

# SHADOWS

OF OUR

## FORGOTTEN ANCESTORS

A FAMILY GENEALOGY

by

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. . . . Inquire, I pray you, of bygone ages, and consider what the  
Fathers have found;

For we are but of yesterday, and know nothing; for our days on  
earth are a shadow.

Will they not teach you, and tell you, and utter words out of their  
understanding?                      Job VIII, 8—10. Revised Standard Version

## DEDICATED

*To all those family femmes, past, present, and future, without whom there would be no ancestors, no family, and no genealogy.*

*Typical of the sterling character of our lady ancestors are my  
GRAND MOTHERS*



*Elizabeth Harden Bollman  
1804—1875*



*Elizabeth Row Mitchel  
1810—1896*

*(Photos identified by J. W B. and M. E. B.)*



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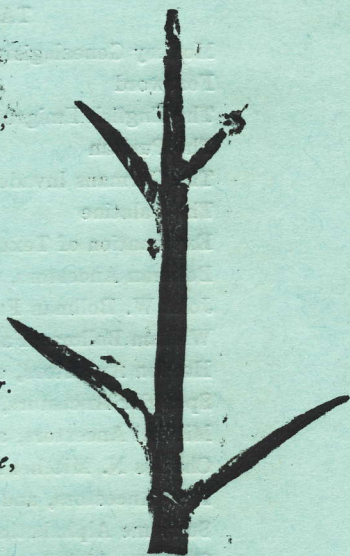
*No Monkeys in Our Family Tree Monks Disown US!*

*Three monkeys sat by the family tree  
Discussing things as they're said to be.  
Said the senior monk to the other two:  
"There's a rumor abroad that can't be true;  
That man descended from our noble race.  
The very idea is a disgrace!"*

*"No monkey ever deserted his wife,  
Starved her babies, or ruined her life.  
And you've never known a mother monk  
To leave her babies with others to bunk;  
Or pass them on from one to another,  
Till they scarcely know who is their mother.*

*"And another thing you'll never see,  
A monk build a fence 'round a coconut tree,  
And let the coconuts go to waste,  
Forbidding all other monks a taste.  
Why! If I'd put a fence around the tree,  
Starvation would force you to steal from me,*

*"Here's another thing a monk won't do:  
Go out at night and get on a stew;  
Or use a gun, or club, or knife,  
To take some other monkey's life.  
Yes, man descended — the ornery cuss —  
But brother! He didn't descend from us!"*



by

A. Nony

Monks





## FOREWORD

This work is not a complete family genealogy. More correctly, it should be called a listing of ancestors. The search was pursued to find out who my forebears were; to learn what kind of people they were, ladies or shrews, gentlemen or horse thieves; to trace the various lines to their countries of origin; and to provide a record that may be of interest to some of my descendants, and to other relatives.

This record of ancestors applies in its entirety to all descendants of John W. Bollman; in part to all other descendants from William Bollman; and in part to all other descendants of Charles N. Mitchel. Although not complete as a family genealogy, information is given so that any relative can work out his own branch of the sturdy oak without too much difficulty.

Sources of information include Bible records; church, state, and city vital statistics, births, marriages, and deaths; cemetery burials; census, and other official micro-film records; and a large number of books. A bibliography of the more important books is included at the end of the work. Public libraries where research was done include: Albany N. Y., Boston, Los Angeles, Philadelphia, Santa Barbara, and Seattle. Los Angeles Temple, and the Congressional libraries also were used to advantage. I am particularly indebted to my Father and Mother for written statements, given in 1918, telling what they remembered about their families. My thanks to other relatives who were helpful. Apology is offered for all errors due to carelessness; poor, lost, or burned records; or to gremlins, poltergeists, and leprechauns.

Presented to provide our honorable ancestors with a bit of immortality, for to be remembered is one form of immortality



## THE ENGLISH EMIGRATE

Our earliest ancestors to arrive in the New World were among the Puritans. No Statue of Liberty awaited them, only privation and hardship, but a dream of freedom was the loadstone. They came to escape harassment by ruling authorities in England, both civil and church.

Separatist groups such as Baptists, Quakers, and others, were a part of the exodus, but many more of the Puritans were "Dissenters." These were good Church of England people who didn't want to leave the Church, or do it any harm, but wished to reform it. High dignitaries of the Church, and the King, considered these people to be as bad as Separatists, and persecuted all of them. Dissenters were not the poor only, but included ministers, tradesmen, landed gentry, professional people, and men of standing in all occupations — the middle classes of that era.

Although some decided earlier to go where they could worship God as they saw fit, the real exodus began about 1628, after King Charles ascended the throne. Harassment had been excessive before, but then persecution became intolerable for many, so bad that more than 20,000 leaders, thinkers, and enterprising Britons, men and families, came to the Colonies within ten years. Authorities regarding them as a troublesome breed, were glad to see them go.

Among the Dissenters and Separatists were several of our ancestors, who might not have come to America if they had been able to get a modicum of religious freedom without indignity, in a not so Merry Old England. We now offer a prayer of thanks for the stupidity of King Charles, and Church of England leaders.



## THE PURITAN

One of our ancestors among the Puritans who came to America was Matthew Mitchell. He was somewhat typical of many. Although partly of Scotch ancestry, he was a citizen of England, a man of property, deeply religious, and a Dissenter trying to reform the Church of England.

The name, Mitchel, or Mitchell, is from the Saxon, Muchel, meaning big. The Mitchels belong to an ancient Scottish clan, and since my Mother was a Mitchel, we can claim a "jigger of Scotch" in the blood stream, but I'm not sure it is blood.

About the time Columbus discovered America, a hotfoot Mitchel deserted the bonnie braes, and wandered south into England, getting as far as Yorkshire. He married the belle of Halifax, thus starting a fortune. In three generations the Mitchels accumulated substantial land property; acquired the right to bear arms; and established a reputation of high attainment. Somberly, a London genealogist, states: "The Mitchells were a family of good standing, and their arms, 'Sable, a chevron between three escallops argent' are painted on the roof of the Chancel of Halifax Church."

Matthew Mitchell was born in 1590. At 40 years of age he was a successful family man, but due to his religious activities he was harassed so much that he finally decided to go to America. Early in 1635, with his wife, two sons, and three daughters, he left Halifax, Yorkshire, and journeyed to Bristol. He joined Reverend Richard Mather's group on the ship "James" sailing for Boston. He took livestock along, and a large supply of other goods needed in the New World. The long arduous sea journey finally ended at Boston, August 7, 1635. Their last days at sea were spent praying fervently during a violent storm that tore away the masts, but a kind Providence brought them safely into port.

All was not milk and honey for Matthew Mitchell in his new Canaan. At Concord he lost property by fire, after which he moved to the Connecticut valley and built a home on a large tract of land. Here he was attacked by Indians, who burned his home, ran off his cattle, killed some of his employes, captured his brother-in-law, Samuel Butterfield, and roasted him alive after torture. At Weathersfield he was a member of the Court, and Recorder, or Town Clerk. He moved again, this time to Stamford, where he became a highly respected leader. He died at age 55. A contemporary gave him quite a eulogy, as follows.

"Matthew Mitchell had excellent social position, education, enterprise, patience, resolution, clear judgment, and positive convictions of duty. His staunch uprightness commanded respect, and his unswerving integrity invited confidence. He was sorely tried by fire, Indian attacks, and human animosities, and under all exhibited Christian humility and patience."

Matthew's daughters married well, and his sons, David and Jonathan, achieved success in America. David became a prosperous business man in Stratford, and his brother, The Very Reverend Jonathan Mitchell, the Fourth Minister of Cambridge.



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PIED PIPER of LOCH LOMOND





## THE GERMAN INVASION

30,000 German, and German-Swiss immigrants came to Pennsylvania in 50 years, from 1727 to 1776. Among them were a number of our ancestors, so many in fact, that my Father claimed to be a full-blooded Pennsylvania Dutchman. Why did they come?

