

John Holt

Patriot of Groton, Connecticut



view of the Memorial from Fort Griswold

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John HOLT

John HOLT - Source

Birth: 6 Dec 1746, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670}
Baptism: 7 Dec 1746, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670}
Death: 6 Sep 1781, Fort Griswold, Groton, New London, Connecticut^{312,670,3370,6412}
Burial: Old Burying Grounds, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670}
Father: **John HOLT** - Father (11 Jan 1719-15 May 1786)
Mother: **Sarah STRICKLAND** - Mother (1721-30 Jul 1776)



John

• He was one of the band of patriots that defended Fort Griswold on that fatal day when [Benjamin] Arnold made his descent upon the coast and burnt New London. He was slain with many others by the infuriated conquerors after the surrender of the fort. His wife (Martha Coit) survived him for a quarter of a century. Their remains lie side by side in the ancient burial ground at New London, with a single head stone, bearing the following inscription:

In memory of
Mr. John Holt, jr.,
who was slain at Fort Griswold
Sep. 6, 1781,
in the 35th year of his age.
And in memory of
Mrs. Martha Holt,
relict of
Mr. John Holt, jr., who d.
Mar. 31, 1807, in the
63rd year of her age.^{312,693}

• John Holt, Jr., (1746-81), was killed at Fort Griswold, and his brother Jonathan when in search of his body was wounded.⁸¹⁵

Spouse: **Martha COIT**
Marriage: 21 Nov 1771, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670,693,6412}

John HOLT

Birth: 9 Oct 1744, New London, New London, Connecticut
Baptism: 14 Oct 1744, New London, New London, Connecticut
Death: 31 Mar 1807, New London, New London, Connecticut
Burial: Old Burying Grounds, New London, New London, Connecticut
Father: **Richard COIT**^{670,693} (8 Jul 1722-3 Oct 1745)
Mother: **Abigail BRADDICK** (1712-25 Feb 1770)

4 Children...

- i. **Richard Coit** - Son (25 Aug 1772-3 Feb 1793)
- ii. **John** - Son (Died as Child) (5 Sep 1774-21 Aug 1777)
- iii. **John** - Son (28 Jun 1778-2 Jun 1837)
- iv. **Robert** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Relatives of John HOLT

Descendants

Richard Coit HOLT^{312,693} - Son

Birth: 25 Aug 1772, New London, New London, Connecticut
Death: 3 Feb 1793
Father: [John HOLT](#) - [Source](#) (6 Dec 1746-6 Sep 1781)
Mother: **Martha COIT**^{312,670,693} (9 Oct 1744-31 Mar 1807)

John HOLT^{312,693,6412} - Son

Birth: 5 Sep 1774, New London, New London, Connecticut
Death: 21 Aug 1777, New London, New London, Connecticut
Father: [John HOLT](#) - [Source](#) (6 Dec 1746-6 Sep 1781)
Mother: **Martha COIT**^{312,670,693} (9 Oct 1744-31 Mar 1807)

John HOLT - Son

Birth: 28 Jun 1778, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693,6412}
Death: 2 Jun 1837^{312,693}
Father: [John HOLT](#) - [Source](#) (6 Dec 1746-6 Sep 1781)
Mother: **Martha COIT**^{312,670,693} (9 Oct 1744-31 Mar 1807)

Spouse: **Lucretia TINKER**
Birth: 1792^{312,670}
Death: 25 Jun 1845^{312,693}

- Has surname of Tucker.⁶⁹³

Robert HOLT - Son

Birth: 28 Jan 1782, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,665,693}
Death: 2 Mar 1838, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,665,693}
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³
Father: [John HOLT](#) - [Source](#) (6 Dec 1746-6 Sep 1781)
Mother: **Martha COIT**^{312,670,693} (9 Oct 1744-31 Mar 1807)

- He died (by his own hand, while under mental derangement), Mar. 2, 1838, aged 56.³¹²

Spouse: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD**
Marriage: 8 Oct 1803, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,312,665,869}

Descendants

Birth: 18 Sep 1785, New London, New London, Connecticut^{665,869}
Baptism: 28 Jul 1790³⁷¹¹
Death: 28 Mar 1835, New London, New London, Connecticut³¹²
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³
Father: **Benjamin HEMPSTEAD** (8 May 1753-2 Sep 1798)
Mother: **Elizabeth COPP** (12 Nov 1758-1813)

- Given name of Ann⁸²²³; Anna^{8,3909}; not correct.⁸⁶⁹

12 Children...

- i. **Martha Coit** - Granddaughter (10 Jul 1804-25 Sep 1834)
- ii. **Richard Coit** - Grandson (25 Dec 1805-18 Oct 1827)
- iii. **Eliza Ann** - Granddaughter (1 Sep 1808-)
- iv. **Everard** - Grandson (9 Sep 1810-21 Oct 1844)
- v. **Abigail Mercer** - Granddaughter (3 Mar 1814-10 Aug 1858)
- vi. **Robert** - Grandson (21 Jul 1816-20 Jun 1853)
- vii. **Henry Williams** - Grandson (10 Jun 1819-)
- viii. **George Potter** - Grandson (Died as Child) (6 Mar 1821-28 Jun 1823)
- ix. **Ellen Clark** - Granddaughter (16 Sep 1823-Oct 1862)
- x. **George Augustus** - Grandson (Died as Child) (11 Apr 1826-5 Oct 1833)
- xi. **Sarah Stoddard** - Granddaughter (11 Aug 1828-14 Mar 1867)
- xii. **Georgianna** - Granddaughter (16 Jul 1831-)

Martha Coit HOLT^{312,693} - Granddaughter

Birth: 10 Jul 1804, New London, New London, Connecticut
Death: 25 Sep 1834, New London?, New London, Connecticut
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³
Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)
Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

- Died unmarried.³¹²

Richard Coit HOLT^{312,693} - Grandson

Birth: 25 Dec 1805, New London, New London, Connecticut
Death: 18 Oct 1827, New London?, New London, Connecticut
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Descendants

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

- Died unmarried.³¹²

Eliza Ann HOLT - Granddaughter

Birth: 1 Sep 1808, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693}

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 41, b CT.¹⁵⁵

• 1880 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 71, b CT. Eliza Colfax.
Widow. Parents b CT.⁴⁴⁷⁸

Spouse: **William P. COLFAX**

Marriage: 26 Oct 1834⁶⁹³

Birth: abt 1807, Connecticut¹⁵⁵

Death: 19 Jun 1852³¹²

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 43, born CT, bookseller, \$3,000 real estate value.¹⁵⁵

4 Children...

- i. **Charlotte** - G Granddaughter (23 Dec 1836-)
- ii. **George** - G Grandson (28 Dec 1838-)
- iii. **Ellen** - G Granddaughter (11 Sep 1842-)
- iv. **William H.** - G Grandson (29 Sep 1846-)

Everard HOLT - Grandson

Birth: 9 Sep 1810, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693}

Death: 21 Oct 1844, New London, New London, Connecticut³¹²

Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

- Name given as Edward.⁸²²³

Spouse: **Frances C. COLFAX**

Descendants

Marriage: 2 Nov 1834⁶⁹³
Birth: abt 1813⁶⁹³
Memo: died age 26
Death: 4 Mar 1839⁶⁹³
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Family Notes: • One child.³¹²

Abigail Mercer HOLT - Granddaughter

Birth: 3 Mar 1814, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693}
Death: 10 Aug 1858, Stockton, Vermilion, Illinois³¹²
Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)
Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Spouse: **Henry G. DENNIS**
Marriage: 3 Nov 1834⁶⁹³

Robert HOLT - Grandson

Birth: 21 Jul 1816, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693,8223}
Death: 20 Jun 1853^{312,693,8223}
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³
Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)
Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 33, b CT. Book Seller. \$3000.⁴⁷⁶⁷

Spouse: **Nancy RENOUF**
Marriage: 20 Nov 1838, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693,1285,1286}
Birth: 22 Sep 1819, New London, New London, Connecticut¹²⁸⁶
Death: 4 Feb 1891, New London?, New London, Connecticut⁷⁸³³
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut^{7833,8223}
Father: **Peter RENOUF**¹²⁸⁵ (abt 1788-31 Aug 1829)
Mother: **Charlotte SOULES**¹²⁸⁵ (8 Sep 1793-29 Nov 1840)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 31, b CT.⁴⁷⁶⁷
• 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 37, b CT. \$3000; \$500.

Descendants

Living in household of her sister-in-law, Georgianna Holt Smith.⁴⁷⁶⁸

- 1870 Census: Washington, DC. Age 50, b CT. Living in household of son, Henry.⁴⁷⁶⁹
- 1880 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 60, b CT. Widow. Parents b CT.³⁵⁰²

2 Children...

- Henry Peter Renouf** - G Grandson (12 Jun 1840-21 Dec 1923)
- Anna** - G Granddaughter (abt 1842-)

Henry Williams HOLT - Grandson

Birth: 10 Jun 1819, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693}

Occupation: mariner³¹²

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 31, b CT.
Mariner.⁴⁷⁶⁷

Spouse: **Lucy A. BISHOP**

Marriage: 17 Jun 1847⁶⁹³

Birth: abt 1824, Connecticut⁴⁷⁶⁷

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 26, b CT.⁴⁷⁶⁷

Family Notes: • 1 child.³¹²

George Potter HOLT³¹² - Grandson

Birth: 6 Mar 1821, New London, New London, Connecticut⁶⁹³

Death: 28 Jun 1823, New London?, New London, Connecticut

Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Ellen Clark HOLT - Granddaughter

Birth: 16 Sep 1823, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693,5844}

Death: Oct 1862^{312,5844}

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Descendants

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 17 [sic], b CT.
Living in household of Robert and Nancy Holt.⁴⁷⁶⁷

Spouse: **Chester Kimball BISHOP**

Marriage: 6 Sep 1847, New London?, New London, Connecticut⁶⁹³

Birth: 24 Jun 1821, Chesterfield, New London, Connecticut⁵⁸⁴⁵

Death: 27 Jan 1882⁵⁸⁴⁵

Occupation: Carriage maker⁴⁷⁶⁷

Father: **Gurdon BISHOP**⁵⁸⁴⁵ (26 Jul 1789-28 Apr 1865)

Mother: **Lucy KIMBALL**⁵⁸⁴⁵ (17 Mar 1796-15 Jun 1882)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 29, b CT. Carriage maker. Living in household of Henry W. and Lucy A. Holt, adjacent to household of Robert and Nancy Holt.⁴⁷⁶⁷

2 Children...

- i. **Fanny** - G Granddaughter (abt 1849-)
- ii. **Isabelle** - G Granddaughter (abt 1854-)

Family Notes: • 2 children.³¹²

George Augustus HOLT^{312,693} - Grandson

Birth: 11 Apr 1826, New London, New London, Connecticut

Death: 5 Oct 1833

Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Descendants

Sarah Stoddard **HOLT** - Granddaughter

Birth: 11 Aug 1828, New London, New London, Connecticut^{13,312,693}
 Birth: 11 Aug 1826⁶⁶⁵
 Birth: 11 Aug 1830, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,3874}
 Death: 14 Mar 1867, San Francisco, San Francisco, California^{8,3874,3931}
 Burial: Marysville City Cemetery, Marysville, California³⁸⁷⁴
 Memo: died in San Francisco - w/o Charles M.
 Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)
 Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)



Sarah Stoddard

- Parents are Robert Holt and Nancy Hempstead.³¹²

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 21, born CT. Living with family of brother-in-law, William Colfax.¹⁵⁵

- 1860 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 30, b CT.¹⁶⁷²



Hon. Charles Miner

Spouse: **Hon. Charles Miner GORHAM**
 Marriage: 19 Apr 1852, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,13,38,312,693,811}
 Birth: 22 Mar 1831, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,13,38,812}
 Death: 28 Feb 1912, Berkeley, Alameda, California²¹⁴
 Burial: 7 Mar 1912, Marysville City Cemetery, Marysville, California³⁹³¹
 Occupation: City Clerk, Mayor of Marysville; Asst. Coiner, United States Mint, SF⁸¹²

Father: **George GORHAM** (21 Feb 1809-24 Apr 1836)
 Mother: **Martha Peckham CONGDON**⁴⁰ (abt 1807-28 Nov 1869)

* [He] must have been husband of Mrs. Chas. H. Miner and Chas. Miner Gorham was named after him. This would indicate that the bible referred to above belonged to his wife and that he was an Uncle of Chas. Miner Gorham, and his wife the sister of George Gorham, son of Lot Gorham.³⁸⁸⁴

Descendants

- 3 Jul 1850

Notary Public & Conveyancer

Real Estate and Insurance

Office over Lows Banking House

Note: date seems too early; may be confused with George C. Eckart.³⁹³¹

- For the years 1858, 1860, 1861, 1862, 1863, Clerk of the Marysville, Yuba county, California City Council.

