Read (page 1), Descendants of Lewis L. Arnold (page 2), Author: unknown author, but after 5 Feb 1918, Submitter: received 16 Feb 1995 from Maryanne Barker.

Files (2): 3190.1.jpg, 3190.2.jpg

3275. Letter from Helen Whiting, St. Clair Family History Group, Port Huron, MI, Date: 22 Sep 1987, Other surname(s): *Currie; Mills; Trombka*. File: 3275.jpg

3386. Springhill Our Goodly Heritage, Author: by Bertha J. Campbell, et. al., Publisher: *Springhill (NS) Heritage Group,* Date: 1989, Document Location: ISBN #0-919488-07-2, Document Location: Mills Library, Other surname(s): *Gilroy.*

Purchased at Amy's Used Books, Amherst, NS, 22 Jul 2002
 Files (4): 3386.Title.jpg, 3386.1.jpg, 3386.2.jpg, 3386.3.jpg

3387. Index Sheet #60 (portion), Springhill, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, Date: 1828, Document Location: Dept. of Lands & Forests, Nova Scotia, Document Location: Cumberland County Historical Society, Amherst, NS, Date: 22 Jul 2002, Document Location: genealogy safekeeping file folder, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): MIIIs.

Files (2): 3387.detail.jpg, 3387.large.jpeg

3402. 100 Years, Page(s): page 59, Submitter: scanned image received 29 Aug 2002 from Grace Dooley, Ogemaw County, MI, Document Location: originally found on web site: "Families of Ogemaw", Other surname(s): *Mills*.

File: 3402.jpg

- **3403. Shanty Boys,** Submitter: scanned images received from Grace Dooley, Ogemaw County, 29 Aug 2002, Document Location: originally found on website: "Families of Ogemaw", Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 - Files (3): 3403.09.jpg, 3403.16.jpg, 3403.31.jpg
- **3405.** Codicil to Will of Robert Read of Harwich, Submitter: transcription received from Maryanne Barker, 16 Feb 1995, Image Restored: 24 Oct 2024. File: 3405.jpeg
- 3417. Index to Naturalization Records for St. Clair County from 1854, Publisher: *Blue Water Family Backgrounds*, Date: Fall 2002, Vol. 22 Issue 3, Page(s): 16, Other surname(s): *Mills*.
 File: 3417.jpg
- **3448.** Letter from Janet Nelson, Troy, MI, Date: 22 Jul 1991, Other surname(s): *Hamilton; Mills*.
 - Files (2): 3448.1.jpg, 3448.2.jpg
- **3473. 1880 Census,** West Kittitas, Yakima, Washington, Page(s): 417A, Date: 5 Nov 2002, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Cannon; Mills.*
 - Note: Kittitas County formed from Yakima County in 1883
 File: 3473.jpeg
- **3474. 1880 Census,** St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan, Page(s): 451B, Date: 5 Nov 2002, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Williams; Mills.* File: 3474.jpeq
- **3536.** Letter from Bert Wees, Chatham, Ontario, Date: 13 Feb 1989, Other surname(s): *Read; Arnold; Grieves; Hogan.*
 - initial letter from him
 - File: 3536.jpg
- **3537.** Letter from Andrew Davison, Ulster Pedigrees, Belfast, Northern Ireland, Date: 15 Jul 1988, Other surname(s): *Daugherty; Gallagher; Martin; Nelson; Carlisle; Hamilton.*
 - Initial response letter suggesting research strategies on each surname.
 - File: 3537.jpg
- **3578. Abigail Hoeg,** Author: GenCircles, Publisher: *Chignecto Settlers,* Date: 9 Jun 2003, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Gilbert; Mills; Nelson.* File: 3578.jpeg
- **3629. 1920 Census,** West Kittitas Precinct, Kittitas, WA, Date: 15 Jan 1920, Page(s): ED 86; sheet 3B, Document Location: Ancestry @Mesa FHL, Date: 16 Jul 2003, Image Restored: 31 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Cannon; Mills.* Files (2): 3629.1.jpeg, 3629.2.jpeg
- **3653. Michigan Business Directory,** Marysville, St. Clair County, Page(s): 398, Date: 1863, Document Location: Mesa FHL, Date: 16 Jul 2003, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills.*