The Holy Roman Empire, which never was holy or Roman, had ceased being an empire if that implies control. King Phillip of Spain was trying to impose Catholic Church rule, which was resisted politically by Holland and Sweden, and religiously by Dutch Reformed and Lutheran Protestants. Petty princes were battling one another for territory and prestige. Young men were forced into these conflicts, and religious leaders persecuted those of other faiths wherever they gained control.

There was no peace, no security. The whole Rhine valley was devastated and laid waste by these political and religious fanatics. William Penn visited the Rhine country, and with sympathy and sorrow noted these conditions. He had already gathered English Quakers, and other persecuted groups, and had them transported to his colony, but all of them thinly settled only a minute portion of his vast lands. He then sent emissaries to all parts of the Rhine valley, inviting people to come to Pennsylvania, promising them cheap, fertile land, and complete freedom of religion. All who had the courage, and necessary resources, boarded river boats to Holland, and sailed on English and Dutch ships for America.

The English at Philadelphia were aroused by this foreign influx, and quickly passed a law requiring all foreign males over 15 to take an oath of allegiance to England, and the colony of Pennsylvania. The signing of their names with these oaths furnished posterity with a valuable record of German pioneers.

## THE PALATINE.....

An ethnically mixed group produces the finest people, so say some of the experts. If true, the Palatines should have been best at the end of the Holy Roman Empire. From Roman times, and even before, no long era occurred when no race was over-running the Rhine valley, Romans, Spanish, French, Swedes, and many others. The German "Palatine" was the ethnic result.

Among the Palatines coming to Pennsylvania in response to Penn's invitation was one, and probably only one family bearing the name Bollman. Johan Adam Bollman was a farmer, a property owner, living not far from Mainz. He had a family of boys, the eldest nearing army age when he would be forced to fight for the Catholic Prince who ruled the province. Johan was otherwise penalized because he was a Lutheran. Freedom of religion appealed to him strongly, so he decided to go to Pennsylvania.

The trip to America was not easy, even the Rhine passage to Holland was beset with river profiteers, exacting tolls. At Amsterdam accommodations were secured on the "Loyal Judith" in June 1739. Fortunately Johan had sold his property for enough to pay his family's passage. Some who went on the ship sold themselves into servitude from three to five years for transportation.

Comparatively the trip was pleasant on a calm sea, but more than two months were required. Passengers were packed in like beans in a jar, with heat, hunger, foul food, and sickness causing anxiety among the emigrants. At Philadelpeia Johan took the oath of allegiance to England, and to the colony, on September 3, 1739. His signature is preserved in the Pennsylvania Archives.

Johan's family included a wife, several sons, and probably a daughter or two. His sons were: Johan, Adam, Abraham, David, and Frederick. Names of women and children arriving on the Loyal



Judith were not given, but the original mother of nearly all of the Bollmans in America merits a recorded given name, therefore I am correcting this historical oversight. The names, Maria and Catrina appear most often in first and second generations of Bollman girls born in Pennsylvania, probably named after grandmother, consequently, for this record her name will be "Maria Catrina."

Soon after arrival in the colony Johan settled in Berks county northwest of Philadelphia, among a group of Germans. As far as known he lived there the rest of his life. His sons moved to Lancaster county later, four of whom are listed in the Pennsylvania Archives as property owners in Heidelberg township. Still later, by 1784, one Bollman family had located in Bedford county.

Bedford co. is still well inhabited by Bollmans in 1967. They claim to be all descendants of Isaac, b. 1778, a brother of our great grandfather. Isaac was the father of 14 children, and a son, David had 17. Many Bollmans were located in Berks, Lancaster, and in adjacent counties, but a far greater number moved west, helping to conquer the continent, and supplying the Nation with upright citizens in all walks of life.

#### INDEPENDENCE HALL

This shrine was built in early 18th century years, and was known as "The State House" until after the Revolution. Many of our German ancestors had their initial contact with the Pennsylvania colony when they arrived at Philadelphia, and took the Oath of Allegiance to the King, and to the Colony, at the State House.



## EXPLANATION OF TEXT USAGE

Familiar business, state, compass, calendar, and army abbreviations may be used. Also the following will be utilized.

CAG—Compendium of American Genealogy

ante—before	dau.—daughter	post—after
b.—born	dep.—deputy	pres.—president
ca.—(circa) about	gdau.—granddaughter	s.—son
ch.—church	gs.—grandson	rep.—representative
chd.—child, children	gov.—governor	twp.—township
co.—county	m.—married	U.—University
ct.—court	mem.—member	v.—volume
d.—died	p.—page	vp.—vice president.

Surnames of ancestors are listed in bold type, and are not repeated. Some of the various spellings of surnames are indicated. Under each surname are “given” names listed in chronological and numerical descending order from earlier to later generations, until a daughter is married, which terminates that surname in this record. Given names of immigrant arrivals in America are in capital letters. No effort was made to trace ancestry in countries of origin, but where known these names are given.

Numbers preceding given names reveal how many generations they are back from my generation. Number one is the writer’s generation. A member of any succeeding generation writing up his genealogy by this system of numbering would make himself number one, his parents number two, etc., and would increase figures shown here by one, or more. By this system one can tell at a glance how many generations back to any ancestor. Numbers following given names are years of birth and death. “ca.” “ante” or “post” preceding these dates mean exact year is not known, only an approximate year, or an earlier, or later one than given.



## FAMILY GENEALOGY

### Bollman

6. JOHAN ADAM, b. 1699 in German Palatinate; sailed on ship "Loyal Judith" from Rotterdam; arrived Philadelphia Sept. 3, 1739; took oath of allegiance on that date; m. ca. 1722 Maria Catrina, who with five sons: Johan, Adam, Abraham, David, and Frederick, and probably some daughters, came with him to America. He settled in Berks co. Pa.

5. DAVID, b. ca. 1732 in Germany; to Pa. 1739; moved to Lancaster co, ante 1770; to Bedford co. with family by 1784; land owner and tax payer Bedford 1785; m. Anna, b. ca. 1737 in Germany, believed to be a dau. of Henry Klein; chd. of David included Abraham, John, Isaac, and Nicholas. Abe, John, and Isaac were farmers in Hopewell twp. Nicholas served in Pa. militia, and moved west. David d. at Bedford ante 1800.

4. Abraham, 1761-post 1830; b. Berks co. Pa. to Lancaster co. ante 1770; to Bedford co. 1784; m. Eva, b. ca. 1764, dau. Christian Hoffman; she d. ca. 1798, leaving Abe with 8 chd., 5 of whom were under 10 years old; sons were George, Henry, Thomas, and William; m. again, and by 1810 had four chd. under 10 years old, and in 1820 another four under 10, (probably our most prolific ancestor); sold farm in Bedford co., moved to Ohio 1828; farming in Wayne co. 1830. No further record of his exploits was discovered; presumed that he d. in Wayne co. in the 1830s.

3. William, 1796-1869; b. Bedford co. Pa. Indentured as a "Bound out boy" when two years of age; guardian believed to have been James Brown, described as a man of means, intelligence and influence, who migrated to Zanesville, Ohio in 1802; built a cabin on the Wheeling road at Salt creek, and operated a tavern. Here William grew up without contact with his family except a visit by two brothers ca. 1810; well cared for by benefactor; good education by frontier standards; taught school; mined salt; settled on a farm near Duncan Falls, Ohio; moved to Iowa, 1855; m. 1824, Elizabeth Harden; nine chd. 68 g-chd. Interment Minert cemetery NE of Postville, Iowa. See Wm. Bollman family p. 16.