1868 and 1869: Mayor of Marysville (page 362).

For the year commencing August 1st, 1870, Mayor of Marysville, living at 160 "D" Street (page 98). Also President of the Board of Education (page 214).^{814,3931}

- Dec 4, 1861

Commission as notary public is renewed by Governor.

May 21, 1863

Appointed to serve as commissioner of deeds for Nevada Territory at Marysville.

Appointed by Governor Stanford.³⁹³¹

- 1868 and 1869: listed as Mayor of Marysville. Also in 1870-71, 72-73.²¹¹ Defeated for Mayor by Wm. Hawley, 500 to 445.³⁹³¹

- The Daily Appeal
Saturday Morning..... January 23d.
TO ALL WHO ARE IN NEED.

The blessed generosity of the good people of San Francisco, Sacramento, Chico and Red Bluff, enables the Relief Committee to announce that they now have the ability to supply all immediate necessities. The Committee hope that delicacy will not prevent all who are in need from making their wants known, as it is probable that the Canvassing Committee, however zealously they may act, may overlook some cases. Sessions of the General Relief Committee will be held daily at noon, and the Secretaries or their representatives will be found at the City Hall at all hours of the day.

C. M. GORHAM

C. M. PATTERSON, Secretaries

Source: Newspaper clipping dated 1875. Probably Marysville Daily Appeal. Two lengthy articles regarding the Great Flood. In Eckart Genealogy material.⁸

- In 1897, Charles M. Gorham was Manager for the Empire Foundry, at Marysville, California.¹³

Descendants

- Ex-mayor of Marysville returning after absence of 12 years to assume management of Empire Foundry.³⁹³¹
- Marysville Foundry. The first foundry and machine shop in Marysville was established in 1852 by Stombs, Daggett and Company, and was at first located at the corner of A and Seventh streets. The business increasing from the start, it became necessary to move to larger quarters, and the corner of B and Fourth Streets was chosen as the new location. The firm became known as the Marysville Foundry. Under this name it was conducted by F. H. Booth and later by Booth and Scheidel. I. G. Shepherd for many years was superintendent and Charles M. Gorham, Manager.²¹¹
- Charles Gorham of North Berkeley, formerly coiner in the United States Mint at San Francisco, left for Washington on Sunday evening last, in a special car with Judge and Mrs. Field, and some other friends. It is his first trip to the Eastern States for over 40 years.⁷⁵⁰⁸
- Member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of New York, 1907, General No. 1923, State No. 683.⁷⁹³ Elected 19 May 1902. San Francisco, Cal., seventh from John Howland.⁸¹³
- Living as a "boarder" at 431 Ellis Street, San Francisco in 1900. Married to Melissa C___?___ at the time.¹⁷⁵⁰
- 15 Mar 1902: Appointed Melter and Refiner of the U.S. Mint at San Francisco.
28 Jul 1907: Living in Berkeley. Employed as assayer at Mint. Run down by a team on street of S.F. Removed to hospital.³⁹³¹

- **Gorham Quits Federal Mint**

Ill Health Causes Ex-Marysvillian To Resign

Marysville (Yuba Co.), July 22 — Charles M. Gorham, at one time a leading business man of this city, which he also served as Mayor, yesterday stepped down and out as smelter and refiner at the San Francisco Mint, having resigned because of ill health after two decades of splendid service. He will hold on until his successor, E. R. Leach, at present cashier of the Mint, can qualify.

Gorham has been wanting to quit for some time, but owing to an extra rush of work and his long experience, was urged to remain. His health has not been good, and a year ago he was injured in a street car accident, since which time he has been anxious to rest. His responsibility was very great and he desired to lay down the burden.

When he resided in this city, Gorham was one of the most prominent and popular

residents. He still has many warm friends and numerous acquaintances here who will regret to hear of his resignation and ill health.

His brother, George Gorham, was the Republican candidate for Governor of California at one time.³⁸⁷⁵

• **Former Resident Died In Berkeley This Week**

After a long life of usefulness, Charles M. Gorham, a former prominent resident of Marysville, died at his Berkeley home this week, following a short illness of which acquaintances in this city were not aware. Mr. Gorham, who was 81 years of age at the time of his demise, during his life was prominently identified with the political history of Marysville. Being one of the early residents he was elected city clerk of Marysville in 1858, three years after his arrival, and was re-elected to the same office in 1860, serving with satisfaction until 1863. During the two terms in this office he became popular with the voters and in 1868 he was the choice of Marysville people for the office of mayor. Five years he served in this important capacity, in 1878 Charles Gorham was selected as police judge which office he held for a term of one year, retiring from public life at the end of this period to devote his time to business.

About fifteen years ago the deceased removed from Marysville to San Francisco, where he became an official at the United States mint. Later with his family he took up his residence in Berkeley where he remained until death occurred.

Surviving the dead man besides his widow, are the following; three daughters, Mrs. W. R. Eckart of San Francisco, Mrs. Morgan of Berkeley and Mrs. Ormsby of Tucson, Ariz. Mrs. Eckart is a sister-in-law of Geo. Eckart of this city.

Deceased was also a brother of the late Senator George C. Gorham, who was at one time a candidate for governor of the state of California.²¹⁰

Census: • 1840 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 5 to 10.⁵⁴⁵⁸

• 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 19, clerk, b CT. Living with mother, Martha.¹⁵⁶

• 1860 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 29, city clerk & conveyancer, \$1500; \$500, b CT.¹⁶⁷²

• 1870 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 39, bookkeeper, \$2000; \$1500, b CT.¹⁶⁹⁶

• 1880 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 49, b CT. Accountant. Father b MA; mother b CT.³⁴⁹¹

• 1900 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 69, b Mar 1831, CT. Asst.

Descendants

Coiner, Mint. Father b MA; mother b CT.¹⁷⁵⁰

- 1910 Census: Berkeley, Alameda, California. Age 79, b CT. Retired; own income. Father b MA; mother b CT. Married 37 years.⁵⁴⁵³

General: • Marysville, founded in 1850 and named in honor of Mary Murphy Covillaud, a survivor of the tragic Donner party, was the third California community to have the benefit of gas light. Centrally located in the Sacramento Valley, the town was a busy place in the fifties, thronged with miners from the Feather and Yuba River diggings, and a source of supply for camps throughout the foothill country.³⁹⁴⁵

3 Children...

- i. **Ella Harwood** - G Granddaughter (1 Mar 1853-6 Mar 1933)
- ii. **Harriet Louise** - G Granddaughter (8 Jun 1854-5 Nov 1924)
- iii. **Jeannie Bacon** - G Granddaughter (26 Jan 1856-17 Mar 1942)

Georgianna HOLT - Granddaughter

Birth: 16 Jul 1831, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,693,4479}

Father: **Robert HOLT** - Son (28 Jan 1782-2 Mar 1838)

Mother: **Nancy HEMPSTEAD** (18 Sep 1785-28 Mar 1835)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 13, b CT. Enumerated as Sarah G. Living with family of brother-in-law, William Colfax.¹⁵⁵

- 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 29, b CT.⁴⁷⁶⁸

Spouse: **Simeon SMITH**

Marriage: 31 Aug 1854, New London?, New London, Connecticut^{312,693}

Birth: abt 1827, New London?, New London, Connecticut⁴⁴⁷⁹

Census: • 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 33, b CT. [unclear] Officer. \$0; \$800.⁴⁷⁶⁸

3 Children...

- i. **Fanny Louisa** - G Granddaughter (abt 1856-)
- ii. **Alice** - G Granddaughter (abt 1859-)
- iii. **Mary S.** - G Granddaughter (abt 1861-)

Family Notes: • 2 children.³¹²

Descendants

Charlotte COLFAX - G Granddaughter

Birth: 23 Dec 1836, New London, New London, Connecticut⁶⁹³
Father: **William P. COLFAX**⁶⁹³ (abt 1807-19 Jun 1852)
Mother: **Eliza Ann HOLT** - Granddaughter (1 Sep 1808-)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 13, born CT.¹⁵⁵

George COLFAX - G Grandson

Birth: 28 Dec 1838, Connecticut^{155,693}
Father: **William P. COLFAX**⁶⁹³ (abt 1807-19 Jun 1852)
Mother: **Eliza Ann HOLT** - Granddaughter (1 Sep 1808-)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 11, born CT.¹⁵⁵

Ellen COLFAX - G Granddaughter

Birth: 11 Sep 1842, Connecticut^{155,693}
Father: **William P. COLFAX**⁶⁹³ (abt 1807-19 Jun 1852)
Mother: **Eliza Ann HOLT** - Granddaughter (1 Sep 1808-)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 8, born CT.¹⁵⁵

William H. COLFAX - G Grandson

Birth: 29 Sep 1846, Connecticut^{155,693}
Father: **William P. COLFAX**⁶⁹³ (abt 1807-19 Jun 1852)
Mother: **Eliza Ann HOLT** - Granddaughter (1 Sep 1808-)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 3, born CT.¹⁵⁵
• 1880 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 31, b CT. Son in household of mother, Mary Colfax. Parents b CT.⁴⁴⁷⁸

Henry Peter Renouf HOLT - G Grandson

Birth: 12 Jun 1840, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,312,693}
Death: 21 Dec 1923, New London?, New London, Connecticut^{8223,7832}
Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³
Father: **Robert HOLT** - Grandson (21 Jul 1816-20 Jun 1853)
Mother: **Nancy RENOUF** (22 Sep 1819-4 Feb 1891)

Descendants

- On Gen. Hooker's staff.^{312,693}

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 19 [sic], b CT. Listed as Henry P. Holt.⁴⁷⁶⁷

- 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 20, b CT. Artist. Living with his mother in household of Simeon Smith and his aunt, Georgianna Holt Smith.⁴⁷⁶⁸
- 1870 Census: Washington, DC. Age 30, b CT. Clerk. \$0; \$500.⁴⁷⁶⁹
- 1880 Census: Washington, DC. Age 39, b NY. Clerk. Father b CT; mother b NY.³⁸⁸⁷
- 1910 Census: Washington, DC. Age 69, b CT. Clerk, Treasury Dept. Parents b CT. Listed as Henry R. R. Holt.⁴⁷⁷¹

Research: • Could not find in 1900 Census; [Ancestry.com](https://www.ancestry.com), 28 Apr 2005.

Spouse: **Ella Gertrude SMYTH**

Marriage: 26 Nov 1867^{3889,4771}

Birth: 2 Feb 1845, Maryland^{3890,4769,4770}

Death: 13 Jun 1912³⁸⁹⁰

Death: 16 Jun 1912, New London?, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Burial: Cedar Grove Cemetery, New London, New London, Connecticut⁸²²³

Father: **William F. SMYTH**³⁸⁹⁰

Mother: **UNNAMED**

- Name given as Ella Gertrude Smith Holt.⁸²²³

Census: • 1870 Census: Washington, DC. Age 20, b MD.⁴⁷⁶⁹

- 1880 Census: Washington, DC. Age 30, b DC. Father b NY; mother b NY.³⁸⁸⁷
- 1910 Census: Washington, DC. Age 65, b MD. Parents b MD.⁴⁷⁷¹

1 Child...

- i. **Capt. Felix Renouf** - **GG Grandson** (24 Jun 1879-1936)

Spouse: **Emma DE COURSEY**

Marriage: 10 May 1913³⁸⁸⁹

Anna HOLT - **G Granddaughter**

Birth: abt 1842, Connecticut⁴⁷⁶⁷

Memo: based on birthdate of her brother

Father: **Robert HOLT** - **Grandson** (21 Jul 1816-20 Jun 1853)

Descendants

Mother: **Nancy RENOUF** (22 Sep 1819-4 Feb 1891)

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 18 [sic], b CT.⁴⁷⁶⁷

Fanny BISHOP - G Granddaughter

Birth: abt 1849⁵⁸⁴⁴

Father: **Chester Kimball BISHOP**^{693,5845} (24 Jun 1821-27 Jan 1882)

Mother: **Ellen Clark HOLT** - Granddaughter (16 Sep 1823-Oct 1862)

Isabelle BISHOP - G Granddaughter

Birth: abt 1854⁵⁸⁴⁴

Father: **Chester Kimball BISHOP**^{693,5845} (24 Jun 1821-27 Jan 1882)

Mother: **Ellen Clark HOLT** - Granddaughter (16 Sep 1823-Oct 1862)

Ella Harwood GORHAM^{312,693} - G Granddaughter

Birth: 1 Mar 1853, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,13,38}

Death: 6 Mar 1933, San Francisco, San Francisco, California⁸

Father: **Hon. Charles Miner GORHAM** (22 Mar 1831-28 Feb 1912)

Mother: **Sarah Stoddard HOLT** - Granddaughter (11 Aug 1828-14 Mar 1867)

• Witness to Baptism of Harriet Louise Eckart.³⁶⁶

Census: • 1860 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 7, b CT.¹⁶⁷²