File: 3653.jpeg

- **3811. 1881 Canada Census,** Maccan, Cumberland, Nova Scotia, Page(s): District 22; Sub-District 1; page number 8; household number 32, Date: 24 Oct 2003, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Hoeg; Nelson*. File: 3811.jpeg
- **3817. 1880 Census,** 1st Ward, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan, Page(s): 332A, Date: 11 Nov 2003, Other surname(s): *Edwards; Mills.* File: 3817.jpeg
- **3818. 1881 Canada Census,** Harwich, Kent, Ontario, Page(s): District 180; Sub-District D; Division 2; page number 5; household number 21, Date: 11 Nov 2003, Image Restored: 30 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Nelson; Read.* File: 3818.jpeg
- 3928. Email from Don Snyder, Date: 20 Feb 2004, Image Restored: 17 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Lumley; Nelson.
 Files (3): 3928.1.jpeg, 3928.2.jpeg, 3928.3.jpeg
- 4169. Conger, Publisher: The Pioneer Families of Cleveland, Date: 19 Jun 2004, Image Restored: 9 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Clark.
 Files (4): 4169.16.jpeg, 4169.17.jpeg, 4169.18.jpeg, 4169.19.jpeg
- 4258. Genealogical Death Indexing System, 1867-1897, Publisher: Michigan Department of Community Health, Date: 31 Jul 2004, Image Restored: Oct 2024, Other surname(s): Aldrich; Balmer; McQueen; Turrell.
 Files (9): 4258.1.jpeg, 4258.2.jpeg, 4258.3.jpeg, 4258.4.jpeg, 4258.5.jpeg, 4258.6.jpeg, 4258.7.jpeg, 4258.8.jpeg, 4258.9.jpeg
- **4265. 1881 Canada Census,** Chatham, Kent, Ontario, Page(s): District 180, Sub-District I, Division 1, page 70, Date: 31 Jul 2004, Scan Date: 16 Apr 2023, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Gillett; Mills*. Files (2): 4265.1.jpg, 4265.2.jpeg
- **4266. 1880 Census,** Neola, Pottawattamie, Iowa, Page(s): 89C, Date: 2 Aug 2004, Scan Date: 18 Feb 2022, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills*. Files (2): 4266.1.jpeg, 4266.2.jpeg
- **4273. 1881 Canada Census,** Chatham, Kent, Ontario, Page(s): District 180, Sub-District G, Division 2, page 19, Household Number 92, Date: 3 Aug 2004, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Arnold; Mills.*File: 4273.jpeg
- **4278. Email from Barb, Pottawatamie County Genealogical Society,** lowa, Date: 12 Aug 2004, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills.*File: 4278.jpeg
- **4381. Email exchange with Milton L. Wagy,** Author: Local Historian Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Date: 19 Nov 2004, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Cannon.*

- Files (2): 4381.1.jpeg, 4381.2.jpeg
- **4385. Email exchange with Milton L. Wagy,** Author: Local Historian Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Date: 24 Nov 2004, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Beail; Cannon; Mills.*Files (3): 4385.1.jpeg, 4385.2.jpeg, 4385.3.jpeg
- **4387. 1900 Census,** West Kittitas Precinct, Kittitas, Washington, Date: 25 Jun 1900, Call Number: ED 26, Sheet 10B, Publisher: *Ancestry via Bill Bindeman,* Date: 27 Nov 2004, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Cannon.* File: 4387.jpg
- **4397. FGR of James Henry Cannon & Lydia Gamwell Babcock,** Publisher: *Family Search IGI*, Date: 28 Nov 2004, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024. File: 4397.jpeg
- **4402. Email from Milton L. Wagy,** Author: Local Historian Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Date: 29 Nov 2004, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Lumley.*File: 4402.jpeg
- **4414. The News of Thorp,** Publisher: *Ellensburg (WA) Capital,* Date: 19 Feb 1908, Page(s): 3, Col. 5, Submitter: received via email from Milton Wagy, 6 Dec 2004, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Beail.*
 - Includes follow-up email explaining that West Kittitas is also known as Thorp. Files (2): 4414.1.jpeg, 4414.2.jpeg
- 4433. An Illustrated History of Klickitat, Yakima and Kittitas Counties, Publisher: Interstate Publishing Company, Spokane, Date: 1904, Submitter: received 11 Dec 2004 from Milton L. Wagy, Local History Librarian, Ellensburg Public Library, Ellensburg, WA, Other surname(s): Mills; Cannon; Babcock.
 Files (2): 4433.cover.jpg, 4433.1.jpg
- **4434. Campfires in the Valley,** Author: by Clareta Olmstead Smith, Page(s): 14, Submitter: received 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Document Location: Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills*. File: 4434.jpg
- **4435. The End of the Trail,** Author: by Leta May Smith, Publisher: *Exposition Press, Hicksville, New York, 1976,* Submitter: received 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Document Location: Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills.*Files (5): 4435.Cover.jpeg, 4435.109.110.111.jpeg, 4435.112.113.jpeg, 4435.114.115.jpeg, 4435.282.283.jpeg
- **4438. 1887 & 1889 Washington Territorial Censuses,** Document Location: Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Submitter: rcvd 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Cannon.* Files (2): 4438.129.jpeg, 4438.250.jpeg