2. John Waxler, 1844-1923; b. on farm near Zanesville, Ohio; had little formal education due to illness as a child; with parents to Ia. 1855;

moved to Minnesota 1874, to Oregon 1882, to Washington 1906; teamster, farmer, carpenter; m. 1869, Martha Mitchel, dau. Charles; 8 chd. see J. W. Bollman family, p. 15. Interment in Mountain View Memorial Park Tacoma, Washington.

1. Dean Stanley, b. 1890, Elmira, Oreg. Moved to Seattle 1906, to Santa Barbara, Calif. 1963. B. A., M. A. Univ. of Wash. World War I veteran; teacher, Post Office employee, mountaineer, traveller; m. 1922, Marie Antoinette Michea; three chd., Victor, Dean, and Paul.

## Klein

6. HENRY ADAM, b. ca. 1700 in German Palatinate; migrated to Pa. with family on "Loyal Judith" 1739; settled in Berks co. on Schuylkill river; land owner as late as 1768; m. Esther in Germany.

5. ANNA, b. ca. 1735; with parents to Pa. m. David Bollman s. of Johan. see Bollman 5, p. 13.

## Hoffman

6. JOHAN JORG, b. 1696 in Swiss Palatinate; on "Friendship" to Pa. 1717; settled on Chiques cr., Lancaster co. m. Mary in Switzerland.

5. Christian, b. ca. 1730, Lancaster co. with Washington in colonial militia at battle near Fort Duquense, 1755, when General Braddock was defeated, and mortally wounded; m. 1760 Catherine Hopff; several sons and daughters.

4. Eva Catherine, 1764-1798; b. Lancaster co. m. ca. 1784 Abraham Bollman. see Bollman 4, p. 13.

## Hopff

6. ADAM, b. ca. 1712 in German Palatinate; from Darmstadt to Pa. on ship "Ranier" 1749, settled in Lancaster; m. Anna Catherine in Ger.

5. CATHERINE, b. ca 1737 in Germany; to Pa. 1749; m. Christian Hoffman; see Hoffman 5 above.

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A philosopher once said that a miser would not be any fun to live with, but he might be a very wonderful ancestor.



## DESCENDANTS OF PALATINE AND PURITAN UNITE

John W. Bollman and Martha E. Mitchel were married  
October 19, 1869, at Decorah, Iowa



### THE JOHN W. BOLLMAN FAMILY - 1907

Seated: Nettie Elizabeth, John Waxler, Martha Elizabeth, Celia Elora

Standing: Dean Stanley, Jesse Clinton, Abram Jay, Lenthal Azel

Data: John, see Bollman 2, pp. 13-14.

Martha, see Mitchel 2, p. 22.

Burton Ovid, 1870-1886; b. Iowa, d. Oregon.

Lenthal, 1873-1936; Physician, Surgeon, M. D., F. A. C. S. m. 1907

Nella Ide Jester; 3 chd., Jester, Paul, and Lenthal Jr.

Celia, 1875-1943; teacher, musician, private secretary; m. 1928 Jack Shannon; no chd.

Paul Varien; 1878-1898; b. Minn. d. Oregon, unm.

Abram Jay, 1881-1962; logger, bookkeeper, lumber inspector; m. 1st 1914, Mary Maderia; 2nd 1936, Violet North; no chd.

Jesse, b. 1884; teamster, rancher; m. 1906, Jessie Jane Brewster; 7 chd: Melvin, Clinton, Thelma, Stanley, Burton, John, and Alvah.

Nettie, b. 1888; housewife, saleswoman; m. 1909, Evan J. Sibley; 5 chd: Vivian, Evan Jr., John, Emily, William; m. 2nd 1959, E. K. Gade.

Dean, see Bollman 1, p. 14.



WILLIAM BOLLMAN

Photograph provided, and identified  
by  
Vives Bollman                      Castalia, Iowa

# WILLIAM BOLLMAN FAMILY DATA:

William, see Bollman 3 p. 13.

Elizabeth, see Harden 3 p. 17.

Sarah Ann, 1825-1907; m. John Matheny Waxler; 9 chd: Barbara, Elizabeth, Eliza, Ebenezer, Jane, Nancy, Sarah Ann, William, and Wilhelmina.

Nancy M., 1828-1909; m. John Waxler; ten chd: Louis, Skelton, Mahala, Arlana, Martha, Calvin, John, Susan, Ida, and Charles.

Martha D., 1831-1910; m. James Waxler; 3 chd: William, Joseph, and Mary.

James H., 1833-1897; m. Betsy Ann Letchford; 7 chd: Loretta, John, Louise, Drusilla, Thomas, Mary, and Ezra.

Henry C., 1835-1901; m. Adline; 9 chd: Benjamin, Lucing, Emma, Charles, David, Sherman, Lillie, Jessie, and Harry.

Moses Ayres, 1838-1909; m. 1st Nancy Harris; 3 chd: Rena, Willard, Maggie; m. 2nd E. Caroline Brown; 8 chd: Fenton, T. Parker, Talcott, Stella, S. Ferrel, Vera, Vives, and E. Oberton.

Enoch Harden, 1841-1894; m. Mahuldah Bates; 4 chd: Marshall, Charles, William, and Ira Sankey.

John Waxler, see JWB family p. 15.

George Washington, 1847-1917; m. Martha French; 7 chd: Rutherford, Carrie, Cordie, Bird, Olander, Ora, and George.

All of William's children were born on a farm near Duncan Falls, Ohio; Nancy d. in Ohio, John in Wash. state, George in Dakota, and all others in Iowa. The three daughters married into one Waxler clan.



## Harden, Hardin

8. MARK, 1660-1734; Huguenot protestant, b. in France. The Edict of Nantes, promulgated by King Henry IV in 1598, gave French protestants freedom of conscience, the right to hold public worship, and full civil rights. The revocation of the Edict in 1685 took away all civil and religious rights, driving thousands of Protestants into exile, some to other European countries, and many to America. Mark came to Va. in 1706; another of our ancestors driven to the New World by religious persecution; settled at Elk Marsh near Richmond; m. 1685 Mary Hogue in Fr.

7. MARTIN, b. 1688 in France; to Va. 1706; got large land grant Fauquier co. Va. m. 1709; name of wife not known.

6. Henry, 1710-1797; b. Fauquier co. m. Judith Lynch, who migrated from Ireland to Va., sister of Charles Lynch founder of Lynchburg.

5. William, 1741-1810; b. Fauquier co. served in American Revolution; moved to Bedford co. Pa. land owner and tax payer 1790; m. 1767 Sarah Bledsoe; seven, or more chd.

4. James, 1771-post 1840; 200 acre farm Bedford co. 1794; moved to Perry co. Ohio ca. 1820, and later to Seneca co. m. ca. 1793, Sarah Ann Spengler; several sons and daughters.

3. Elizabeth, 1804-1875; b. Bedford co. Pa. with parents to Ohio ca. 1820; m. 1824 William Bollman at Zanesville, Ohio; 9 chd. to Iowa 1855; Interred Minert cemetery near Postville, Ia. see Bollman 3, p. 13.

## Bledsoe

8. GEORGE, 1629-1705; from Eng. to Va. 1652; settled in Northumberland co. m. ca. 1650, Anne in Eng., who d. 1691.

7. Abraham, 1684-1753; m. 1705, Katharine, dau. of William Ball; resided in Northumberland co.

6. William, 1705-1770; b. Northumberland co., moved to Spotsylvania co., and became First Sheriff; Capt. in Colonial and Indian wars; will probated 1770; m. 1727, Elizabeth; widow of Charles Stevens, maiden name unknown.

5. Sarah, b. 1742 in Va. m. 1767, William Harden. see 5. above.

## Ball

9. WILLIAM, 1615-1680; Colonel with Royalist forces against the armies of Cromwell and Parliament, in the battles of Marston Moor, and Naseby, in which the King's men were completely routed; fled to Va. to escape, 1650; settled in Lancaster co., and built "Millenbeck" estate; burgess; m. 1638, Hannah, dau. of Thomas Atherold.