• 1870 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 17, b CT.¹⁶⁹⁶

• 1880 Census: Chico, Butte, California. Age 26, b CT.¹⁷¹⁴

• 1910 Census: Tucson, Pima, Arizona. Age 37, b CT. Parents b CT. Mother of 2 children, none living.⁵⁵⁷⁴

• 1920 Census: Glendora, Los Angeles, California. Age 66, b CT. Parents b CT.⁴⁰⁹⁵

• 1930 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 77, b CT. Age 21 at last marriage. Parents b CT. Living near her sister, Jeannie Morgan.⁴⁰⁹⁶

Spouse: **John M. ORMSBY**

Marriage: 16 Sep 1874, Marysville, Yuba, California^{8,4585}

Birth: abt 1851, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania^{4582,4608}

Death: 22 Apr 1922, Riverbank, Stanislaus, California⁸

Occupation: Cashier of a bank in Tucson, Arizona⁵⁷⁷⁷

Father: **Dr. John S. ORMSBY** (23 Aug 1806-4 Oct 1876)

Descendants

Mother: **Jane HINDMAN** (Jul 1815-)

- Both John Ormsby and his wife, Ella, were witnesses at the Christening of Harriet Louise Eckart, 16 Mar 1912.³⁶⁶

Census: • 1860 Census: Healdsburg, Sonoma, California. Age 9, b PA.⁴⁶⁰⁸

- 1870 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 18, Mess. W. F. & Co., b PA.¹⁶⁹²

- 1880 Census: Chico, Butte, California. Age 27, b PA. Stationery Dealer. Parents b PA.¹⁷¹⁴

- 1910 Census: Tucson, Pima, Arizona. Age 57, b PA. Cashier, Bank. Parents b PA.⁵⁵⁷⁴

- 1920 Census: Glendora, Los Angeles, California. Age 68, b PA. Banker, Glendora Bank. Parents b PA.⁴⁰⁹⁵

2 Children...

- i. **Charles Gorham** - GG Grandson (Died as Child) (24 Nov 1876-24 Mar 1888)

- ii. **Gerald Belcher** - GG Grandson (Died as Infant) (12 Sep 1879-14 Jul 1880)

Harriet Louise GORHAM^{312,693} - G Granddaughter

Birth: 8 Jun 1854, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,13,38,815,816,6129}

Death: 5 Nov 1924, Palo Alto, Santa Clara, California^{237,816,6100}

Burial: Cypress Lawn Cemetery, Colma, San Mateo, California³¹

Memo: ashes

Father: **Hon. Charles Miner GORHAM** (22 Mar 1831-28 Feb 1912)

Mother: **Sarah Stoddard HOLT** - Granddaughter (11 Aug 1828-14 Mar 1867)

- Parents: Chas. M. Gorham & Sarah Holt.⁸¹⁶

- WEDDING. — Miss Hattie L. Gorham, the second daughter of Hon. Charles M. Gorham, Mayor of Marysville, was married in the Presbyterian church yesterday to W. R. Eckart, Esq., of the firm of Prescott, Scheidell & Co., Rev. Dr. McKaig, officiating. A large number were present at the church, and many of the personal friends of the bride and groom subsequently assembled at the residence of the bride's parents and participated in



Harriet Louise Gorham (1854-1924)

Harriet Louise

the interchange of kindly sentiments with hearty wishes for the happiness of the young couple. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents from her relatives and friends, while the friends of the bridegroom at the Mare Island Navy Yard sent him some momentos made from the "Kearsage" wood in token of Auld Lang Syne. The newly wedded couple departed for San Francisco where the honeymoon will be spent.²⁴⁶

- His wife, who survives him, was Miss Hattie Gorham, a former Marysville girl, and the daughter of the late Charles M. Gorham, who was for a number of years the mayor of this city.²¹²

- Great-grandmother's DAR Record No. in Washington, DC is 23330. Listed relative ancestor as John Holt, Sr. (born 11 Jan 1719; died 15 May 1786) married Sarah Strickland. He was a commissary sergeant from Connecticut.⁸¹⁵

- Robbed A Residence

Thief Gained Entrance by Saying He Was an Electrician

Daniel Morris, said to be a recent arrival from Detroit, is in the City Prison with a charge of burglary opposite his name. He is a well-dressed, smooth-shaved young fellow of about 20 years, and when he called yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Harriet Eckert [sic], president of the Sorosis Club, at 3014 Clay street, and said he was an electrician sent to test and examine the wires in the house he was admitted. He had with him a canvas bag, apparently containing tools, and after he had made a cursory examination of the apparatus he left, but it was noticed that the contents of the canvass bag were more bulky than when he came. A hurried investigation revealed the fact that an electrical tape machine valued at about \$50 was missing. The police at the O'Farrell-street Station were notified, and Policeman Joseph Feld found Morris on Broderick street with the bag and contents in his possession. He was paraded before the detective force last night, but none had ever seen him before.³⁸⁸³

- Hosted Thanksgiving Dinner, 1921, at 3014 Clay St., San Francisco.¹⁷²

- [to] Harriet Louise Eckart from her Grandmother Harriet Louise Eckart

The splendid types of little women depicted in this book are often met with in life. You have become so well acquainted with them through reading of them that they are like friends to you, and have helped you to learn the value of true friendship. –

A true friend is an inspiration as well as a comfort, not so much by what he does for us as by what he incites us to do and to be, because of his example, his deeds, and his ideals. May this book prove to be such a friend to you.

Descendants

H. L. E.⁶⁷³⁸

Census: • 1860 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 6, b CT.¹⁶⁷²

• 1870 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 16, b CT.¹⁶⁹⁶

• 1900 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 44, b Jun 1856, CT. Parents b CT.¹⁷⁵¹

• 1910 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 55, b CT. Parents b CT.¹⁷⁷⁹

• 1920 Census: Palo Alto, Santa Clara, California. Age 66, b CT. Parents b CT.¹⁷⁸²

Research: • Cannot find Harriet Louise Gorham Eckart in 1880 census; 3 Jan 2010.

Spouse: **William Roberts ECKART Jr.**

Marriage: 14 Aug 1872, Marysville, Yuba,
California^{189,206,239,242,6129}

Memo: Presbyterian Church, W. W. McKaig (Rev.); Lou
Eckart Moody has the original license

Birth: 17 Jun 1841, Chillicothe, Ross, Ohio^{238,251,6129}

Death: 8 Dec 1914, Palo Alto, Santa Clara,
California^{212,8,237,251}

Burial: Cypress Lawn Cemetery, Colma, San Mateo,
California³¹

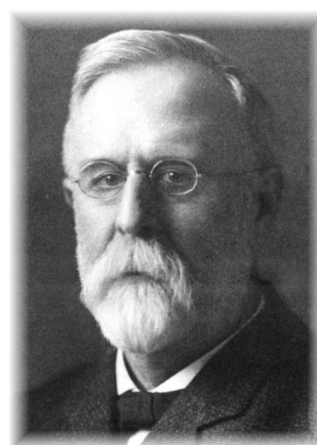
Memo: ashes

Education: graduated from St. Clair Street Academy, Cleveland as a Civil Engineer³³⁵³

Occupation: Mechanical & Civil Engineer; Naval Engineering, architecture & hydraulics

Father: **William Roberts ECKART** (4 Apr 1809-12 Apr 1869)

Mother: **Eleanor Ann CARLISLE** (12 May 1814-17 Apr 1854)



William Roberts Jr.

• Parents given as Wm. R. Eckart, born Ohio, and Eleanor Carlisle, born U.S.A.²⁵¹

• Upon the death of my mother in 1854, at Cleveland, Ohio, I was sent to Chillicothe to live with her relatives, my father moving to Zanesville. This broke up my home, as far as my parents were concerned, when I was about thirteen years of age.²⁴³

• U. S. S. Narragansett, Acapulco

Sept. 5th 1861

Hon. Gideon Welles, Secretary of the Navy

Sir

Enclosed I forward my letter of acceptance to the position of 3rd Asst. Engineer in the U. S.

Navy, also my letter of Citizenship, and Oath [of] allegiance, being the first opportunity that I have had of so doing since I received them.

I am respectfully,

your Servant

William R. Eckart, Jr.

3rd Asst. Engineer

U. S. Navy⁷⁴²

- To Hon. Gideon Welles, Secretary of the Navy

Sir

I herewith desire to tender to you my resignation of the position of 3rd Asst. Engineer in the Navy.

I am urged to this course by the following considerations: during the thirty-two months which I have served in this Squadron, I have been upon the "Sick List" nearly one year both on board of the FlagShip "Lancaster," and this vessel, and it will be seen by the letter of the Medical Officer of the Narragansett, which I enclose, that there is no immediate prospect of entire recovery. I therefore respectfully solicit the early action of the Department upon my communication.

I am very respectfully,

Your obd Servent,

William R. Eckart

3rd Asst. Engineer U.S.N.⁷⁴³

- **Steam in the Chronicle Office.**

Today the [Vallejo] DAILY CHRONICLE is printed by steam. We judged it to be an important event in the history of Vallejo enterprise when less than two years ago the proprietor of this establishment introduced a posser press to accommodate the rapidly increasing circulation of the CHRONICLE, but since that time his business has been increased so wonderfully, that he will now have four presses driven by steam. In fact, steam, or some other motor other than human muscle, had become a necessity to accommodate the business of the CHRONICLE office, and he feels a natural pride in being the first party to introduce it into a Vallejo printing office. Our engine is a neat and compact six-horse power, built at the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, from drawings made by W. R. Eckart, and is in every respect a complete piece of machinery. The shafting and hangings are from the Foundry and Machine Works of Heald & McCormick, Vallejo, who have made an admirable job. Hereafter we shall be able to expedite the issue of the

CHRONICLE, and accommodate patrons with the delivery of job work at an earlier time than formerly. The machinery may be seen at work after three o'clock in the afternoon.¹⁹⁹⁹

- SERENADE. The National Brass band serenaded Mr. Eckart and his bride last evening, thus welcoming them home from their bridal tour. Mr. Eckart responded handsomely, taking the boys to the Dawson House, where they indulged in champagne and other good things.²⁰⁰⁰

- A NARROW ESCAPE. — The Oroville Record, of the 17th instant, says on Friday night of last week, Mr. W. R. Eckart, of the Marysville Foundry, had a narrow escape from assassination in Oroville. It seems that a company of Chinamen in the Lava Beds, had purchased some machinery from the Marysville Foundry, and by some means, had got the idea into their Celestial heads that they were being cheated by the interpreter who had made the purchase for them, and Mr. Eckart came to Oroville to settle the matter. The Chinamen seemed to think that he was in with the interpreter, and bad feeling was engendered against them. At night as he was standing on the corner of Montgomery and Huntoon streets, a Chinaman passed and struck him with a knife. The blow was aimed at his heart, and given with much force. Fortunately it struck a large and thick memorandum book in the breast pocket of his coat, which proved sufficient to check the progress of the knife. Such was the force of the blow, however, that the point of the knife penetrated the cover of the book, passed through several letters enclosed in the book and penetrated several leaves. The Chinaman escaped in the darkness. It is understood that the interpreter knows the perpetrator of the dastardly attempt to assassinate Mr. Eckart, but does not know of his personal whereabouts.

Source: Newspaper clipping, dated 1873, probably Marysville newspaper; in same style as "SERENADE," above.

- Statement of Services as a Mechanical Engineer

Was born in Chillicothe, Ohio June 17th, 1841; graduated from St. Clair Street Academy, Cleveland, Ohio, as a Civil Engineer. Served a regular apprenticeship with Griffith, Ebert & Wedge, Zanesville, Ohio, as a machinist, and afterwards worked as a journeyman and draughtsman in their establishment.

At the breaking out of the war, entered the Navy as Engineer, July 8th, 1861, serving in that capacity on various government vessels until 1864, when my resignation was tendered and accepted, then entered the employment of H. J. Booth & Co., proprietors of the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, Cal. as assistant draughtsman, serving them afterwards as their Chief Draughtsman, Foreman, and Superintendent.

Descendants

In May 1867 was duly examined as to my qualifications and licensed to act as a 1st class Chief Engineer in the Merchant Service (license No. 25, 1867). Same has been renewed on application in 1871 and 1875. After leaving the Union Iron Works in 1869, entered the employ of the U. S. Government at Mare Island, Cal. as Foreman, and was soon afterward appointed Superintendent of Steam Machinery where I remained until leaving to enter as partner in the Marysville Foundry January 8th, 1872 with my former employer. Where we are now carrying on the business of manufacturing mining and marine machinery under the firm name of Booth and Eckart.

Was educated as a Civil Engineer, at the St. Clair Street academy in Cleveland, Ohio was admitted as an Associate to the Institute of Naval Architects in 1869.