- **4439.** Last Wills and Testaments of James L. Mills and Marie L. Mills, Date: 21 May 1921, Submitter: rcvd 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024.
 - Includes Inventory, as of 2 May 1924

Files (7): 4439.1.jpeg, 4439.2.jpeg, 4439.3.jpeg, 4439.4.jpeg, 4439.5.jpeg, 4439.6.jpeg, 4439.7.jpeg

- **4440. James L. Mills, of Thorp, Dies,** Publisher: *Ellensburg (WA) Capital,* Date: undated, Submitter: rcvd 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Other surname(s): *Beail.*File: 4440.jpg
- **4441. Pioneer Woman of Thorp Passes On,** Publisher: *unknown newspaper,* Date: undated, Submitter: rcvd 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Other surname(s): *Cannon.*File: 4441.jpg
- **4446. The Thorp Cemetery,** Thorp, Kittitas County, Washington, Publisher: *The Kittitas County Genealogical Society,* Date: 1994, Submitter: received 11 Dec 2004 from Milton Wagy, Local History Librarian, Ellensburg (WA) Public Library, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Beail; Cannon.*Files (5): 4446.Title.jpeg, 4446.Layout.jpeg, 4446.Description.jpeg, 4446.02.jpeg, 4446.52.jpeg
- **4511. 1881 Canada Census,** Dunwich, Elgin West, Ontario, Page(s): Dist. 180, sub-district I, Div. 2, page 75, Publisher: *FamilySearch*, Date: 21 Jan 2005, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Lumley; Johnston*. File: 4511.jpeg
- **4625. 1900 Census,** Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 27 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 108; Sheet 11A, Date: 24 Feb 2005, Scan Date: 25 Apr 2023, Other surname(s): *Mills; McCallum*.

File: 4625.jpg

- **4630. 1900 Census,** St. Clair Township, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 25 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 111; Sheet 15A, Date: 26 Feb 2005, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Davis; Carey.*File: 4630.jpg
- **4631. 1880 Census,** 6th Ward, Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 1 Jun 1880, Page(s): 411C; ED 389, Scan Date: 8 Apr 2023, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Davis.*

Files (2): 4631.1.jpeg, 4631.2.jpg

- **4632. 1870 Census,** Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan, Page(s): 422, Date: 26 Feb 2005, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Mills; Williams*. File: 4632.jpeq
- 4646. 1870 Census, 7th Ward, Toledo, Lucas, Ohio, Date: 17 Aug 1870, Page(s): 32 (old),

Date: 4 Mar 2005, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): Mills.