8. WILLIAM, 1641-1694; Eng. to Va. 1650; justice, 1680; burgess, 1685; surveyor for boundaries of Northumberland and Lancaster cos. 1687; Capt. in Indian wars; m. 1673, Margaret, dau. of Rawleigh Downman.

7. Katharine, b. 1685; m. 1705, Abraham Bledsoe; see Bledsoe 7 p 17.

## Atherold

10. Thomas, English gentleman; did not come to America.

9. HANNAH, b. in Eng. ca. 1620; m. 1638, Col. William Ball; fled to America to escape Cromwell; see Ball 9, above.

## Downman

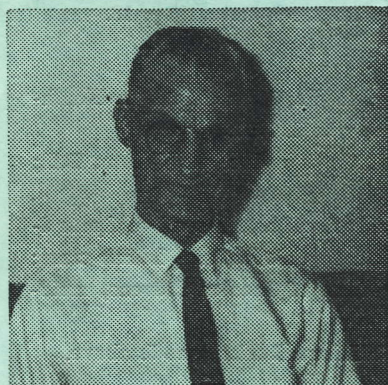
9. RAWLEIGH, b. Eng. ca. 1622; emigrated to Bermuda; to Lancaster co. Va. 1653; built "Moratico" estate; lawyer; m. in Eng.

8. Margaret, 1655-1694; m. 1675, William Ball; see Ball 8, above.

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### OLDEST LIVING DESCENDANT OF WILLIAM BOLLMAN

September 1967



Fenton Ellsworth Bollman, s. of Moses and gs. of William, was b. 1875, in an Ia. log cabin; H. S. graduate; attended Upper Ia. U. m. 1897, Jennie Robinson; to Cal. 1907; to Idaho, 1909; farmer, realtor, auto dealer, and councilman at Caldwell. Hobbies: hunting and fishing; later years, a pursuit of art work, mostly in water color painting; mem. Art Assn., Boise. Congratulations! cousin.  
Residence: 804 North Kimball  
Caldwell, Idaho 83605

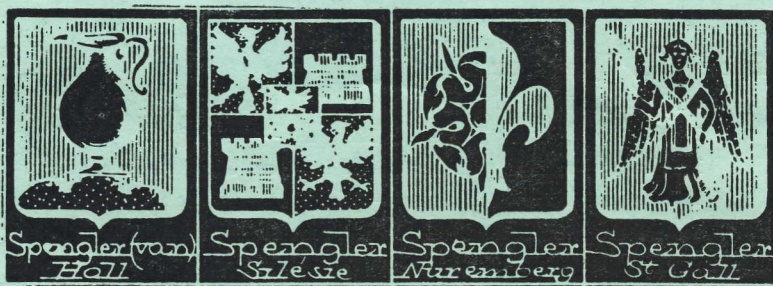


## Spangler, Spengler

20. George, 1150-1190; Cupbearer to the Bishop of Wurzburg.
19. George, lived at Winsbach 1230; m. — Retlinger.
18. Killian, resided at Kutzendorff 1270; m. Margaretha Gaumy.
17. Killian, living in 1302; m. — Von Rosenbusch; four sons.
16. Peter, resided at Elbersdorff, near Winsbach; m. Catherina von der Ansach; three sons.
  15. Hans, m. twice, 2. Christina Westendorff.
  14. Hans Urban, of Donauworth, Franconia; settled in Nuremberg 1476.
    13. George, Clerk of the Council of Nuremberg; d. 1496; m. 1468, Agnes Ulmer, who d. 1505.
    12. George, 1480-1529; m. 1516, Juliana Tucherin. He had a famous brother, Lazarus, coadjutor of Martin Luther.
    11. Frantz, 1517-1565.
    10. Lazarus, 1552-1618; Procurator in Nuremberg; m. 2nd wife 1593 Bertrand Geroldin.
      9. Hans, b. 1594; exiled during "Thirty Years War" on account of his Protestant faith; settled in Switzerland.
      8. Jacob, a citizen of Schoftland, Canton Berne, Switzerland.
      7. Hans Rudolf, b. Switzerland; emigrated to Weyler, near Sinsheim, Rhenish Palatinate; m. 1st in 1678, Judith Haegis, 2nd 1699, Marie Saeger of Duehren; 13 chd. 5 of whom emigrated to Pa. One settled in Philadelphia, the others in York co.
      6. PETER, 1712-post 1782; b. Weiler, Ger. to Pa. on ship "Samuel" 1740; settled in Tyrone twp. York co. m. 1742, Barbara Zimmermann.
      5. John, b. 1745, York co. owned 150 acres in Bedford co. 1788; m. 1772, Sarah Meyer.
      4. Sarah Ann, b. ca. 1773 York co. with parents to Bedford co. m. 1793, James Harden; moved to Ohio ca. 1820; see Harden 4, p. 17.

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All information on ancestors 7 to 20, listed above, came from German cousins to Edward W. Spangler, author of "The Spengler Families."



Variations in the Spengler coat of arms shows how this one family spread over western Europe. Johan, a Palatine army officer, s. of Hans, 15 on p. 19, entered the Netherlands army, and founded the Holland Van Spengler branch; Hans Urban founded the Nuremberg line 14 generations ago; Jacob, number 8, started the Swiss group; and Hans Rudolph was sire of the Weiler "kropf" whose coat of arms was a combination of elements illustrated above. Early Spenglers were Catholics, later ones followers of Luther, and the Weiler group, Evangelicals.

## Zimmermann

7. GERHARDT, b. 1694 in Ger. arrived Phila. Dec. 1740, with s., Johan, wife, and dau. on ship "Samuel"; m. 1717 Rosina in Ger. settled in York co. Pa. descendants still there in 1790.

6. BARBARA, b. 1720 in Ger. to Pa. with parents; m. 1741, Peter Spengler; see Spengler 6, p. 19.

## Meyer

7. JACOB, b. 1696 in Ger. Palatinate; to America on ship "Mercury" 1735; settled in York co. Pa. m. 1726, Barbara, in Ger.

6. HANS JACOB, b. 1727; to Pa. 1735; m. 1747, Margaret Dentzler.

5. Sarah, b. 1749 in York co. Pa. m. 1772, John Spengler of York co. see Spengler 5, p. 19.

## Dentzler

7. JACOB, b. 1695 in Ger. Palatinate; came to Pa. in "Mercury" 1735, with wife and several chd., m. Mary in Ger.

6. MARGARET, b. 1731 in Ger. to America with parents, 1735; m. 1747, Hans Jacob Meyer; see Meyer 6 above.



## Mitchel, Mitchell

9. MATTHEW, 1590-1645; of Scotch and English ancestry. b. Halifax, Yorkshire, Eng. Church of England dissenter; very religious; sailed from Bristol with Richard Mather, on ship "James"; arrived Boston on Aug. 7, 1635; had wife, 5 chd. and large amount of supplies; settled at Charlestown, Mass. moved to Concord, and later to Conn., living at Saybrook, Wethersfield, and Stamford; suffered loss from fires and Indians; m. 1616, Susan Butterfield in Eng. d. at Stamford, age 55.

8. DAVID, 1619-1685; b. Halifax, Eng. to America 1635; settled in Stratford, and became large property owner; m. ante 1650, Sarah Wheeler, dau. Moses; 4 sons: Matthew, John, Nathan, and Abraham.

7. Abraham, 1663-1713; b. at Stratford; m. 1685, Sarah Wheeler, a woman with the same name as his mother's, but from a different family; settled in Woodbury, and had chd. Hannah, Nathan, Sarah, Abraham; moved to Windham 1700; engaged in "Meeting House" activities.