W. R. Eckart³³⁵³

- Evening Chronicle
VIRGINIA CITY, NEV.
Per Week 25 cents.
WEDNESDAY JANUARY 23, 1878
The Fulton Foundry.

The Fulton Foundry is now under the Superintendency of Mr. Eckart, formerly of San Francisco, and is prepared to furnish drawings, estimates and specifications in mechanical engineering, and especially in the construction of steam engines and boilers of all descriptions, wire rope, transmission pumping machinery, etc. All kinds of machinery, in fact, can be made here in the best style, and Mr. Eckart's wide reputation as a practical engineer is such as to give patrons solid assurance that their orders will be satisfactorily filled.²⁰⁰¹

- AN APPOINTMENT — W. R. Eckart, Superintendent of the Fulton Foundry, has been appointed Deputy United States Mineral Surveyor for this State. Now he will be "monarch of all he surveys" and "his right there will be none to dispute."²⁴⁷

- A New Iron Steam Yacht for Lake Tahoe

The Carson Flume and Lumber company have decided to build a new iron steamer to be used in connection with their extensive lumber business on the lake. Their fleet heretofore has consisted of the the iron steamer "Meteor," the wooden boat "Emerald," and such other boats as the necessity of their extensive business has compelled them to charter during their busy season. The "Meteor" was the first iron screw yacht ever constructed on the Pacific Coast, and has proved herself after two years' trial, as being the staunchest and fastest yacht ever built in the United States, having made upon numerous occasions over

twenty-one miles per hour to the proof and satisfaction of many doubting experts, who can believe nothing but what they see and try themselves...

The boat as well as the machinery will be built from the designs and specifications of Mr. Eckart, Superintendent of the Fulton Foundry of this city, also the construction engineer and designer of the "Meteor" which has given such satisfaction to the company.²⁵⁸³

- AN UNPLEASANT EXPERIENCE

A Traveler Having to Wait for a Bed

Until a Corpse was Removed From It.

W. R. Eckart, of San Francisco, is still in town. He had a somewhat unpleasant experience at Pocatello, at which place he had to stop over one night on his way here. After some delay he was shown to a room at the railway hotel, and although the thermometer registered a long way below zero, he found the windows wide open and the room looking anything but cheerful. After having the windows closed and the lamp lighted, he remarked that there was a large number of medicine bottles in the room; and after getting into bed he became painfully aware of the fact that the air was strongly impregnated with the fumes of carbolic acid. The night being extremely cold, he drew the bedclothes over his head, when he found the carbolic was stronger in bed than anywhere else. Visions of small pox at once floated through his brain, and he came to the conclusion that some one from California with that disease had occupied the bed; but knowing that if such was the case the danger was already done, and he would gain nothing by leaving bed, he lay quiet and went to sleep. In the morning he asked Boniface for an explanation, and was informed that a railroad man who had had his legs crushed had been occupying the room. Mr. Eckart said he hoped the gentleman had not been disturbed on his account. "Oh, no" said my host, "he died at 5 o'clock yesterday evening, and his body was sent east." This, of course, accounted for the delay in giving him the room.

Source: Newspaper clipping, dated Jan 1888, probably local Anaconda newspaper

- SUBMARINE BOAT.

SHE MAKES A REMARKABLE SHOWING.

Considered to be Absolutely Safe — The Vessel Dives Beneath the Water.

GREEN POINT, (N. Y.), Sept. 22. — The submarine torpedo-boat Holland made a remarkable good showing on her practice run today, and aside from the regular run of a mile under water at a uniform depth of seven feet, discharged a regulation Whitehead torpedo such as is used in the Navy. The trial lasted one hour and a half. W. R. Eckhart, [sic] consulting engineer of the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, took the plunge in the

Holland. The torpedo, when discharged, took a downward course and struck the bottom fifty feet from the bow. The cause of the deflection of the torpedo off its course was thought to be the disarrangement of the mechanism. Otherwise the trial was most successful. Afterward the Holland, with Mr. Eckhart aboard, made a deep dive, completely submerging the flags, which are ten feet high. Five minutes later she came to the surface.

Eckhart said he considered the boat absolutely safe and practical, and would prefer being aboard the Holland when submerged than in the fireroom of any surface torpedo boat.

Source: Newspaper clipping. Source and date unknown.⁸

- "W. R. Eckart, veteran construction and mechanical engineer, A. M. Hunt and W. F. C. Hasson, electrical engineers, served as consultants during the building of the plant. L. M. Hancock was the engineer in charge." Nevada County Power Co. "Work on the Nevada power plant started with a rush July 5, 1895." "Despite the obstacles, the Nevada power plant was finished in seven months. Power flowed into Nevada City in Feb. 1896; to Grass Valley, a month later. Initial installed capacity was 300 kilowatts, soon to raised to 1,200 kW." (pp. 128-135)

Eckart was "In charge of design and construction of mechanical and hydraulic equipment" of Electra Powerhouse built by Prince André Poniatowski and his Standard Elec. Co. of California (inc. Nov. 27, 1897, W. Vir; reincorporated in Calif. Feb. 7, 1899). Poniatowski (first under Calif. Exploration Co, inc. April 1896 succeeded by California Exploration, Ltd, inc. 1898) optioned several mining properties in Amador County and needed electricity to develop and operate the mines. Local supplier was Blue Lakes Water Co. (org. 1887 by W. Frank Pierce to build "a pipeline from Amador Co. to Oakland to supply 17,500,000 gal of water daily"). He negotiated with Pierce to supply electricity and financed (\$122,500) the construction of the Blue Lakes Powerhouse (450 kilowatt generators) "on an old millsite on the Mokelumne River 5 miles from Jackson, where water could be dropped 1,040 feet from the Amador Canal..." The plant began operating October 25, 1897. After this project Poniatowski conceived of a larger power plant which would be able to serve San Francisco, 143 miles away. He visited the Blue Lakes Region to examine the potential water resources including engineering data, water storage capacity, size of dams, and estimated costs. He estimated that the power plant would have to generate as much as 15,000 kwatts. This project was too big for his company so, working with W. H. Crocker, developed a plan of financing which included the formation of the Standard Electric Co. of Calif. The Blue Lakes Powerhouse was operated successfully until Nov. 1, 1899, when fire destroyed construction of the Electra Plant "the last word in design and construction."

Chief Engineer, "Dr. Frederick A. C. Perrine, first professor of electrical engineering at Stanford Univ. and later pres. of the Stanley Elec. Mfg. Co." was responsible for the design of the electrical parts of the project and for the transmission system. "Associated with him were Frank G. Baum, brilliant Stanford engineer, and A. C. Bunker, young electrical engineer who had had experience with the Stanley Electrical Co., manufacturers of Electra's generating equipment. Engineers C. P. Gilbert and C. H. Ellison were members of the extensive staff." "In charge of design and construction of mechanical and hydraulic equipment was veteran W. R. Eckart who had a broad background of experience in mining and hydraulic work. He was an engineering officer of the Navy in the Civil War. He had designed the first locomotive built in Calif. by Peter Donahue's Union Iron Works. He designed and built for the Bliss family the steamer Meteor which was operated for years on Lake Tahoe. At Virginia City he had been Consulting engineer for Mackay, Flood, O'Brien and Fair in the Comstock mines, installing high-pressure pipe lines to lift water from the lower workings to the surface by huge Cornish pumps."^{2532,3945}

- "Deep Mining Work In The Comstock Lode," by W. R. Eckart, M. E.

The following contribution to the "Report's" efforts to bring about the drainage of the Comstock mines and the resumption of the deep mining therein, through advanced methods and the use of the most improved appliances is from the pen of W. R. Eckart, M. E. Mr. Eckart's article is exhaustive and comprehensive, and coming from such a leading authority is sure to have great influence upon the mine engineers of the Comstock, who are now ascertaining the best means of draining the mines and searching for new bonanzas at greater depths.⁵⁷⁴⁹

- Excerpts from letter from John W. Mackay to William Roberts Eckart, 17 Aug 1899:

Prince Poniatowski, wired me last night, that you were coming with him to New York, and would be at the Waldorf on Monday. I am sorry I will not be here when you arrive, as I should have liked to talk with you on several topics. I am going to Idaho, with another party, where we have been prospecting mines for some time, and will probably arrive in San Francisco in about two weeks.⁵⁷⁵⁰

- The Pitot tube used during the tests was designed and constructed by Mr. William Roberts Eckart, M. I. Mech. E.⁴³⁶⁸

- When the history of engineering on the Pacific coast comes to be written it will not be complete unless the work of W. R. Eckart occupies the large place in the book that it occupies in fact and in the experience of his contemporaries. Mr. Eckart has been

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honored by membership in the following societies: American Society of Civil Engineers since 1881; American Society of Mechanical Engineers since 1882 -- vice president from 1883 to 1885; The Institution of Mechanical Engineers, London, 1878; Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, 1893; American Society of Naval Engineers; Associate Member of The Institution of Naval Architects, London.¹⁸⁹

- [excerpt] Eckart was always on the firing line of progress and delighted in nothing more than in dealing with new and difficult problems. He was eminently a student in his manner of handling them, and spared no pains in insuring a sound foundation for his proposed solution or mode of treatment. He was notable as a collector of books and professional literature and of fine precision apparatus used in engineering measurements; was a member of many engineering societies and technical organizations, and occasionally contributed papers of value to their transactions. In 1872 he married Harriet Louise Gorham; to them were born three sons and one daughter. After a long period of failing health, during which he retained his keen interest in engineering, he died in Palo Alto, Cal., at the home of his eldest son.¹⁹⁹⁸

- William Eckart Dies at Ripe Old Age, Was Former Resident of Marysville and Had Wide Reputation As An Engineer

William R. Eckart, a brother of George R. Eckart of this city, died at Palo Alto Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. He had been ill for some time and heart trouble was his ailment.

Deceased made his home in San Francisco until about a year ago, when he moved to Palo Alto. He was a former resident of Marysville and in the seventies was the proprietor of the Marysville foundry. Leaving Marysville he was form many years mechanical engineer for the Union Iron Works, and designed the engines of the famous old battleship, Oregon, and other ships built by this concern. After he retired from this position he entered the employ of the United States Government and was the representative of the government on all types of government boats. For the past number of years he was the consulting engineer for a number of large electrical and other corporations and had a national reputation as an electrical and mechanical engineer.

His wife, who survives him, was Miss Hattie Gorham, a former Marysville girl, and the daughter of the late Charles M. Gorham, who was for a number of years the mayor of this city. Deceased at the time of his death was coiner in the United States Mint at San Francisco.

Deceased will be buried today at Palo Alto. He was seventy-three years old.²¹²

- Together with his half-brother, Isaac Roberts Eckart, portrayed in Allen Smith, Jr. painting,

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dated Cleveland, 1843. Portrait now [2004] hanging in home of Dave & Gretchen Mills, Scottsdale, Arizona.⁴⁰⁴⁷

Research: • Cannot find William Roberts Eckart in 1870 or 1880 censuses.

Census: • 1850 Census: Chillicothe, Ross, Ohio. Age 9, b OH.¹⁵³

• 1860 Census: Zanesville, Muskingum, Ohio. Age 18, b OH. Machinist.¹⁶⁷¹

• 1900 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 59, b Jun 1841, OH. Mechanical engineer. Father b Canada (Fr); mother b OH.¹⁷⁵¹

• 1910 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 68, b OH. Consulting engineer. Father b Canada; mother b OH.¹⁷⁷⁹

General: • The Eckart portrait, depicting Isaac Roberts Eckart and his half-brother, William Roberts, was appraised at \$1,000.00 insurable value in 1974.³³⁴⁴

• New York trained artist, Allen Smith, Jr. settled in Cleveland, Ohio in 1841, having been in New York City from 1830, and swiftly rose to prominence as a portrait and genre painter. Like all artists, he suffered greatly during the Panic of 1857, and this circumstance forced him to take a job in James F. Ryder's studio where, according to his employer's advertisements, he produced the "best oil painted photographs in Ohio."⁵⁹⁰⁵

Directories: • 1878 Virginia City, Nevada

ECKART W. R., superintendent Fulton Foundry, 360 South C, res Wilmott House³³⁴⁵

• San Francisco, 1881

Eckart, William R. (Salkeld & Eckart), r. 611 Bush⁶²⁹²

• San Francisco, 1889-91

William R. Eckart, civil and mechanical engineer, 217 Sansome, rooms 2-3; r. 2906 California³⁶⁵⁴

• San Francisco, 1902, page 613

Eckart, William R, mech. engr. Nevada Block, r. 3014 Clay.³³⁵⁰

• San Francisco, 1902 Blue Book, page 157

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Eckart, 3014 Clay⁵⁸³³

• San Francisco, 1906

West 66. Eckart, W. R.....Res 3014 Clay.²⁶³¹

• San Francisco, 1906 Blue Book

ECKART, Mr. and Mrs. W. R.; 3014 Clay (T. West 66) 2 & 3 Friday³³⁵⁰

• San Francisco, 1910 Blue Book

p. 17: 3014 Clay St., Mr and Mrs W. R. Eckart

p 63: ECKART, Mr. and Mrs. W. R., 3014 Clay St.³³⁵⁰

Military: • During his days of apprenticeship Mr. Eckart made numerous trips at the trial of new river boat engines and this awakened in him a desire to enter the government service as a naval engineer. At the outbreak of the Civil war he successfully passed the examination before the board of engineers, winning highest rank at that date. He was appointed third assistant engineer July 30, 1861, and ordered at once to join the fleet of naval vessels on the Pacific coast. While thus serving in the San Francisco harbor he met, and won the friendship of, a number of California's most eminent men in the engineering profession. Mr. Eckart had been mustered into the United States naval service as third assistant engineer on the Narragansett which was commanded by Commander S. E. Woodworth and was attached to the Pacific squadron under Commodore Charles H. Bell. On the 3d of December, 1862, he was transferred to the Lancaster under command of Commodore Joseph Lannan, of the Pacific squadron, and on the 23d of November, 1863, was returned to the Narragansett. The Narragansett and the Lancaster cruised up and down the Pacific waters along the coast of the United States, Mexico, the Central American states and South America, visiting the ports of San Francisco, Panama, New Grenada and Callao, doing patrol duty and protecting the interests of this country during the Civil war.