File: 4646.jpeg

- **4647. 1870 Census,** 14th Ward, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio, Date: 25 Aug 1870, Page(s): 217, Date: 4 Mar 2005, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Cannon.* File: 4647.jpeg
- **4653. 1900 Census,** Manhattan, New York, New York, Date: 7 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 854, Sheet 8A, Date: 5 Mar 2005 & 19 Feb 2022, Other surname(s): *Conger; Mills.* File: 4653.jpeg
- **4654. 1840 Census,** Harrison Township, Macomb, Michigan, Date: 5 Mar 2005, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Conger.* File: 4654.jpeg
- **4701. St. Clair County, Michigan Marriages 1887-1898,** Date: 15 Mar 2005, Other surname(s): *Wilson; Mills; Kerry; Hopkins; Gillette; Geel; Dale.* File: 4701.jpg
- **4703. 1900 Census,** Chicago, Cook, Illinois, Date: 6 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 450, Sheet 11A, Date: 15 Mar 2005, Other surname(s): *Gillett.* File: 4703.jpg
- **4705. Michigan Marriages Index,** Publisher: *The Dibean Collection,* Date: 16 Mar 2005, Other surname(s): *Wright; McClemons.*File: 4705.jpg
- **4758. 1900 Census,** Port Huron, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 4 Jun 1900, Page(s): ED 94, Sheet 3B, Date: 19 Apr 2005, Other surname(s): *Barron; Edwards*. File: 4758.jpg
- **5134. 1920 Census,** Zion, Lake, Illinois, Date: 6 Jan 1920, Page(s): ED 244; Sheet No. 3B, Date: 13 Mar 2006, Other surname(s): *Edwards; Mills*. File: 5134.jpg
- 5135. 1860 Census, St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 17 Jul 1860, Page(s): 599, Date: 13 Mar 2006, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): Conger. File: 5135.jpeg
- **5136. 1880 Census,** Toledo, Lucas, Ohio, Page(s): 111D, Date: 13 Mar 2006, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Conger.* File: 5136.jpeg
- **5138. 1920 Census,** Zion, Lake, Illinois, Date: 16 Jan 1920, Page(s): ED 244; Sheet No. 13B, Date: 13 Mar 2006, Other surname(s): *Barron.* File: 5138.jpg
- **5165.** Early Marysville Founded on Lumbering Industry, Publisher: *Port Huron (MI) Times Herald,* Date: 10 Oct 1972, Document Location: original at Marysville Historical Museum, Jun 1989, Other surname(s): *Mills; Williams.*Files (2): 5165.1.jpg, 5165.2.jpg

- **5283. 1870 Census,** China, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 29 Jun 1870, Page(s): 75, Date: 11 Aug 2006, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Griffith; Mills.* File: 5283.jpeg
- **5289. 1860 Census,** Marysville, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 30 Jun 1860, Page(s): 213, Date: 11 Aug 2006, Image Restored: 1 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Griffith*. File: 5289.jpeg
- **5373. Elgin County, Ontario Marriages 1853 to 1873,** Author: Ontario Genealogical Society, Date: 9 Oct 2006, Image Restored: 30 Sep 2024, Other surname(s): *Lumley.* File: 5373.jpeg
- **5475. 1894 Michigan Census,** St. Clair Township, Date: 28 Nov 2006, Image Restored: 2 Nov 2024, Other surname(s): *Balmer; Mills; Williams*. File: 5475.jpeg
- **5482. 1910 Census,** St. Clair, St. Clair, Michigan, Date: 4 May 1910, Page(s): ED 124, Sheet 10A, Date: 29 Nov 2006, Other surname(s): *Wright; Williams*. File: 5482.png
- **5556.** Lorenzo Gillett, Author: Comments added by Sarranna on 11 Jan 2007, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Trask.*File: 5556.jpeg
- **5906.** Letter and Pedigree Chart, Author: from Beverley Crone, Ajax, Ontario, Canada, Date: received 23 Feb 2008, Other surname(s): *Bakewell*. Files (2): 5906.1.jpg, 5906.2.jpg
- **6119. E-mail from Lugene Daniels,** Ogemaw County, MI, Date: 13 Sep 2008, Other surname(s): *Mills*. Files (2): 6119.1.jpg, 6119.2.jpg
- 6120. Plat Map of Richland Township, Ogemaw County, Michigan, Date: 1903.
 - \bullet Multiple instances of ownership by N & B Mills, B. Mills, and a John B. Mills. Perhaps John Edgar Mills?

File: 6120.jpg

- **6146. Prescott Community in Pioneer History,** Author: by Ervadeen Hosbach, Date: undated, Document Location: Mills Library.
 - 42 pages

Files (5): 6146.Title.jpg, 6146.3.jpg, 6146.4.jpg, 6146.9.jpg, 6146.28.jpg

6147. Barney Mills, Author: Email from Lugene Daniels, Whittemore, MI, Date: 18 Sep 2008, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024.

File: 6147.jpg

- **6254.** Elizabeth Nelson/Joseph Hoeg Marriage Bond, Date: 28 Sep 1820, Document Location: from Doug Wilson, Date: 26 Oct 2009, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024. File: 6254.jpg
- **6257.** Publisher: *Mills Ancestry,* No. 24, Date: 20 Dec 1991, Author: edited by Michael Mills, Hinesburg, VT, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Daniels; Innis; Zita;*

Donkin.