6. Abraham, b. ca. 1695, probably at Woodbury; m. 1720, Joanna Taylor of Lebanon, New London co.

5. William, 1735-1816; m. 1764, Sarah Parmelee, dau. Jonathan of Windsor, Conn.

4. Richard, 1770-post 1850; m. ca. 1797, Olive — b. in Ireland 1777; moved from Conn. to vicinity of Albany, N. Y. ante 1830; later to town of Summit, Schoharie co. N. Y., where both are known to have lived past the year 1850; chd. include Stephen, John, Harvey, Matilda, Charles N., Joseph, and Joshua; interment is believed to be in old Summit cemetery where s. John and wife, and g-s are buried. In 1967 this cemetery was overgrown, uncared for, and markers scattered, a disgrace to the town.

3. Charles Nathaniel, 1810-1859; to N. Y. with parents; farmer; to Mich. 1837, travelling via Erie canal; to Iowa 1850, settling in Winneshie co. m. 1834, Elizabeth Row, dau. Frederick; 8 chd. twins who d. in infancy, a son who d. at 2 years, and 5 daughters: Olive Maria, Hannah Matilda, Margaret Lorana, Dona Viola, and Martha Elizabeth. Charley Mitchel was reported by his daughters, as a fine father, and a jolly companion, with the generous, heart-warming Irish traits dominant.

## **Mitchel**

2. Martha Elizabeth, 1848-1932; b. near Lansing, Mich., to Iowa 1850, to Minn. 1874, to Ore. 1882, and to Wash. state 1906; teacher, home maker, postmistress and general merchandise store owner, Elmira, Ore. many years; mem. Baptist ch., and active in community affairs; m. 1869 John W. Bollman; 8 chd. Interment in Mountain View Memorial Park, Tacoma, Wash. see Bollman 2, p. 13.

## **Wheeler**

9. MOSES, 1598-1690; from Eng. to New Haven, Conn. 1638; free-man; received charter from Conn. gen. ct. for ferry on Housatonic river; occupation shipwright; moved to Stratford 1648; m. 1623 Miriam Hawley.

8. SARAH, b. 1628 in Eng. to Stratford Conn. with parents; m. ante 1650, David Mitchel; see Mitchel 8, p. 21.

## **Wheeler**

10. John, of Cranfield, Bedfordshire Eng. did not emigrate.

9. GEORGE, 1605-1687; came to New Eng. with brother Thomas, and their families 1635; George settled at Concord, Mass. m. Katharine 1610-1684, in Eng. freeman 1642.

8. John, 1643-1713; b. in Mass., moved to Conn. m. 1663, Sarah Larkin, dau. of Edward.

7. Sarah, b. 1667 in Conn. m. 1685, Abraham Mitchel of Woodbury.

## **Larkin**

9. EDWARD, b. 1615 in Eng. to Charlestown, Mass. ante 1640; m. 1640, Joanna Hale, dau. of Deacon Robert.

8. Sarah, b. 1643 in Mass. m. 1663, John Wheeler; see 8 above.

## **Hale**

10. Deacon ROBERT, d. 1659; Puritan from Eng. to Boston 1630; joined 1st ch. at Charlestown 1632; m. Jane in Eng.

9. JOANNA, 1616-1686; b. in Eng. m. 1640, Edward Larkin; see Larkin, 9 above.



## **Taylor**

9. RICHARD, 1619-1673; from Eng. on ship "Truelove" 1635; settled at Yarmouth, Mass. m. 1646, Ruth Wheldon, dau. Gabriel.

8. John. 1642-1722; b. at Yarmouth, Mass. m. 1674, Sarah Matthews, dau. of James.

7. Samuel, 1675-1756; moved to Conn. m. Elizabeth.

6. Joanna, b. 1700; m. 1720, Abraham Mitchel; see Mitchel 6 p. 21.

## **Wheldon**

10. GABRIEL, ca. 1600-1654; from Eng. to Yarmouth; town officer 1641-42; moved to Lynn, and later to Malden; m. Margaret in Eng.

9. RUTH, b. in Eng. ca. 1625; to Mass. with parents ca 1635; m. 1646, Richard Taylor; see 9 above.

## **Matthews**

9. JAMES, ca. 1615-1686; from Eng. to Charlestown, Mass. 1634; to Yarmouth 1639; mem. Yarmouth military comp. 1643; dep. gen. ct. of Plymouth colony 1644; for Yarmouth 1664; name of wife not known.

8. Sarah, b. at Yarmouth 1649; m. 1674, John Taylor; see 8 above.

## **Parmalee, Parmelee**

9. JOHN, ca. 1597-1659; from Eng. in "Elizabeth Ann" 1635; settled at Guilford, Conn., signer of Plantation covenant, 1639; m. in Eng., Hannah; m. 2nd, in Conn. Elizabeth Bradley.

8. JOHN, 1620-1689; b. in Eng. drummer, Guilford Trained Band; freeman 1650; m. 3 times, 3rd 1658, Hannah, surname unknown.

7. Joshua, 1661-1726; b. at Guilford; m. 1st, Elsie Edwards, 1670-1714; m. 2nd, Hannah, widow of farmer.

6. Jonathan, 1701-1772; moved to Hartford co. m. 1728, Sarah Taylor, dau. John of Windsor.

5. Sarah, b. 1740 at Windsor; m. 1764, William Mitchel; see Mitchel 5 p. 21.

## Edwards

10. Rev. Richard, d. in Eng.

9. JOHN, 1620-1685; from Eng. with wife, mother, and stepfather 1639; freeman 1658; mem. Troop of Horse 1658; chimney viewer 1668; m. Ann Munter, dau. of Henry, in Eng. m. 2nd, 1645 Agnes Heane, widow of William Spencer.

8. Richard, 1647-1718; attorney at Hartford, Conn. m, 1667, Elizabeth Tuttle, dau. of William.

7. Elsie, 1672-1714; m. 1690, Joshua Parmelee; see Parmelee 7 p. 23.

## Tuttle

10. Henry "Tuthill" of Tharston co., Norfolk, Eng. d. in Eng.

9. WILLIAM, 1609-1673; in "Planter" to Boston 1635; bought mill on Tower hill, 1635; proprietor of Charlestown, 1636; moved to New Haven, Conn. 1638; fence viewer 1644; in New Haven night watch, and road comm. 1646; part owner of ketch "Zebulon"; prop. of New Haven 1659; constable; m. 1630, Elizabeth, 1612-1684.

8. Elizabeth, b. 1647; m. 1667, Richard Edwards; see 8 above.

## Taylor

9. JOHN, d. 1647; from Eng. in "Lady Arabella" to Mass. with Gov. Winthrop, 1623; settled at Windsor, Conn. 1639; sailed for Eng. in "Phantom Ship" 1647, and was lost at sea; m. Rhoda, a widow.

8. Thomas, 1642-1736; one of 8 original settlers at Danbury, Conn. rep. grand assembly; m. 1665, Rebecca, dau. of Edward Ketcham.

7. John, 1672-1742; b. at Danbury, moved to Windsor; m. ca. 1694, Elizabeth Spencer, dau. of Obadiah.

6. Sarah, 1711-1798; m. 1728, Jonathan Parmelee; see Parmelee 6.

## Ketcham, Catchm

9. EDWARD, 1598-1655; from Wales to Ipswich, Mass. 1635; later to Stratford; Puritan; freeman 1642; m. 1619, Mary Hall, in Wales, m. 2nd, 1640, Sarah, in Mass.