Ill health at length forced Mr. Eckart to resign and he was honorably discharged at San Francisco, March 2, 1864.¹⁸⁹

Biography: •

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

W. R. ECKART

The Company's Consulting Engineer, a Veteran Foremost in His Profession on the Pacific Coast

Ohio has produced more presidents than any other state. There may be something in the environment or something in the consciousness of the great achievements of her famous sons that impels a goodly percentage of Ohio-born men to advance to positions of prominence. The incentive of close example, the germ of ambition, whatever it be, the Ohio man at his best climbs above the average that start under like circumstances. Who today are the half dozen great engineers on the Pacific slope? You can't name them and omit W. R. Eckart from the front rank. For more than forty years his life has been identified intimately and exclusively with most of the great engineering problems and developments of this part of the world.

He began life as an Ohioan sixty-eight years ago, for he was born at Chillicothe June 17th, 1841. His mother's people had been pioneers in the settlement of that part of Ohio.

His father was a merchant, with shipping interests in vessels on the great lakes.

First young Eckart attended private schools. Then his mother died when he was 12. After some public schooling in Chillicothe and Cleveland he took a special mathematical course in an academy at Cleveland in the hope of becoming a civil engineer, as he had a relative who was a civil engineer and president of the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad, which was being somebody in those days! When the boy was in his early teens the father moved to Zanesville, where he had a managing interest in a flour mill. Now it happened that the power for this grist mill came from six water wheels. New wheels had to be installed. Young Eckart was assisting the millwright. And as he worked at setting up those wheels he was noticed. A member of a firm prominent in those days in general mill and steamboat work offered him a place as apprentice. The youth had voyaged a little on Ohio and Mississippi river steamboats, and marine engineering had fascinated him. So he accepted the apprenticeship. The firm's junior partner was manager of the works; he was master mechanic of great ability, and had been apprentice and foreman to Sir Joseph Whitworth in England, when the Whitworth works grew famous for machine tool construction. The manager became young Eckart's friend, his severest and most encouraging critic. No work was done "good enough"; it had to be finished as the best possible. That apprenticeship and those ideas laid the foundation of the Eckart thoroughness and efficiency as a practical engineer.

Participation in steamboat trial trips to test machinery further interested the apprentice in marine engineering. July 2d, 1861, he took the government examinations and passed them with the rank of No. 1 of his date. He was appointed a third assistant engineer and ordered to join the United States naval fleet at San Francisco.

During his three years of naval duty, from the time he was 20 till he was 23, he made the acquaintance in San Francisco and gained the lasting friendship of the foremost men then in the engineering profession in California — Paul Torqua, Joseph Moore, Irving M. Scott, Wallace Hanscom, Huttner, Specht. Because of poor health he resigned from the navy and decided to make his home in San Francisco. He secured employment in 1864 in the drafting room of H. J. Booth & Co., a concern that manufactured mining machinery and repaired coast steamships. Irving M. Scott was the company's chief draftsman at that time. A year later Eckart, then 24, was chief draftsman, and August 30th, 1865, the Booth & Co. shops turned out from Eckart's designs and drawings the first locomotive manufactured in California. The trial run was made that day on the railroad from San Francisco to San Jose, with the governor, state and city officials, and other notables as invited passengers.

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In 1867 Eckart went east, passed the examinations that licensed him to be a first-class chief engineer in the merchant marine, and then returned to California and continued his work with Booth & Co. In February of 1869, after nearly five years with the concern designing mills and mining machinery, he resigned to accept the appointment as draftsman to the steam engineering department at the Mare Island Navy Yard. That was when he was 27. He became foreman machinist, and was finally promoted to superintendent of steam machinery at the navy yard. He designed steam machinery, propellers, and dynamometers for the noted experiments made by the government with "steam launch No. 4."

When he was 30 he left the navy yard to become a partner in the Marysville foundry firm of Prescott, Scheidel & Co., later styled Booth & Eckart. The firm built a great variety of hydraulic and mining machinery. Because of his experience in the experiments with the government launch Eckart guaranteed a speed of 21 miles an hour when taking the contract to build the little steamer Meteor for the Carson Lumber Company's use on Lake Tahoe, and the Meteor made the speed and was at the time the fastest boat of its size in the world.

At 31 Eckart was appointed consulting engineer in the sinking of the four air shafts for the famous Sutro tunnel in Nevada. He spent months experimenting at Virginia City, collecting in his minute and methodical way data necessary to a commanding understanding of the whole situation. It was nasty, suffocating work, deep down in the mines, in a steamy, reeking atmosphere, where drops of subterranean water blistered the skin.

He had already designed the hoisting and drainage works for the Belcher, Yellow Jacket, Ophir, C. & C., and other historic mines.

In 1873 he established his residence in Virginia City as the consulting engineer for that remarkable quartette of bonanza kings, Mackay, Flood, O'Brien, and Fair.

About 1876 it became evident to the big operators on the Comstock Lode that heavy and powerful pumping and hoisting machinery would have to be installed to operate at a depth of 2,000 or 3,000 feet below the 1,600-foot level to be tapped by the Sutro drainage tunnel, which was then in 15,500 feet and had about 5,000 feet still to go to reach the lode. Prescott, Scott & Co. and the Risdon Iron Works were keen competitors for the contracts to construct the desired machinery. The firm that could produce an acceptable design first usually got the job. So Prescott, Scott & Co. sent Eckart down to San Francisco to help Irving M. Scott with the designs. And there was where Eckart's earlier collection of minute data counted. While he did not design the great hydraulic pumps of the

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Comstock, his experiments in 1880 and 1881, while a member of the United States Geological Survey preparing his government report on the "Mechanical Appliances of the Comstock Lode," became classics for the information of engineers, as the problems involved things not before undertaken in engineering and difficulties of a peculiar nature because of the great depth and the subterranean hot waters encountered.

About 1880, when deep mining on the Comstock began to decline, Eckart, then 39, moved to San Francisco and opened an office as a consulting engineer, and for ten years designed or supervised the construction of works for many well-known mines in California, Utah, and old Mexico. He made the plans for the Anaconda Copper Works in Montana and the hoisting and reduction works for Haggin and Tevis. In 1896 he solved the problem of getting the water out of the Alliston Ranch Mine at Grass Valley, which had lain idle and its lower levels bafflingly submerged for thirty years.

When the Union Iron Works entered upon its great career of warship building Eckart was engaged as its consulting engineer, and as such he assisted in conducting most of the preliminary and official trial trips and in rendering the reports.

In 1899 he was appointed consulting engineer for the Standard Electric Company, now owned by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, and then became its resident constructing engineer for all its hydraulic works, reservoirs, pipe lines, ditches, and power houses. Those were the days of pioneering in long-distance transmission of electric energy, and Eckart, who, more than a generation earlier, had taken so prominent a part in the work on the Comstock of getting the boiling water out of the depths of the Sierra Nevada mountains, was among the first to solve the problem of getting the melting snows from the tops of those same mountains down to hydroelectric plants that would transmit the energy on 200 miles to the local needs of the coast cities. Since 1907 he has been consulting engineer for the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

His life has been busy but unobtrusive, his achievements in his profession many, and his recognition partly expressed by membership accorded him in the most prominent engineering societies of American and England.²⁴⁴

- WILLIAM ROBERTS ECKART, M. Am. Soc. C. E.
DIED DECEMBER 8TH, 1914.

William Roberts Eckart was born on June 17th, 1841, at Chillicothe, Ohio. His father, William R. Eckart, was a merchant of prominence, who, at one time, had large shipping interests on the Lakes and, later, a managing interest in the Putnam Flour Mills, at Zanesville, Ohio. His mother was member of the Carlisle family, pioneers in the settlement of Ohio.

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After attending the public schools of Chillicothe and Cleveland, Mr. Eckart, having determined to take up the Profession of Civil Engineering, took a special course in mathematics at the St. Clair Street Academy, in Cleveland. Accepting the opportunity of serving an apprenticeship in the works of Griffith, Ebert, and Wedge, a firm of good reputation for general mill and steamboat work, he had the good fortune to come under the observation and to obtain the friendly interest of the junior partner, Mr. Wedge, who had had exceptional opportunities, in the shops of Sir Joseph Whitworth, in the manufacture of machine tools requiring extreme accuracy of construction. The effect of Mr. Wedge's insistence that "the best" was to be attained, was not lost on Mr. Eckart, but supplemented his natural ability and became apparent in all his work.

It was natural that his early opportunity to work on steamboat construction and to participate in trial trips, awoke in Mr. Eckart a desire to enter the Government service as a Naval Engineer. The application was made, and in the examinations of June, 1861, he received the highest rating of all applicants of that date.

On July 30th, 1861, he was appointed Third Assistant Engineer and ordered to join the fleet of naval vessels on the Pacific Coast. He arrived in San Francisco in the latter part of 1861, and soon became well known among, and formed friendships with, California's foremost engineers, including Paul Torqua, Joseph Moore, Irving M. Scott, Wallace Hanscom, Huttner, Specht, and many others.

In 1864, after resigning from the Navy on account of ill health, Mr. Eckart entered the employment of H. J. Booth and Company, at San Francisco, under Mr. Irving M. Scott who was Chief Draftsman, and was engaged principally on the design of mining machinery and steamboat work. As Chief Draftsman with the same firm, Mr. Eckart designed the first locomotive built in California, which was given its trial trip from San Francisco to San José on August 30th, 1865.

In 1869, Mr. Eckart, then holding a license as First-Class Chief Engineer in the Merchant Service, accepted appointment as Draftsman in the Steam Engineering Department of the Mare Island Navy Yard, where, later, he was Foreman Machinist and Superintendent of Steam Machinery. A report by Mr. B. F. Isherwood and Mr. Eckart to the Secretary of the Navy on the relative efficiency of different propellers, and dynamometers used in making the necessary experiments. ["On Marine Propulsion," Transactions, Inst. of Naval Architects of London, 1872, Vol. XIII, p. 315.]

In 1871, Mr. Eckart left the Navy Yard, and entered into partnership with Prescott, Scheidel and Company, at Marysville, the firm name being afterward changed to Booth and Eckart. This firm specialized in hydraulic, milling, and mining machinery, and by

reason of its favorable location did a prosperous business.

In 1876, the firm of Prescott, Scott, and Company, which succeeded that of H. J. Booth and Company, took some large contracts for pumping machinery for the Comstock Mines, and Mr. Eckart was recalled to San Francisco to assist in its design and to superintend its construction. By this time quite a rivalry had sprung up between Prescott, Scott, and Company (The Union Iron Works), and the Risdon Iron Works, in producing designs of machinery to handle the water and ores at Virginia City.

At this date the Sutro Tunnel was "in" 15,500 ft., had 5,000 ft. more to go, and would strike the Comstock Lode just below the 1,600-ft. level. The mine owners were already realizing that nothing but the heaviest and best designed machinery would meet the requirements on all the workings below the tunnel and, therefore, designs for pumps and hoists of large capacity to reach 4,000 ft. below the surface were decided on and called for. Not only the great depth, but also the ventilation and sinking of shafts in virgin ground abounding in large but unknown quantities of hot water to be met and overcome, presented problems unparalleled in engineering experience in any part of the world, and Mr. Eckart had a large share in dealing with and overcoming these conditions.

Having acted as Consulting Engineer for Sutro in sinking four shafts on the line of the tunnel, the investigations then made helped him materially when, in 1876, the orders came for the large pumps and hoists. He spent months in Virginia City experimenting, taking "cards" from pumps where the water would "boil an egg" and the vapors "airbound the pumps", and where the expansion and contraction strains due to great changes in temperature often wrecked the heaviest castings. The knowledge thus gained was of great advantage to the firm he represented.