- Pages 7&8: Howard Mills letter dated 23 Mar 1932
- added files, 31 Mar 2025

Files (10): 6257.01.jpg, 6257.02.jpg, 6257.03.jpg, 6257.04.jpg, 6257.05.jpg, 6257.06.jpg, 6257.07.jpg, 6257.08.jpg, 6257.09.jpg, 6257.10.jpg

- **6400.** Correspondence from Sharlie Stubbs, Publisher: *Ancestry Connection Service,* Date: 25 May 2010, Image Restored: 21 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Nelson; Wildblood.* File: 6400.jpg
- **6450. Henry Stainthorpe Mawlam Jr,** Author: E-mail from Thomas G Roberts, Petawawa, Ontario, Canada, Date: 16 Aug 2010, Image Restored: 24 Oct 2024, Other surname(s): *Read; Currie.*
 - Includes website printout from Mawlam Cemetery, Lambton County, Ontario. Files (2): 6450.1.jpg, 6450.2.jpg
- **6570. James N. Mills,** Publisher: *Michigan Deaths and Burials, 1800-1995,* Date: 2 Jul 2011, Image Restored: 20 Oct 2024.

File: 6570.jpg

- **6741. Death Record of Flavius J Gillett,** Publisher: *Cook County, Illinois, Deaths Index, 1878-1922,* Date: 24 Mar 1918, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, Date: 2 Jun 2012. File: 6741.jpg
- **6742. 1910 Census,** Chicago, Cook, Illinois, Page(s): ED 1528, Page 10A, Date: 2 Apr 1910, Scan Date: 15 Apr 2023, Other surname(s): *Haas; Gillett*. File: 6742.ipq
- **6817. Nelson Family,** Author: E-mail from Mary L. Baldwin, Date: 19 Oct 2012, Other surname(s): *Garrard*.

File: 6817.jpg

6818. Nelson Family, Author: E-mail from Mary Baldwin, Beachwood, Ohio, Date: 19 Oct 2012.

File: 6818.jpg

6819. 1850 Census, Mantua, Portage, Ohio, Page(s): 64A, Date: 19 Oct 2012, Other surname(s): *Nelson.*

File: 6819.jpg

6820. 1860 Census, Auburn, Geauga, Ohio (Bridge Creek PO), Page(s): 880, Date: 19 Oct 2012, Other surname(s): *Nelson.*

File: 6820.jpg

6821. 1870 Census, Mantua, Portage, Ohio, Page(s): 344A, Date: 19 Oct 2012, Other surname(s): *Nelson.*

File: 6821.jpg

6822. David Nelson, Publisher: *Martin Baldwin Conner Nelson Garrard Steele Chapman Drummond & More,* Submitter: by Mary L. Baldwin, Date: 19 Oct 2012. File: 6822.jpg

6823. Descendants of David Nelson & Esther Garrard, Publisher: *Martin Family Tree*, Submitter: by johnmartin166, Date: 20 Oct 2012.

File: 6823.jpg

6850. Marriage of Nelson Mills and Mary J Williams, Date: 23 March 1863, Submitter: by Samuel Bird, Minister of the Gospel M. E. Church, Submitter: witnessed by Hannah Bird and Adaline Bird, Call Number: Methodist Parsonage, Armada, Macomb County, Michigan, Document Location: Michigan County Marriages 1820-1935, Macomb, Vol. E, page 75 (not Indexed), Date: 21 Feb 2013, Document Location: genealogy safekeeping file folder.

Files (2): 6850.1.jpg, 6850.2.jpg

- **6876. The Peerage of Ireland,** Publisher: *London,* Date: 1768, Vol. 1, Submitter: received from Ulster Pedigrees, Belfast, No. Ireland, Other surname(s): *Hamilton; Maxwell; Carey; Cuffe.*
 - A Genealogical and Historical Account of all the Peers of that Kingdom. Collected from Parliament Rolls, Records, Family Documents, and the Personal Information of Many Noble Peers.