8. Rebecca, b. 1644; m. 1665, Thomas Taylor; see Taylor 8 above.



## Spencer

10. Gerard, of Bedford, Eng., did not emigrate.
9. THOMAS, 1607-1687; from Eng. to Cambridge, Mass. 1633; to Hartford, Conn. 1637; soldier in Pequot war; had land grant; constable; 1637; surveyor 1672; m. Sarah, in Eng., dau. of Nathaniel Bearding.
8. Obadiah, 1640-1712; b. at Hartford, Conn. m. 1665, Mary, dau. of Nicholas Desborough.
7. Elizabeth, b. 1674; m. 1694, John Taylor; see Taylor 7 p. 24.

## Desborough

9. NICHOLAS, from Eng. to Hartford ante 1640; m. 1644, Mary, dau. of John Bronson, of Hartford.
- 8, Mary, b. 1645; m. 1665, Obadiah Spencer; see 8 above.

## Bronson

11. RICHARD, b. in Eng. ca. 1574; to Newton, Mass. with two sons Richard and John, in Rev. Hooker's comp. on the "Griffin" 1623; moved to Hartford, Conn. mem. Hooker's ch. at Chelmsford, Eng. and at Hartford, Conn. name of wife not found.
10. JOHN, 1600-1680; settled at Hartford, 1636; one of the pillars of Hartford ch. at its founding, 1652; in Pequot war, 1637; dep. gen. ct., and constable; m, Mary, in Eng.
9. MARY, b. 1621; m. 1644, Nicholas Desborough; see 9 above.

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### THE CHARLES N. MITCHEL FAMILY

The Charlie Mitchel family and descendants, like the Bollmans, belonged to that vast group of agricultural people who won the West, who brought civilization to the wild frontier, put the great prairie states under the plow, and made them the bread basket of America.

It was not an easy life. The Mitchels were fairly representative of these pioneers who faced heat and cold, dust and mud, crop failures and poor markets, floods, blizzards, grasshoppers, Indian attacks, hostility of stockmen, and a hundred other hardships.

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**THE MITCHEL SISTERS**

**1892**



**Hannah Matilda Walker**

**Olive Maria Parke**

**Margaret Lorana Kirk**

**Martha Elizabeth Bollman**



Through the years, by their own life blood and toil, they saw sod houses changed to comfortable homes, and prairies turned into beautiful farms. These were the rewards. Descendants of these rugged pioneers should be proud of their ancestors' accomplishment.

Charles Mitchel has been described as a kind, good-natured man, with a cheerful smile, a restless spirit, and a homely face. He was full of jokes and simple stories. His favorite family joke was that he had no peace at his house, there was always a row at home. His wife was a Row the "ow" pronounced as in now. No doubt the steady, practical Elizabeth exerted a restraining influence on the exuberant Charles, but few better suited couples ever got together.

The early death of Charles at age 49 was a terrific shock to Elizabeth, but she hid her grief and despair, and for her daughters' welfare assumed the burden of operating the farm. She had offers of marriage, but turned them down saying there could be only one as good as Charles. For more than a score of years she managed the farm, then went to live with a daughter in Nebr. There she was a familiar figure driving a gray horse and buggy, doing kind deeds, and smoking her clay pipe by the fire-side at night, "my one vice" she said with a smile reminiscent of Charles.

Data:

Charles Nathaniel, see above, and Mitchel 3 p. 21.

Elizabeth Row, see above, and Row 3 p. 28.

Olive Maria, 1835-1913; b. N.Y. d. So. Dak., named after her grandmothers, one b. in Ireland, the other in Holland; m. Perry Clay Parke; 8 chd: Alvah, Theodore, Braton, Alzora, Maynard, Mary, Ella, William.

Hannah Matilda, 1837-1915; b. N.Y. d. Okla. m. Wm. Jasper Walker; 4. chd: Oscar, Edgar, Perry, Wilbur.

Margaret Lorana, 1839-1909; b. Mich. d. Nebr. m. Madison Kirk; 2 chd: Riley, and Olive, who m. M. Christiansen.

Donna Viola, 1844-1868; b. Mich. d. Iowa; m. Edward Dunn; 3 chd: Alvira Estella, d. young, Arnold, and Delbert.

Oren Ovid, 1846-1848.

Martha Elizabeth; see Mitchel 2 p. 22, and Bollman family p. 15.

## Row

10. ROBERT, b. 1598 in Suffolk co., Eng. to Boston from Ipswich with wife, Margery, and several chd. including twins, in ship "Frances" 1634; settled in Boston.

9. RICHARD, b. 1622, in Eng., m. 1644, Martha George, dau. of John, who was b. in Ireland.

8. John, b. 1654 in Boston; moved to New Haven, Conn., m. 1681, Abigail, dau. of John Alsop.

7. John, b. 1681; m. 1717, Margaret, dau. of Thomas Root.

6. Wittlemas, b. 1725; probably so named because b. on Whitsunday, once termed "Wittlemas." settled at Sharon, Conn., m. 1751, Hannah, dau. Garrett Winegar.

5. David, b. 1752, at Sharon, Conn., served in Revolutionary war, 10th Conn. Regiment; moved to Watervliet town, later to Ballston, N.Y. m. 1776, Elizabeth, dau. Shadrack Pierce; 1790 U. S. Census lists David as having 7 chd. d ante 1820.

4. Frederick, b. 1782 at Watervliet town; settled in Coeymans, Albany co., m. 1807, Maria, dau. of David Kniver, a Holland immigrant; 10 chd: David, 1808, Elizabeth, 1810, Hannah, Margaret, Samuel, Peter, John, Alfred, Michael, and Maria; d. ante 1860.

3. Elizabeth, 1810-1896; b. at Watervliet town near Albany; lived at Coeymans; m. 1834, Charles N. Mitchel; moved to Mich., 1837; to N.E. Iowa, 1850; managed a farm for 25 years after her husband's death; last years of her long life were spent with her dau., Margaret L. Kirk, at Plainview, Nebr. Interment in Pleasant Hill cemetery, Plainview. See Mitchel 3, p. 21, and Mitchel family pp. 25, 27.

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## George

10. JOHN, b. ca. 1597 in Ireland; to Boston ante 1640; m. ca. 1620; name of wife not known.

9. MARTHA, b. 1626 in Ireland; m. 1644, Richard Row of Boston; see Row 9, above.



## Alsop

9. JOHN, b. ca. 1620 in Eng., to New Haven, Conn. ante 1645; m. Temperance Gilbert in Eng.

8. Abigail, b. 1660 in Conn., m. 1681, John Row; see Row 8, p. 28.

## Root

11. John, of Badby, Eng., m. Ann Russell; did non emigrate.

10. JOHN, 1608-1684; from Eng. to Farmington, Conn. 1640; free-man; m. 1640, Mary, dau. of Thomas Kilbourne.

9. Joseph, 1640-1711; m. 1663, Hannah, dau. of Edmund Haynes.

8. Thomas, 1667-1726; m. 1690, Sarah, dau. of John Clark.

7. Margaret, b. ca. 1694; m. 1717, John Row; see Row 7, p. 28.

## Kilbourne

11. THOMAS, 1578-1639; from Wood Dighton, Cambridge, Eng., on the "Increase" 1635; settled at Wethersfield, Conn., m. 1604 in Eng. Frances Moody, 1584-1650.

10. MARY, b. 1618 in Eng. m. 1640, John Root; see 10 above.

## Haynes

10. EDMUND, b. in Eng. ca. 1620; migrated to Farmington, Conn. 1645; m. Hannah in Eng.

9. Hannah, b. 1646; m. 1663, Joseph Root; see Root 9 above.

## Clark

10. JOHN, 1614-1674; from Eng., and freeman at Newton, Mass. 1632; an original settler at Hartford, Conn., 1636; soldier Pequot war; dep. for city of Hartford, 1641-44; for Saybrook, 1649-60; for Milford, 1666-68; m. Mary, dau. of John Coley, or Cooley.