About this time, Mr. Eckart moved to Virginia City and became Consulting Engineer to the "Bonanza Firm," consisting of Messrs. J. W. Mackay, I. C. Flood, J. J. O'Brien, and James G. Fair, which owned or controlled nearly all the "North End" mines. During this time, he was Manager of the Fulton Foundry, at Virginia City. In 1878, he was also appointed United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor for the State of Nevada. During the following two years, a great part of his time was occupied in the underground workings of the Virginia City and Gold Hill Mines, investigating, planning, repairing, and improving the pumps and machinery, as the mines grew deeper and the water kept increasing. While still a resident of Virginia City, he, in connection with Mr. W. I. Salkeld, a noted millwright of the time, designed and built the Bulwer Standard Mill, at Bodie, which, at that time, was one of largest pan mills for working ore.

During the early part of 1880, Mr. Eckart was appointed a member of the U.S.

Geological Survey under Mr. Clarence King, and was given charge of investigating and reporting on "The Mechanical Appliances of the Comstock Lode." On this work, which was practically a labor of love, he spent nearly two years collecting data, testing pumps, engines, and hoists, and making drawings for the Government of all the machinery on the Comstock. The finest instruments procurable in the United States and Europe were used in the various investigations of efficiency. Hydraulic indicators tested and calibrated for from 500 to 5,500 lb. per sq. in. were used in testing the hydraulic pumps designed for the Cholar, Norcross, and Savage Shafts. Chronographs, to measure and record the velocities of engines and pump rods, accurate to 1/500 sec., were used on the surface and at a depth of 2,500 ft. The use of this instrument enabled results to be obtained which became of great value; diagrams taken from the heavy rods and pumps on the lower levels gave the clue to the location of the strains which had been so destructive in breaking rods and balance bobs in the past. The velocity curves of the rods and pumps revealed the fact, not theretofore known, and only in recent years properly understood, that the elasticity of long rods could give rise to free vibrations which at times were superposed on the force vibration and accelerations due to the engines and pumps, so that maximum vibrations and strains resulted at certain parts of the rods, which exceeded the elastic limit of the timber of which the rods were constructed. Changes were thus determined in the location of balance bobs and weights, which increased the efficiency of the pumps and checked the destruction of the rods and bobs. Some of these velocity diagrams, as well as illustrations of the largest pump engines and the hydraulic pumps, were published by Professor A. Riedler, of Berlin, while acting as Commissioner of Mines to the German Government in 1893.

In 1881, Mr. Eckart removed to San Francisco and opened offices there as a Consulting and Constructing Engineer and, during the following eight or ten years, some of the largest and most important mining plants were designed and constructed under his supervision. The pumping engine for the Ontario Mine, with perhaps the largest Cornish pump for deep mining ever built in the United States, was constructed from his designs during this period. The pumps were 20 in. in diameter, with 10-ft. stroke; two pumps at each station operated from one pump rod, 2,000 ft. long. In 1881, he began, for Haggin and Tevis, plans for all the Anaconda Copper Works, Hoists and Reduction Works, in Montana, which were started as a silver mill with a capacity of less than 350 tons per day, were increased in size and changed by addition until, in 1888, they were capable of working 3,000 tons per day. He designed and carried out much other work for the same firm.

In 1883, the Union Iron Works was changed to an incorporated company, and Mr.

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Eckart was retained as Consulting Engineer in matters pertaining to the propelling power of the Government vessels built by that Company. He was present at and assisted in conducting nearly all the preliminary and Government trials of these vessels.

In 1899, Mr. Eckart was appointed Consulting Engineer to the Standard Electric Company, and afterward became Engineer in charge of construction as well. He continued to act as Consulting Engineer after the completion of the plant, and after the Pacific Gas and Electric Company acquired his property as a part of its great power system, he was retained in the same capacity by the latter company, in connection with the hydroelectric branch of the work.

In 1907, the Snow Mountain Water and Power Company engaged Mr. Eckart as Consulting and Constructing Engineer, and he was connected with that company until he retired from active business at the close of 1913. He continued in the employ of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, however, to the day of his death, which occurred on December 8th, 1914, at the residence of his son, Mr. W. R. Eckart, Jr., in Palo Alto, Cal. He is survived by his widow, Harriet Louise Eckart, and four children, W. R. Eckart, Jr., of the Leland Stanford, Jr., University, Charles F. Eckart, Olaa, Hawaii, Nelson A. Eckart, M. Am. Soc. C. E., of San Francisco, and Mrs. C. E. Hume, of Piedmont, Cal.

Mr. Eckart had unusual talent as an experimenter and investigator. His methods were thorough, painstaking, and accurate, and his records of tests and experiments could always be regarded as absolutely trustworthy. Most of the special instruments and devices needed in his various investigations were designed and made by himself. Among such instruments was a "Chronograph for Engineering Purposes, with the Hipp Escapement", described under that title by him in a paper [Transactions, Am. Soc. Mech. Engrs., Vol. 3, p. 184] presented before the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, in 1882. In the discussion of that paper, the late Robert H. Thurston, M. Am. Soc. C. E., of Cornell University, speaks of Mr. Eckart as follows: "He is a very careful worker. In fact, I have not met in the profession a man who seemed better adapted to the application of fine measurements to experimentation on the steam engine." This instrument was devised for use in the investigations made by Mr. Eckart on the Cornish pumps of the Comstock Lode, and was used subsequently in other investigations requiring accurate time measurements.

As a man and among his colleagues, Mr. Eckart had the admiration of all who knew him. He was a hard worker, always going to the bottom of his problems; and the mass of data which he had accumulated and the results of his ripe experience, were at the service of this colleagues whenever he was appealed to. His friendly help has been appreciated and will be remembered by all who have worked or conferred with him.

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Mr. Eckart was honored by membership in the following Engineering Societies: American Society of Mechanical Engineers, April, 1882; Institution of Mechanical Engineers, London, January, 1878; Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, May, 1893; American Society of Naval Engineers; and Associate Member of the Institute of Naval Architects, London.

Mr. Eckart was elected a Member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, on January 5th, 1881.²⁴⁵

• William Roberts Eckart

[excerpt] One need but to see William Roberts Eckart to know that he is a man of forceful character whose habit it is to accomplish what he undertakes and the records show that he has risen to a position of distinction among representative American mechanics and engineers. He was born in Chillicothe, Ohio, June 17, 1841, a son of William Roberts and Eleanor (Carlisle) Eckart. In the maternal line he represents one of the pioneer families of that portion of the state. In 1842 his parents removed to Cleveland, where the father, who was a merchant, had large shipping interests in vessels on the lakes.

William Roberts Eckart, Jr., began his education in a private school of Cleveland but after his mother's death, which occurred when he was but twelve years of age, his time was divided between the public schools of that city and of Chillicothe until he entered upon a special course in mathematics at the St. Clair Street Academy of Cleveland for the purpose of preparing for the profession of civil engineering. In the '50s the family home was established in Zanesville, Ohio, where the father had a managing interest in the Putnam flour mills.¹⁸⁹

4 Children...

- i. **William Rankine** - GG Grandson (25 May 1873-14 Jul 1958)
- ii. **Charles Franklin** - GG Grandson (18 Jun 1875-20 Jun 1934)
- iii. **Nelson Andrew** - GG Grandson (8 Dec 1878-13 Jan 1958)
- iv. **Eleanor Carlisle** - GG Granddaughter (4 May 1883-17 Apr 1950)

Marriage Notes: • Married 28 years in 1900.¹⁷⁵¹

Jeannie Bacon GORHAM - G Granddaughter

Birth:	26 Jan 1856, New London, New London, Connecticut ^{8,13,38}
Death:	17 Mar 1942, Alameda, Alameda, California ^{8,32}
Memo:	Age 86 y 1 m 21 d at death
Burial:	19 Mar 1942, Cypress Lawn Cemetery, Colma, San Mateo, California ^{31,32}

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Memo: ashes

Father: **Hon. Charles Miner GORHAM** (22 Mar 1831-28 Feb 1912)

Mother: **Sarah Stoddard HOLT** - Granddaughter (11 Aug 1828-14 Mar 1867)

Census: • 1860 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 4, b CT.¹⁶⁷²

• 1870 Census: Marysville, Yuba, California. Age 14, b CT.¹⁶⁹⁶

• 1880 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 24, b CT. Parents b CT.³⁴⁹²

• 1900 Census: Sacramento, Sacramento, California. Age 44, b CT; Jan 1856. Divorced.

Head of household. Matron, boarding house. Mother of one child, not living. Listed as Jeannie [middle initial?] Cady.⁴⁶¹⁴

• 1930 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 74, b CT. Widow. Age 18 at first marriage. Parents b CT. Living near her sister, Ella Ormsby.⁴⁰⁹⁶

Spouse: **Martin Kellogg CADY Jr.**

Marriage: 26 Jan 1874, Marysville, Yuba, California^{8,2547}

Divorce: bef 28 Jul 1900⁸

Birth: Jun 1847, New London, New London, Connecticut^{7828,4616}

Memo: second child of the family

Death: 16 Nov 1903, San Francisco, San Francisco, California⁷⁸²⁸

Burial: Olivet Memorial Park, Colma, San Mateo, California⁷⁸²⁸

Occupation: Assistant Coiner, U. S. Mint, San Francisco⁶⁷

Father: **Martin Kellogg CADY** (29 Jun 1813-3 Jan 1881)

Mother: **Sarah L. WAY** (21 Mar 1822-19 Nov 1901)

• Eldest son, is assistant coiner in the United States mint at San Francisco, and has been for some years.²⁵⁴⁷

• He married Jeannie B., daughter of Hon. Charles Gorham, of Marysville [sic], Cal.²⁵⁴⁷

• San Francisco Call (San Francisco, CA)

Death of an Ex-Supervisor

Martin K. Cady, formerly a Supervisor of Sonoma County, died suddenly in his bed at 260 Stevenson Street last Sunday night. His body was found yesterday morning. He had been drinking heavily for two years past, and the autopsy disclosed the fact that death resulted from cirrhosis of the liver. Cady was employed in the United States Mint many years ago.⁷⁸³¹

Census: • 1850 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 4, b CT.⁵¹⁹⁴

Descendants

- 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 14, b CT.⁶³⁹⁴
- 1870 Census: Napa, Napa, California. Age 23, b CT. Saloon Keeper. \$1000; \$1000. Living in hotel.⁵¹⁹³
- 1880 Census: San Francisco, San Francisco, California. Age 33, b CT. Assistant Coiner in Mint.³⁴⁹²
- 1900 Census: Sonoma, Sonoma, California. Age 53, b CT; Jun 1847. Married. Boarder. Farmer. Enumerated as Martin K. Cady.⁴⁶¹⁶

1 Child...

- i. **Jeannie Gorham** - GG Granddaughter (Died as Child) (2 Oct 1874-25 Sep 1876)

Spouse: **Sydney Hughes MORGAN**

Marriage: 28 Jul 1900, Sacramento, Sacramento, California^{8,5195}

Birth: Oct 1858, England⁴⁶¹⁵

Death: 28 Oct 1900, Menstone, Leeds, England⁸

Census: • 1900 Census: Sacramento, Sacramento, California. Age 41, b England; Oct 1858. Single. Roomer. Capitalist. Parents b England.⁴⁶¹⁵

Fanny Louisa SMITH^{312,693} - G Granddaughter

Birth: abt 1856, Connecticut³⁵⁰²

Father: **Simeon SMITH**⁶⁹³ (abt 1827-)

Mother: **Georgianna HOLT** - Granddaughter (16 Jul 1831-)

Census: • 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 4, b CT.⁴⁷⁶⁸

• 1880 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Niece, age 24, b CT. Parents b CT. Living in household of Nancy Holt.³⁵⁰²

Alice SMITH^{312,693} - G Granddaughter

Birth: abt 1859, Connecticut³⁵⁰²

Father: **Simeon SMITH**⁶⁹³ (abt 1827-)

Mother: **Georgianna HOLT** - Granddaughter (16 Jul 1831-)

Census: • 1860 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 1, b CT.

• 1880 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Niece, age 21, b CT. School Teacher. Living in household of Nancy Holt. Parents b CT.³⁵⁰²

Descendants

Mary S. SMITH - G Granddaughter

Birth: abt 1861, Connecticut³⁵⁰²

Father: Simeon SMITH⁶⁹³ (abt 1827-)

Mother: Georgianna HOLT - Granddaughter (16 Jul 1831-)

Census: • 1880 Census: New London, New London, Connecticut. Age 19, b CT.