Files (3): 6876.Title.jpg, 6876.86.87.jpg, 6876.88.89.jpg

- **6877.** Earldom of Clanbrassill, Page(s): 249-251, Viscountency Clandeboye, or Claneboye, Page(s): 254, Publisher: *Burke's Peerage (probable).*
 - Original in Eckart Genealogy file

Files (3): 6877.249.jpg, 6877.250.jpg, 6877.254.jpg

6878. Descendants Chart from Rev. Hans Hamilton, Document Location: SLC FHL, 6 Oct 1992, SL film #277978.

File: 6878.jpg

- **6879. Descendants Chart from John Blackwood,** Document Location: SLC FHL, 6 Oct 1992, SL film #259178.
 - Difficult to read

File: 6879.jpg

6880. Descendants Chart from Rev. Hans Hamilton, Document Location: SLC FHL, 6 Oct 1992, SL film #0259178.

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6881. Dufferin and Claneboye, Baron (Frederick Temple Blackwood), Publisher: *Burke's (probable),* Page(s): 328, Document Location: original in Eckart genealogy binder, Other surname(s): *Blackwood.*

File: 6881.jpg

- **6882. Scotch and Scotch-Irish Ancestry Research,** Author: by Donald Dean Parker, Ph.D., Document Location: Southern California Genealogical Society. Files (8): 6882.Title.jpg, 6882.B1.jpg, 6882.B2.jpg, 6882.B3.jpg, 6882.B7.jpg, 6882.B9.jpg, 6882.B10.jpg
- **6883. Notes on the Descent from Rev. Hans Hamilton,** Author: prepared by David W. Mills. Files (2): 6883.1.jpg, 6883.2.jpg

- **6884. The Peerage of Ireland,** Author: by Mervyn Archdall, A. M., Vol. III, Publisher: *Dublin,* Date: 1789, Document Location: New York State Library, Albany, Other surname(s): *Hamilton; Montgomery; Foley; Cuffe.*
 - A Genealogical History of the Present Nobility of that Kingdom Files (8): 6884.Title.jpg, 6884.1.jpg, 6884.2.3.jpg, 6884.4.5.jpg, 6884.6.7.jpg, 6884.8.9.jpg, 6884.10.11.jpg, 6884.12.jpg
- 6885. The Scotch-Irish or The Scot in North Britain, North Ireland, and North America, Author: by Charles A. Hanna, Volume I, Publisher: *Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., Baltimore*, Date: 1985.
 - Includes Transcription of The Hamilton Manuscripts
 Files (19): 6885.Title.jpg, 6885.134.jpg, 6885.308.309.jpg, 6885.310.311.jpg, 6885.312.313.jpg, 6885.314.315.jpg, 6885.316.317.jpg, 6885.318.319.jpg, 6885.320.321.jpg, 6885.322.323.jpg, 6885.324.325.jpg, 6885.326.327.jpg, 6885.328.329.jpg, 6885.330.331.jpg, 6885.332.333.jpg, 6885.334.335.jpg, 6885.336.337.jpg, 6885.338.339.jpg, 6885.340.jpg
- 6886. The Scotch-Irish or The Scot in North Britain, North Ireland, and North America, Author: by Charles A. Hanna, Volume II, Publisher: *Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., Baltimore*, Date: 1985.
 - Files (4): 6886.Title.jpg, 6886.486.487.jpg, 6886.489.jpg, 6886.490.491.jpg
- **6887. Burke's Peerage,** Document Location: West LA FHL, 2 Dec 1989, Other surname(s): *Temple-Blackwood; Stevenson; Price; Brabazon.* File: 6887.jpg
- **6888.** Letter and 2 Reports from Ulster Pedigrees, Belfast, Call Number: 14 Hampton Place, King's Bridge, Belfast BT7 3BZ, N. Ireland, Author: from Andrew Davison, KLJ, FRSAI, Date: letter dated 15 Apr 1989, Document Location: genealogy safekeeping file folder under "H".
 - First report received 25 Oct 1988 (8 pages)
 - Second report received 11 Feb 1989 (2 pages)
 - In 1901 the first Marquess of Dufferin & Ava was indeed Frederick Temple Hamilton-Temple-Blackwood. His wife was Hariot Rowan-Hamilton. Thus the photocopy shows a passing knowledge with the Dufferin & Ava family but, of course, such information could have been easily obtained from any edition of Burke's Peerage. A problem is that the Dufferin & Ava family only has a female line succession from the Hamilton of Clanaboy family and thus your ancestor Hans Hamilton would have had an undoubted claim to the title Viscount Clanaboy if his succession was proven. The Christian name Hans was used in the Dufferin & Ava family, the 3rd Baron was called Hans (1758-1839).
 - Files (12): 6888.Letter.jpg, 6888.1.jpg, 6888.2.jpg, 6888.3.jpg, 6888.4.jpg, 6888.5.jpg, 6888.6.jpg, 6888.7.jpg, 6888.8.jpg, 6888.9.jpg, 6888.10.jpg, 6888.11.jpg
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