9. John, b. 1642, at Hartford; m. 1665; name of wife not found.

8. Sarah, b. ca. 1670; m. 1690, Thomas Root; see Root 8 above.

## Coley Cooley

11. JOHN, from Eng. to Hartford, 1636; m. in Eng.

10. MARY, b. in Eng., m. 1638, John Clark; see Clark 10 above.

## **Winegar**

8. ULRIC, or ULRICH, 1652-1754; d. at age 102, our ancestor who lived longest; see CAG V. 2, p. 100; from Switzerland to Sharon, Conn., to U. S. ante 1700; m. ca. 1680, — Arnoldt, 1st name probably Amanda.

7. Garrett, 1702-1755; b. at Sharon, moved to N. Y. m. 1723, Catherine Snyder, believed to be a Swiss immigrant.

6. Hannah, b. 1728; m. 1751, Wittlemas Row; see Row 6, p. 28.

## **Pierce**

10. John, M. P. in Eng., did not emigrate.

9. Abraham, 1605-1673; granted a Charter for Mayflower Pilgrims; owned and outfitted the ship "Fortune", and came to America on it in 1622, bringing the Charter to the Pilgrims; served in Capt. Miles Standish Military Co. 1633; an original purchaser, and founder of Bridgewater Mass., m. 1650, Rebecca, surname not found.

8. Isaac, 1661-1732; received land grant for services in King Philip's war; m. 1682, Alice Chartley, b. 1664.

7. Thomas, 1684-1743; moved to Conn., m. 1714, Naomi Booth.

6. Shadrack, 1717-1780; m. 1737, Abigail Hoskins, dau. Henry.

5. Elizabeth, b. 1753; m. 1774, David Row; see Row 5, p. 28.

## **Booth**

10. ROBERT, 1604-1682; m. Deborah in Eng., to Conn. ante 1640.

9. Simeon, 1641-1702; m. Rebecca Frost, dau. of Daniel.

8. William, ca. 1670-1753; settled at Enfield; m. 1690, Hannah, dau. of John Burrows.

7. Naomi, 1691-1754; m. 1714, Thomas Pierce; see Pierce 7 above.

## **Frost**

11. WILLIAM, from Eng. to Fairfield, Conn. d. 1645.

10. DANIEL, 1618-1684; from Eng. to Fairfield, Conn., m. 1639, Elizabeth, dau. of John Barlow.

9. Rebecca, 1640-1688; m. 1662, Simeon Booth; see Booth 9 above.



## Barlow

11. JOHN, ca 1598-1674; from Wales to Fairfield, Conn. ante 1629; freeman; m. 1620, in Wales, Ann Ward who d. 1685.

10. ELIZABETH, b. ca. 1620 in Wales; to Conn. with parents; m. 1639, Daniel Frost; see Frost 10, p. 30.

## Burrows

10. ROBERT, ca. 1604-1682; from Eng. in "Arabella" with Gov. Winthrop, 1630; 1st ferryman across Thames river; early settler at Mystic, Conn., to Wethersfield, 1641; prop. Marblehead, Mass. 1649; at New London, 1650; m. Mary, 1605-1672, widow of Samuel Ireland.

9. John, 1642-1716; m. 1670, Hannah, b. 1651, dau. Edward Culver.

8. Hannah, b. 1671; m. 1690, William Booth; see Booth 8, p. 30.

## Culver

10. EDWARD, 1600-1685; a Puritan from Eng. 1635; a founder of Dedham, Mass. 1636, later at New London, Conn., served in Pequot, Narragansett, and King Phillip's wars; m. 1638, Anne, dau. John Ellis.

9. Hannah, b. 1651; m. 1670, John Burrows; see Burrows 9 above.

## Ellis

11. JOHN, ca. 1598-1679; Eng. to Boston 1635; one of proprietors of Dedham, 1636; one of the 13 original patentees of Medford; m. 1620, Susanna Lombard in. Eng.

10. ANNE, b. 1621; m. 1638, Edward Culver; see Culver 10 above.

## Hoskins

9. WILLIAM, b. ca. 1615; Eng. to Mass., m. Ann Hinde in Eng.

8. Henry, b. in Mass., m. 1665; wife's name not found.

7. Henry, b. 1678; m. 1709, Abigail, dau. of John Godfrey.

6. Abigail, b. 1720; m. 1737, Shadrack Pierce; see Pierce 6 p. 30.

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A grandparent is a simple ancestor, one even a child can work.

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## Godfrey

10. William.

9. RICHARD, 1631-1691; s. of William from Eng., settled at Taunton, Mass. 1652; m. 1662, Jane, dau. of John Turner.

8. Capt. John, b. 1663; commander of vessel against French privateers, 1789; m. Sarah, 1683.

7. Abigail, b. ca. 1690; m. 1709 Henry Hoskins; see Hoskins 7 p. 31.

## Turner

11. HUMPHREY, 1593-1673; from Eng. to Plymouth, Mass. 1628; to Scituate 1633; a founder of ch. 1635; constable; rep. gen. ct. 1640, 52, 53; pvt. in military company; m. ante 1620, Lydia Gamer, in Eng.

10. JOHN, ca. 1620-1697; b. in Eng., tanner at Scituate; m. 1644, Mary, dau. Jonathan Brewster.

9. Jane, b. 1645; m. 1662, Richard Godfrey; see Godfrey 9 above.

## Brewster

12. Elder WILLIAM, 1566-1644; Mayflower Pilgrim; 4th signer of Mayflower Compact; a ruling Elder of the ch. 1620-44; dep. 1636; Chaplain of mil. company; m. ante 1593, Mary, 1569-1627.

11. JONATHAN, 1593-1659; from Eng. in "Fortune" 1622; lived in Duxbury, and Norwich; m. 1624, Lucretia Oldham, 1600-1678.

10. Mary, 1627-1697; m. 1644, John Turner; see Turner 10 above.

## Kniver

5. DAVID, b. ca. 1750 in Holland; came to New York in 1788 with a brother, Henry, their wives, and chd., on the ship "Amsterdam Packet"; settled in Watervliet town, near Albany, and later, David lived at Ballston; d. ante 1820, probably at Ballston; m. ca. 1776, in Holland; had at least 7 chd., 3 sons, and 4 daughters.

MARIA, b. in Holland, 1784; migrated to America with parents when 4 years old in 1788; m. 1807, Frederick Row, s. of David. 10 chd. see Row 4, p. 28.



## LIST OF ANCESTORS

Alphabetically arranged by surnames. Wives' names appear under husbands' surnames, with given, and maiden names listed where known.

Paternal Ancestors, pp. 13 to 20.

**Atherold:** Thomas.

**Ball:** William, Hannah Atherold, William 2, Margaret Downman.

**Bledsoe:** George, Anne, Abraham, Katharine Ball, William, Elizabeth.

**Bollman:** Johan Adam, Maria Catrina, David, Anna Klein, Abraham, Eva Hoffman, William, Elizabeth Harden, John Waxler.

**Dentzler:** Jacob, Mary.

**Downman:** Rawleigh.

**Harden, Hardin:** Mark, Mary Hogue, Martin, Henry, Judith Lynch, William, Sarah Bledsoe, James, Sarah Spangler.

**Hoffman:** Johan Jorg, Mary, Christian, Catherine Hopff.

**Hopff:** Adam, Anna Catherine.

**Klein:** Henry, Esther.

**Meyer:** Jacob, Barbara, Hans Jacob, Margaret Dentzler.

**Spangler, Spengler:** George 1, George 2, — Retlinger, Killian 1, Margaretha Gaumy, Killian 2, — Von Rosenbusch, Peter, Catherine Van Ansach, Hans, Christina Westendorph, Hans Urban, George 3, Agnes Ulmer, George 4, Juliana Tucherin, Lazarus, Bertrand Geroldin, Hans 2, Jacob, Hans Rudolph. Marie Saeger, Peter 2, Barbara Zimmermann, John, Sarah Meyer.