Apprentice to Milliner. Niece in household of Nancy Holt. Parents b CT.³⁵⁰²

Relatives of John HOLT

Ancestors

John HOLT - Father

Birth: 11 Jan 1719, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670,6412}
Death: 15 May 1786, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670}
Father: **William HOLT** - **Grandfather** (15 Jul 1681-6 Oct 1766)
Mother: **Katherine BUTLER** - **Grandmother** (1693-2 Feb 1775)

- 4th child.³¹²

- John Holt Sr. served with "unfailing loyalty, rendered material aid to the cause of American Independence as a Sergeant, Quartermaster, and Commissary during the Revolutionary War."^{8,212}

- John Holt, (1719-86) served as commissary. He was born in New London, where he died.⁸¹⁵

Spouse: **Sarah STRICKLAND** - **Mother**
Marriage: 20 Feb 1746, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670}
Birth: 1721, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,670}
Memo: age 55 at death
Baptism: 17 May 1741, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,2474}
Death: 30 Jul 1776, Lyme, New London, Connecticut^{312,670,2474}
Burial: Ancient Cemetery, New London, Connecticut^{312,2217}
Father: **Samuel STRICKLAND**²²⁰⁷ - **Grandfather** (abt 1688-25 Apr 1769)
Mother: **Elizabeth WILLIAMS** - **Grandmother** (abt 1692-6 Oct 1753)

2 Children...

- John** - **Source** (6 Dec 1746-6 Sep 1781)
- Jonathan** - **Brother** (29 Sep 1760-9 Mar 1827)

Family Notes: • 6 children.³¹²

William HOLT - Grandfather

Birth: 15 Jul 1681, New London, New London, Connecticut^{67,312,495}
Death: 6 Oct 1766, New London, New London, Connecticut³¹²
Father: **Sgt. Nathaniel HOLT** - **G Grandfather** (1647-28 May 1723)
Mother: **Rebecca BEEBE** - **G Grandmother** (abt 1663-Mar or Jun 1689)

Ancestors

- [He and his brother] inherited from their grandfather and their uncle valuable property in New London, and both of them signed the agreement of 1727.⁴⁹⁵

Spouse: **Katherine BUTLER** - Grandmother
Marriage: 7 Jan 1713, New London?, New London, Connecticut^{312,2635}
Birth: 1693, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,2635}
Memo: age 82 at death
Death: 2 Feb 1775, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,2635}
Father: **John BUTLER** - G Grandfather (abt 1653-26 Mar 1733)
Mother: **Catherine HAUGHTON** - G Grandmother (abt 1662-24 Jan 1729)

- Daughter of John Butler.^{67,312}

2 Children...

- Sarah** - Aunt (28 Dec 1716-21 Aug 1780)
- John** - Father (11 Jan 1719-15 May 1786)

Family Notes: • 12 children.^{312,314}

Samuel STRICKLAND²²⁰⁷ - Grandfather

Birth: abt 1688, New London, New London, Connecticut
Baptism: 15 Oct 1693, New London, New London, Connecticut
Memo: First Congregational Church
Death: 25 Apr 1769, New London, New London, Connecticut
Father: **Sgt. Peter STRICKLAND** - G Grandfather (1646-bef 7 Apr 1723)
Mother: **Elizabeth COMSTOCK** - G Grandmother (1659-9 May 1734)

Spouse: **Elizabeth WILLIAMS** - Grandmother
Marriage: 6 Aug 1713, New London, New London, Connecticut²²¹⁷
Birth: abt 1692, New London, New London, Connecticut²²¹⁷
Baptism: 19 Jul 1714²⁴⁷⁴
Death: 6 Oct 1753, New London, New London, Connecticut²²¹⁷
Burial: 7 Oct 1753, New London, New London, Connecticut²²¹⁷
Father: **Thomas WILLIAMS**²²¹⁷ - G Grandfather (1644-24 Sep 1705)
Mother: **Joanna** - G Grandmother (abt 1654-28 Sep 1744)

1 Child...

- Sarah** - Mother (1721-30 Jul 1776)

Family Notes: • 11 children.²²¹⁷

Sgt. Nathaniel HOLT - G Grandfather

Birth: 1647, New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut^{17,312,314}

Death: 28 May 1723, Newport, Newport, Rhode Island^{311,312}

Burial: Newport, Newport, Rhode Island^{312,2431}

Occupation: ship carpenter³¹⁴

Father: **William HOLT** - GG Grandfather (1610-1 Sep 1683)

Mother: **Sarah** - GG Grandmother (-1717)

• He held the military title of sergeant, and was sent into the Narraganset country, during King Philip's Indian war, and was wounded in the shoulder at the great Swamp fight, Dec. 19, 1675. In Oct., 1678, the general court, on his application for relief, having, as he says, been severely wounded in the cause of his country, awarded him the sum of £5.³¹²

• He inherited from his grandfather, Thomas Beebe, and his uncle, Thomas Butler, a valuable property in New London. He is said to have been remarkable in his day for acceptable services rendered to his friends and neighbors in times of sickness and of death, not in a professional capacity, but either as a voluntary or invited assistant. It was commonly said, that for forty years there was not a funeral in New London that he did not attend. His son Ebenezer continued the good offices of his father, and was as regularly found as the physician or the pastor at the bed side of the sick and dying. Of his twelve children only four are known to have survived him or to have left descendants.³¹²

Spouse: **Rebecca BEEBE** - G Grandmother

Marriage: 5 Apr 1680, New London, New London, Connecticut^{17,67,312,495}

Birth: abt 1663, New London, New London, Connecticut⁴⁹⁵

Memo: based on parent's marriage date

Death: Mar or Jun 1689, New London, New London, Connecticut³¹²

Father: **Sgt. Thomas BEEBE** - GG Grandfather (-abt Mar 1699)

Mother: **Millicent ADDIS**³¹⁴ - GG Grandmother (1623-)

• Daughter of Thomas Beebe and Millicent Addis.³¹⁴

• [She] was born between 1652 and 1672.⁴⁹⁵

2 Children...

- i. **William** - **Grandfather** (15 Jul 1681-6 Oct 1766)
- ii. **Nathaniel** - **G Uncle** (18 Jul 1683-19 Mar 1751)

Family Notes: • 2 children.³¹²

Spouse: **UNNAMED**

Marriage: aft Mar 1689, Newport?, Newport, Rhode Island^{17,312}

• After her [Rebecca Beebe] death, he removed to Newport, R. I., where he had a 2d wife, of whom nothing reliable has been ascertained.³¹²

1 Child...

- i. **Benjamin** - **Half G Uncle** (abt 1691-)

John BUTLER - **G Grandfather**

Birth: abt 1653⁶⁷

Memo: age 80 at death

Death: 26 Mar 1733, New London, New London, Connecticut^{67,2635}

• Thomas and John Butler are not presented to our notice as inhabitants of New London, until after 1680. Probably they were brothers. No account of the marriage of family of either is on record.⁶⁷

Spouse: **Catherine HAUGHTON** - **G Grandmother**

Marriage: abt 1676, New London?, New London, Connecticut¹⁷

Birth: abt 1662, New London, New London, Connecticut¹⁷

Memo: age 67 at death

Death: 24 Jan 1729, New London, New London, Connecticut⁶⁷

Father: **Richard HAUGHTON** - **GG Grandfather** (1614-1681)

Mother: **Katherine** - **GG Grandmother** (1623-9 Aug 1670)

• She was the daughter of Richard Houghton.⁶⁷

1 Child...

- i. **Katherine** - **Grandmother** (1693-2 Feb 1775)

Sgt. Peter STRICKLAND - **G Grandfather**

Birth: 1646¹⁷

Ancestors

Death: bef 7 Apr 1723, New London, New London, Connecticut^{696,2207}
Father: **Edward STRICKLAND**¹⁷ - GG Grandfather (1610-)
Mother: **Hannah**¹⁷ - GG Grandmother

Spouse: **Elizabeth COMSTOCK** - G Grandmother
Marriage: 1674, New London, New London, Connecticut^{17,2207}
Birth: 1659, New London, New London, Connecticut⁶⁹⁶
Baptism: 9 Apr 1671, New London, New London, Connecticut^{695,2078}
Death: 9 May 1734, New London, New London, Connecticut^{696,2078}
Burial: New London, New London, Connecticut²²⁰⁷
Father: **Daniel COMSTOCK** - GG Grandfather (21 Jul 1630-1683)
Mother: **Paltiah ELDERKIN** - GG Grandmother (1635-21 Feb 1713)

1 Child...

- i. **Samuel** - Grandfather (abt 1688-25 Apr 1769)

Family Notes: • 7 children.²²⁰⁷

Thomas WILLIAMS²²¹⁷ - G Grandfather

Birth: 1644¹⁷
Death: 24 Sep 1705, New London?, New London, Connecticut^{17,93}

• Thomas Williams appeared in the plantation of Pequot about 1670. He lived on the west side of the river near Mohegan. He died Sept. 24, 1705, leaving a widow, Joanna, and eleven children.⁹³

Spouse: **Joanna** - G Grandmother
Marriage: abt 1671¹⁷
Birth: abt 1654²⁴⁷⁴
Death: 28 Sep 1744, New London, New London, Connecticut^{17,2474}

2 Children...

- i. **Jonathan** - G Uncle (abt 1682-)
- ii. **Elizabeth** - Grandmother (abt 1692-6 Oct 1753)

William HOLT - GG Grandfather

Birth: 1610, England^{17,311}
Death: 1 Sep 1683, Wallingford, New Haven, Connecticut^{311,312}

- It is probable that William Holt was not one of the very first settlers at New Haven. His name suddenly appears upon the records of the New Haven colony on July 1st, 1644 as one of the signers of the Revised Constitution. After that time his name appears in the records, so that it is fair to assume that he arrived in New Haven shortly before 1644. The question as to where he came from, has always been an interesting one. That he was of English descent there is no doubt, and that he was born in England appears probable, but how and when he came and in what company, has always been a mystery.³¹⁴

- About 1643 William Holt arrived in the New Haven (Conn.) Colony. There is no record of his departure for these shores, but there is a feeling by some that he was the William Holt who sailed from England, in 1635, on the ship Truelove to Bermuda. It is known that many of the Bermuda settlers later came to New England. Attempts have been made to trace this in Bermuda, and Barbados where he has also been placed, but without success because of the scarcity of early records, there and in New England. However, ancestor William Holt is noted in the New Haven records from 1 Jul 1644, when he was one of the signers of the Revised Constitution and Governor Eaton administered the oath of Free Burgess to him and others.²⁴³¹

- He left no will.³¹²

Spouse: **Sarah** - GG Grandmother

Marriage: abt 1644, New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut¹⁷

Birth: England

Death: 1717¹⁷

- She must have been over sixty years of age at the time of her second marriage, which indicates not only a vigorous constitution but a sanguine disposition.³¹⁴

2 Children...

i. **John** - GG Uncle (1645-16 Jun 1733)

ii. **Sgt. Nathaniel** - G Grandfather (1647-28 May 1723)

Family Notes: • 8 children.³¹²

Sarah - spouses...

Spouse: **William HOLT** - GG Grandfather (See above)

2 Children

Spouse: **Dea. William PECK**
 Marriage: aft 5 Dec 1683, New London, New London, Connecticut^{17,312}
 Birth: 1601, London, England¹⁷
 Memo: died aged 93
 Death: 4 Oct 1694, Lyme, New London, Connecticut^{312,3573,8340}

Sgt. Thomas BEEBE - GG Grandfather

Birth: Broughton, Northamptonshire, England⁴⁹⁵
 Baptism: 23 Jun 1633, Broughton, Northamptonshire, England⁴⁹⁵
 Death: abt Mar 1699, New London, New London, Connecticut^{495,496}
 Father: **John BEEBE** - GGG Grandfather (-18 May 1650)
 Mother: **Rebecca LADD** - GGG Grandmother (-bef Apr 1650)

- Sergeant Thomas Beeby died in the early part of 1699. His homestead descended to his son Thomas, by whom it was conveyed in the latter part of his life, to his nephew, William Holt.⁶⁷

Spouse: **Millicent ADDIS** - GG Grandmother
 Marriage: abt 1662, New London, New London, Connecticut^{17,495}
 Birth: 1623, Frampton-upon-Severn, Gloucestershire, England⁴⁹⁶
 Death: New London, New London, Connecticut⁴⁹⁶
 Father: **William ADDIS**⁴⁹⁵ - GGG Grandfather (10 Jun 1604-aft 1662)
 Mother: **Millicent WOOD**³⁰⁸⁸ - GGG Grandmother (1605-)

- Daughter of William Addis.⁴⁹⁵

1 Child...

- i. **Rebecca** - G Grandmother (abt 1663-Mar or Jun 1689)

Millicent ADDIS - spouses...

Spouse: **William SOUTHMEAD**
 Marriage: 28 Nov 1642¹⁷
 Death: abt 1648, Gloucester?, Essex, Massachusetts¹⁷

- [He] had formerly lived in Boston, and owned a tenement there.⁶⁷

Spouse: **William ASH**

Ancestors

Marriage: abt 1650, Gloucester?, Essex, Massachusetts¹⁷

Spouse: **Sgt. Thomas BEEBE** - GG Grandfather (See above)
1 Child

Richard HAUGHTON - GG Grandfather

Birth: 1614, England²⁶³⁵

Death: 1681, New London, New London, Connecticut¹⁷

Spouse: **Sarah**

Marriage: abt 1638¹⁷

Spouse: **Katherine** - GG Grandmother

Marriage: abt 1650, Connecticut^{17,2635}

Birth: 1623, England²⁶³⁵

Death: 9 Aug 1670, New London, New London, Connecticut^{17,2635}

1 Child...

i. **Catherine** - G Grandmother (abt 1662-24 Jan 1729)

Spouse: **Alice**

Marriage: abt 1672¹⁷

Katherine - spouses...

Spouse: **Nicholas CHARLET**

Marriage: abt 1644, Boston?, Suffolk, Massachusetts¹⁷

Death: bef 1650¹⁷

Memo: based on marriage date of Katherine to Richard Haughton

Spouse: **Richard HAUGHTON** - GG Grandfather (See above)

1 Child

Edward STRICKLAND¹⁷ - GG Grandfather

Birth: 1610²²⁰⁸

Ancestors

- Given name based on *Torrey*; unsure.^{17,2208}

Research: • Locate Strickland genealogy.

Spouse: **Hannah** - GG Grandmother

1 Child...

- Sgt. Peter** - G Grandfather (1646-bef 7 Apr 1723)

Daniel COMSTOCK - GG Grandfather

Birth: 21 Jul 1630^{696,2078}

Birth: 1633¹⁷

Baptism: England²⁰⁷⁸

Death: 1683, New London, New London, Connecticut^{67,695,696}

Burial: 1683, New London, New London, Connecticut²⁰⁷⁸

Occupation: carpenter and miller⁶⁹⁶

Father: **William COMSTOCK**⁶⁹⁵ - GGG Grandfather (4 Jul 1595-abt 1683)

Mother: **Elizabeth DANIEL** - GGG Grandmother (1608-aft 1665)

Spouse: **Paltiah ELDERKIN** - GG Grandmother

Marriage: abt 1653, Lynn, Essex, Massachusetts^{17,696,2078}

Birth: 1635, Norwich, New London, Connecticut²⁰⁷⁸

Death: 21 Feb 1713, Connecticut^{696,2078}

Father: **John ELDERKIN** - GGG Grandfather (abt 1616-23 Jun 1687)

Mother: **Abigail KINGSLAND**^{17,2078} - GGG Grandmother

- Daughter of John Elderkin.⁶⁹⁵

1 Child...

- Elizabeth** - G Grandmother (1659-9 May 1734)

Siblings

Jonathan HOLT³¹² - Brother

Birth: 29 Sep 1760, New London, New London, Connecticut³¹²

Death: 9 Mar 1827³¹²

Father: **John HOLT** - Father (11 Jan 1719-15 May 1786)

Mother: **Sarah STRICKLAND** - Mother (1721-30 Jul 1776)

- 5th of 6 children.³¹²

Spouse: **Abiah DUTTON**

Marriage: 24 Oct 1784³¹²

Father: **Ebenezer DUTTON** (abt 1756-23 Sep 1850)

1 Child...

- Dorothy M.** - Niece (15 May 1791-1873)

Nieces and Nephews

Dorothy M. HOLT - Niece

Birth: 15 May 1791, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,7830}
Memo: year only
Death: 1873⁷⁸³⁰
Father: **Jonathan HOLT**³¹² - Brother (29 Sep 1760-9 Mar 1827)
Mother: **Abiah DUTTON**³¹²

- 3rd of 6 children.³¹²

Spouse: **Thomas WAY**
Marriage: 26 Nov 1812³¹²
Birth: 1786⁷⁸³⁰
Death: 1836⁷⁸³⁰

1 Child...

- Sarah L.** - Grandniece (21 Mar 1822-19 Nov 1901)

Relatives of John HOLT

Aunts and Uncles

Sarah HOLT - Aunt

Birth: 28 Dec 1716, New London, New London, Connecticut³¹²
Death: 21 Aug 1780³¹²
Father: **William HOLT** - Grandfather (15 Jul 1681-6 Oct 1766)
Mother: **Katherine BUTLER** - Grandmother (1693-2 Feb 1775)

- 3rd child.³¹²

Spouse: **Stephen HEMPSTEAD**
Marriage: 19 Sep 1737, New London, New London, Connecticut^{8,312,865,868}
Birth: 1 Dec 1705^{21,864}
Death: 11 Feb 1774^{312,868}
Occupation: Surveyor⁸⁶⁵
Father: **Joshua HEMPSTEAD** (1 Sep 1678-22 Dec 1758)
Mother: **Abigail BAILEY** (7 Jun 1676-5 Aug 1716)

Family Notes: • 8 children.³¹²

Nathaniel HOLT - G Uncle

Birth: 18 Jul 1683, New London, New London, Connecticut^{312,314,495}
Death: 19 Mar 1751³¹²
Father: **Sgt. Nathaniel HOLT** - G Grandfather (1647-28 May 1723)
Mother: **Rebecca BEEBE** - G Grandmother (abt 1663-Mar or Jun 1689)

Benjamin HOLT - Half G Uncle

Birth: abt 1691, Newport, Newport, Rhode Island³¹²
Father: **Sgt. Nathaniel HOLT** - G Grandfather (1647-28 May 1723)
Mother: **UNNAMED**

Jonathan WILLIAMS^{74,93} - G Uncle

Birth: abt 1682, New London, New London, Connecticut²²¹⁸
Father: **Thomas WILLIAMS**²²¹⁷ - G Grandfather (1644-24 Sep 1705)
Mother: **Joanna** - G Grandmother (abt 1654-28 Sep 1744)
Spouse: **Elizabeth ALLYN**

Aunts and Uncles

Marriage: 24 Jan 1712, New London?, New London, Connecticut^{93,2218}
Birth: 25 Mar 1692, Groton, New London, Connecticut^{93,506}
Baptism: 17 Jul 1692⁵⁰⁶
Father: **Robert ALLYN** (15 Sep 1671-28 Dec 1729)
Mother: **Deborah AVERY** (1 Aug 1671-17 Dec 1739)

1 Child...

i. **Jonathan** - **1C1R** (30 Sep 1711-)

Family Notes: • 10 children.⁹³

John HOLT - **GG Uncle**

Birth: 1645, New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut^{312,2431}
Death: 16 Jun 1733, East Haven, New Haven, Connecticut³¹²
Father: **William HOLT** - **GG Grandfather** (1610-1 Sep 1683)
Mother: **Sarah** - **GG Grandmother** (-1717)

Spouse: **Elizabeth THOMAS**
Marriage: Jan 1673, New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut^{17,312,2431}
Birth: 1648¹⁷
Death: New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut³¹²

• Daughter of John and Tabitha Thomas.³¹²

Removed Cousins, Ascendant

Jonathan WILLIAMS - 1C1R

Birth: 30 Sep 1711, Stonington, New London, Connecticut²²¹⁸
Father: **Jonathan WILLIAMS**^{74,93} - **G Uncle** (abt 1682-)
Mother: **Elizabeth ALLYN** (25 Mar 1692-)

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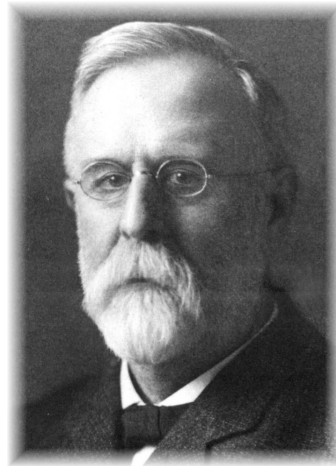
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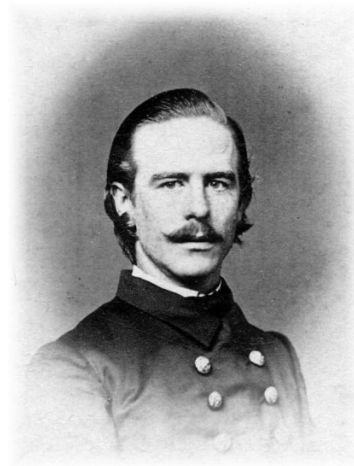
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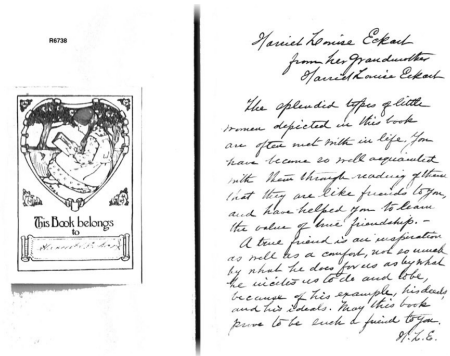
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Harriet Louise Gorham
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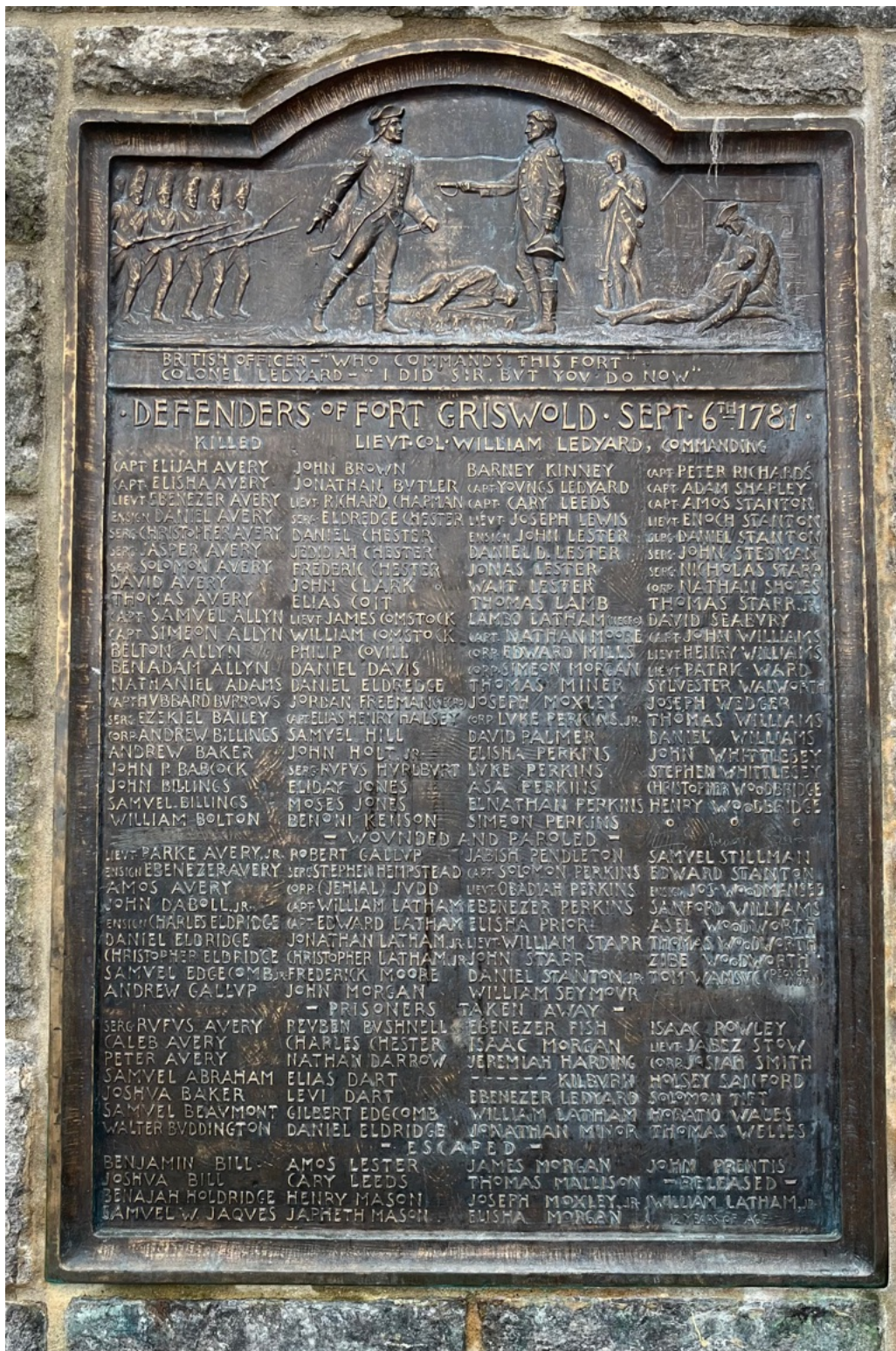
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