**Zimmermann:** Gerhardt, Rosina.

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### Meaning of Names and Derivations

**Bollman:** derivation uncertain, but of German origin, believed to be from "bohle" meaning plank, sill, thick board; hence a plank maker.

**Harden, Hardin:** a man of the forest; a dweller in the Forest of Arden in Eng., or the Ardennes in France and Belgium; also from the Celtic word "ardu", dark or obscure; also from "ar-deen", among oaks.

**Spengler:** a worker in metals, lead, copper, iron; also a tinsmith.

**Zimmermann:** a worker in wood; a carpenter, a cabinet maker.

Maternal Ancestors, pp. 21 to 32.

**Alsop:** John, Temperance Gilbert.

**Barlow:** John, Ann Ward.

**Bearding:** Nathaniel.

**Bollman:** Martha Mitchel.

**Booth:** Robert, Deborah, Simeon, Rebecca Frost, Wm., Hannah Burrows.

**Brewster:** William, Mary, Jonathan, Lucretia Oldham.

**Bronson:** Richard, John, Mary.

**Burrows:** Robert, Mary, John, Hannah Culver.

**Clark:** John, Mary Coley, John 2.

**Coley:** John.

**Culver:** Edward, Anne Ellis.

**Desborough:** Nicholas, Mary Bronson.

**Edwards:** Rev. Richard, John, Agnes Heane, Richard, Elizabeth Tuttle.

**Ellis:** John, Sussanna Lombard.

**Frost:** William, Daniel, Elizabeth Barlow.

**George:** John.

**Godfrey:** William, Richard, Jane Turner, John, Sarah.

**Hale:** Robert, Jane.

**Haynes:** Edmund, Hannah.

**Hoskins:** William, Ann Hinde, Henry, Henry 2, Abigail Godfrey.

**Ketcham:** Edward, Mary Hall.

**Kilbourne:** Thomas, Frances Moody.

**Kniver:** David.

**Larkin:** Edward, Joanna Hale.

**Matthews:** James.

**Mitchel:** Matthew, Susan Butterfield, David, Sarah Wheeler, Abraham, Sarah Wheeler 2, Abraham 2, Joanna Taylor, William, Sarah Parmalee, Richard, Olive, Charles Nathaniel, Elizabeth Row.

**Parmalee:** John, Hannah, John 2, Hannah 2, Joshua, Elsie Edwards, Jonathan, Sarah Taylor.

**Pierce:** John, Abraham, Rebecca, Isaac, Alice Chartley, Thomas, Naomi Booth, Shadrack, Abigail Hoskins.



**Maternal Ancestors, pp. 21 to 32.**

**Root:** John of Eng., John of Conn., Mary Kilbourne, Joseph, Hannah Haynes, Thomas, Sarah Clark.

**Row:** Robert, Margery, Richard, Martha George, John, Abigail Alsop, John 2, Margaret Root, Wittlemas, Hannah Winegar, David, Elizabeth Pierce, Frederick, Maria Kniver.

**Spencer:** Gerard, Thomas, Sarah Bearding, Obadiah, Mary Desborough.

**Taylor:** Richard, Ruth Wheldon, John of Yarmouth, Sarah Matthews, Samuel, Elizabeth, John of Windsor, Rhoda, Thomas, Rebecca Ketcham, John of Danbury, Elizabeth Spencer.

**Turner:** Humphrey, Lydia Gamer, John, Mary Brewster.

**Tuttle:** Henry, William, Elizabeth.

**Wheeler:** Moses, Miriam Hawley, John of Eng., George, Katharine, John of Conn., Sarah Larkin.

**Wheldon:** Gabriel, Margaret.

**Winegar:** Ulric, Amanda Arnoldt, Garrett, Catherine Snyder.

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**Derivation and Meaning of Names**

**Mitchel:** from Saxon muchel, big; also from Hebrew Michael, Godlike.

**Pierce:** Hebrew, from Peter, the rock.

**Root:** the happy cheerful man.

**Row:** English, one who lived by the hedge-row, or in rough country.

**Spencer:** old French, a dispenser of provisions, a storekeeper.

**Taylor:** Eng. occupational name, maker of outer clothing.

**Turner:** ditto a turner, or a lathe worker.

**Wheeler:** ditto maker of wheels, or of wheeled vehicles.

**Tuttle:** one who lived on "toot-hill" — having a good view.

**Hoffman:** Teutonic, a man from the Court.

**Meyer:** Teutonic, a steward.

**Edwards:** a guardian, or defender of property.

**Ellis:** Eng. derivative from Elijah and Elisha.

**Haynes:** Cymric, he who helps himself.

**Matthews:** Hebrew, from Matthew, a gift of Jehovah.

### Dean S. Bollman Family

Data: Dean S., see Bollman 1 p. 14.

Marie Antoinette, b. 1898, Milwaukee, Wisc. dau. Emile Michea, and Natalie Gronski; to Seattle 1908; education: Seattle Public schools, and Univ. of Wash. B. A., M. A. degrees; teacher of languages in Wash. State, Philippine, and Seattle high schools; home-maker; active member U. S. Humane Society; Unitarian; m. 1922, Dean S. Bollman; 3 chd.

Victor Stanley, b. Feb. 27, 1925; education: Seattle schools, Univ of Wash. B. S. Electrical Engineer. M. B. A. Santa Clara Univ. Calif. m. 1947 Arline Esther, dau. of Sem Peder, and Esther Sjerslee; Swedish and Norwegian lineage; librarian; educated in Seattle schools and U. W. 3 chd.: Stephen Victor, b. June 19, 1954. Allison Kay, b. Nov. 26, 1956. Brian Dean, b. March 26, 1959.

Dean Henry, b. Feb. 27, 1925; education: Seattle schools, Univ. of Wash. B. S. Analytical Chemist; m. 1955, Frances Louise, dau. Edward John, and Myrtle Swift Sullivan; Irish and English lineage; educated in Boston schools; registered nurse; 5 chd.: David John, b. August 8, 1956, Kathleen Louise, b. Sept. 2, 1957, Michael Andrew, b. November 6, 1958, James Nathan, b. March 4, 1960, Dorothy Marie, b. April 17, 1964.

Paul Vaughn, b. May 17, 1929; education: Seattle schools, Univ. of Wash. B. A. Civic and Social studies, special training "New math." San Jose State Univ. Cal. Teacher; m. 1951 Margaret Elizabeth, dau. Robert James, and Bertha Campbell; Scotch and English lineage; dress designer; education: Kirkland, Seattle schools, U. of W.; 3 chd: Margaret Anne, b. Aug. 28, 1952, Natalie Jean, b. Oct. 21, 1960, Mark Stanley, b. Jan. 8, 1962.

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Maternal Ancestors of Victor S., Dean H., Paul V. Bollman

#### MICHEA

3. EMILE VICTOR, 1863-1931; b. Valence, France; emigrated to Canada 1888, to U. S. 1892, to Seattle 1908; wine taster; hotel caterer; Chief Steward, Butler hotel, Seattle; Executive Secretary, Seattle Culinary Association; m. 1st, 1889, Anna; 1 chd., Henry Alexander, b. 1890; m. 2nd, 1896, Natalie Gronski; 1 chd., Marie Antoinette.

2. Marie Antoinette, b. May 26, 1898; see DSB family above.



## GRONSKI

4. Johan Reinhardt, b. ca. 1840, at Torun, Poland; emigrated to Bremen, Germany, while still a young man; m. Katherine Fleisher, ca. 1865, a member of an old Bremen family; 6 chd. 5 daughters, 1 son.

3. NATALIE, 1872-1962; emigrated to the United States in 1894; employed as housekeeper and maid; moved to Seattle in 1903; m. Emile Michea, 1896; one child: Marie Antoinette; see Michea 3, p. 36.

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