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## PURPOSE

The purpose of this newsletter is to facilitate the exchange of research information among Jabez descendants and to encourage and assist with ongoing research.

## JOE BARBER'S COLUMN

Winter is fast approaching and while it is time to think of indoor activities such as family history there are a few activities that occurred during the summer I would like to share with you.

Over the past couple of years I have gotten to know a great, great grandson of Nathaniel Olmstead. Nathaniel was born in Wolford Twp., ON in 1825 and died in Renfrew Co., ON in 1916. Nathaniel's father was Noah and Noah's father was a Jabez who was born in 1774. It was thought this Jabez was a brother of my g.g.grandfather Gideon and earlier this summer a Jabez cousin and myself sponsored this descendant of Nathaniel for DNA testing. The result was a match with a second cousin of mine who was also tested this summer and this seems to confirm the relationship, which I had previously suspected.

Some of the descendants of my g.g.grandfather were born and raised in Quebec and French is their first language. This summer I was able to get some Quebec Vital Records of marriages and deaths and by ordering the French language newspaper for Hull, PQ and with the aid of a translator I may be able to learn a little more about these cousins

Following the Olmste(a)d Family Association reunion in Fredericton, NB in 2003 three cousins and myself rented a car to see some of the sites of the Maritimes. One of the highlights was a visit to Fort Louisbourg on Cape Breton Island. Fort Louisbourg has particular significance for descendants of Jabez as he was a Captain in the 4<sup>th</sup> Massachusetts Regiment which took part in the attach and capture of this fort from the French in 1745. Fort Louisbourg is a Canadian National Park and information on the history of Louisbourg, the reconstruction of the Fortress, an Archaeological program started in 2005 and interpretative information generally can be viewed on the net by going to http://www.pc.gc.ca , search Louisbourg and follow the links.

During the week-end of August 4-6, 2006 some 84 descendants of Albert and Annie Olmstead held a reunion at Lady Lake Regional Park which is close to Preeceville, SK.

Good reports were received from this reunion and they hope to hold another in 5 years time. I will have some information on Albert and Annie later in this issue if there is space.

Many of you will have already heard about the Olmste(a)d Family Association reunion planned for London, ON during August 10-12,2007. There are quite a number of Jabez kin in ON and it would be great to have a mini Jabez reunion at that time.

I will close with a couple of one liners seen in the Nov 30, 2003 issue of 'The Bulletin' from the Kawartha Branch (Peterborough, ON)

Pruning family trees is not allowed.

Genealogy, the only hobby where dead people can excite you!

Joe Barber.

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The officers of the Olmste(a)d Family Association, elected at the New Brunswick reunion, are:

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## Doreen Dolleman's Research

## ISRAEL OLMSTEAD By Doreen Dolleman

You would not believe how hard it has been to restrain myself from writing more on the descendants of the Aaron Olmstead family. My husband and I followed trails of the Aaron gang last fall while traveling through Illinois, Virginia and Kansas with the purpose of research. They have been my passion for several years now, but since you have tolerated my three previous articles on the subject without complaint I will just make the offer that I have tons more information and several "unpublished" articles that I will gladly share with anyone who asks. I have submitted them to Carlton Hommel so they may appear sometimes as fillers in the newsletters (one of them mysteriously did appear in the last issue of the newsletter). I have decided instead to make an attempt to organize my Israel Olmstead information into an article that will hopefully appeal to those of you who are descendants or just interested in this family.

Israel Olmstead was a son of Jedediah and Mehitable Olmstead of Hampton, Washington County, New York. Jedediah was a son of Jeremiah and Elizabeth Olmstead and a grandson of Captain Jabez and Thankful Olmstead of Ware, Massachusetts. Once again we have no vital records to verify the parentage of Israel, but this time there are documents that clearly give us his lineage. The first is a petition written by Israel himself to Governor Simcoe, found in the Upper Canada Land Petitions, It is dated the 13<sup>th</sup> of August 1793. Israel requested a grant of 200 acres of land in the County of Grenville or Leeds. In this petition he stated that he was from Hampton, New York and was now residing in Augusta, Grenville County, Ontario. It is this reference to Hampton that links him to Jedediah as this was the only Olmstead family in Hampton, enumerated there in the 1790 and 1800 census. The second document which further connects Israel to Jedediah is the Mormon "baptism of the dead" record filed by Moses Olmstead (wife Almira Seekins) in August of 1844. Moses named his dead parents as Jedediah and Mehitable and dead siblings as Israel, Polly, Betsey and Jedediah. The following is a timeline for the known facts about Israel:

- 1. Israel was born around 1770, probably in Alford, MA or possibly Shaftsbury, Vermont.
- Israel married Elizabeth Haskins 16 June 1791 (Bible record), probably in Washington County, New York. Elizabeth was the daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Haskins.
- 3. Israel's first child, Abial Olmstead was born 2 June 1792 (Bible record), either in New York or Augusta Twp, Grenville County, Ontario.
- 4. 13 Aug. 1793 Israel petitioned for 200 acres of land in Grenville County, Ontario. He had been living in Augusta Twp. since 1792, one of the earliest settlers.
- 5. Israel Olmstead was granted 170 acres, Lot 24 on Bro-

- ken Front B, Wolford Twp., a decision made at the meeting of the Land Board for Leeds and Grenville counties on 14 May 1793. His land was triangular in shape and bordered by the River Rideau on two sides.
- 6. Israel's second son, Ephraim Olmstead, was born 15 Sept. 1794 (Bible record) in Grenville County, Ontario.
- Israel submitted another petition to the Crown in 1795 complaining that he had two times been burned out by the Indians, with loss of buildings, crops and threats of death if he returned. No compensation or assistance was given.
- 8. Israel's firstborn son Abial died 9 Nov. 1795.
- 9. Israel was named on 29 June 1796, in a "Return of the Lands Pitched on the West Half of the River Rideaux Eastern District".
- 10. Israel's third child, Lurana Olmstead was born 25 Nov. 1797 (Bible record).
- By 1797 Israel had cleared 18 acres of Lot 24 Broken Front A.
- 12. Twin daughters, Mehitable (Hitte) and Thankful were born to Israel and Elizabeth on the 18<sup>th</sup> of April 1800 (Bible record).
- 13. Israel drowned when he fell through the ice on the River Rideau on the 7<sup>th</sup> of Feb. 1802.
- 14. In the assessment records of Wolford Twp., which were taken on 1 May 1802, the widow Elizabeth Olmstead and her four children were enumerated next to her parents, Joseph and Elizabeth Haskins, her brother Nicholas Haskins and sister Lorana Barber.
- 15. Elizabeth Olmstead married Solomon Edmunds 5 July 1803. He was the son of William and Rebecca Edmonds and was 22 years old when he married Elizabeth. She was 31. In the assessment records of 1803 the four Olmstead children were living with their uncle Jedediah Olmstead JR and his wife Olive. Solomon and Elizabeth were living with the Edmunds family.
- 16. In the April of 1804 assessment records of Wolford, the Olmstead children were living with their mother and stepfather. A new arrival to the family, Lorenzo Dow Edmunds had been born on the 4<sup>th</sup> of April. Four additional children were born to Elizabeth and Solomon Edmunds: Joseph (31 May 1806), Caleb (19 Oct. 1808), Tabitha (26 Feb. 1812) and Rebekah (29 Aug. 1815).
- 17. Elizabeth Haskins Olmstead Edmunds died 7 July 1850 in Wolford Twp. and Solomon Edmunds died 26 Jan. 1854. Both are buried in the Wolford Rural Cemetery.

I will attempt a simple outline of the descendants of Israel and Elizabeth Olmstead, but have to admit that it seems overwhelming, as the family is very large. I will save their son Ephraim for last as his line is the most complicated. Abial, the oldest son of Israel and Elizabeth died at three years of age. There is no record in the family Bible of what became of Mehitable (Hitte) Olmstead so we don't know if she died young or whether or not she even married. She was

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still alive in the 1819 assessment for Wolford Twp. Her twin sister Thankful married someone by the surname of Robinson as her death is recorded in the Bible as Thankful Robinson, died 9 Feb. 1824. She would have been only 24 years old. Lurana Olmstead married Charles Tallman. There is no exact date of marriage, but they were a couple by the May 1817 Wolford census. Charles was born about 1795 in the United States and was the son of Ephraim and Elizabeth Tallman. He was a farmer and lived near Kilmarnock in Wolford Twp. Lurana died 25 April 1869 and Charles died 28 March 1877 in Wolford. Their children were:

- (1) William Russel Tallman was born around 1818. He was listed in the 1819 Wolford as a one year old child with his parents. He was a farmer in Montague Twp. He married Catherine Everts, 22 May 1844, and they had five children.
- Harriet Tallman was born in 1845 and married John George Phillips 22 Aug. 1867. They had a daughter Catherine Edith, born 26 January 1879 in Lanark Co. In Ontario death records a Harriet Phillips, who was the wife of John Phillips, died of influenza 4 March 1890.
- Henry Edward Tallman was born in 1847.
- William James Tallman was born 14 Dec. 1848, died 13 May 1915 and married Florence Amelia Barber. Their children were Charles Russell 1879-1945 (married Annie Hart), William J. 2 September 1881, Abigail 15 Sept. 1886, Hulbert 1888- 1 April 1894, Edna, and Alberta.
- Georgianna Tallman was born in 1855.
- Clarence Tallman was born in 1857.
- (2) Elizabeth Tallman was born in May of 1819 and died of heart disease, 17 March 1888 in Wolford. Her death record states that she was 68 years and 10 months. She married Abraham Vanderhoof on 18 October 1840. He was a farmer and resided in North Crosby, Leeds County. He died 21 June 1889 in North Crosby. Elizabeth and Abraham had two children, Harriet and Ephraim. Harriet Vanderhoof was born 3 August 1841. She was a spinster and lived with her parents until their deaths and then with her brother and family. On 25 June 1880, at 39 years of age, she gave birth to an illegitimate daughter, Eva Vanderhoof, Harriet died 4 June 1902 in North Crosby. Eva married Joseph E. Thompson 14 August 1906 and they moved to Yakima, Washington where he was a fruit farmer. They had one son, Clifton, who was born in 1909. Ephraim Vanderhoof was born 14 May 1857 and died in 1937. He married Emeline Barker 26 July 1887. They had one son, Merrill who was born 9 February 1891. Merrill married Myrtle Moulton, 18 July 1923. They had a son Arden who died in infancy and a daughter who married Donald Bresee. Ephraim was a farmer in Westport, North Crosby.

- (3) Hetty Tallman was born in February of 1821. She married Harvey Harry Hardy of Depeyster, St. Lawrence Co, NY, in Oswegatchie, at the home of J.D. Hutchinson, 24 March 1847 (by Rev. Harvey Miles). They lived their entire married lives in DePeyster where Harvey was a farmer and Hetty also the Justice of the Peace. They had no children of their own, but adopted their niece Emma P. Gilbert (daughter of Harvey's sister Caroline and her husband Lyman Gilbert). Emma was born in May of 1850 in DeKalb, St. Lawrence Co, NY. She was with Harvey and Hetty by the 1860 census. Harvey died 8 January 1888 and is buried in Purmont Cemetery, DePeyster, Emma married Traton Stammer in 1887. They had a dairy farm in DePeyster. They had no children. Hetty lived with them until her death on the 21<sup>st</sup> of May 1912 at 91 years and 9 months. She is also buried in Purmont Cemetery. Traton Stammer died in 1916 and Emma in 1926 and both are buried in Purmont Cemetery.
- (4) Charles Tallman was born 1 Nov. 1823 and died 9 Nov. 1904. Charles was a farmer at Kilmarnock. He married Olive Ann Hodge, 28 Feb. 1849. She died 9 July 1912. Both are buried in Wolford Rural Cemetery. They had eight children:
- Charles Henry 24 Nov. 1849 4 Oct. 1875, buried at Wolford.
- Esley Hardy 8 Oct. 1851- 1940, married Frances DeVitt 22 Aug. 1882. Their children were Wesley Harold 13 March 1884 (married Eva Gey), Hardy 31 Oct. 1886, and Stanley 19 May 1893. Esley was a farmer in Merrickville.
  - Otis Willard -1854 (tombstone) 2 March 1938 Watertown, NY, married Ellen (Ella) Lewellen. They had one daughter, Pearl Tallman. An interesting article appeared in the August 14, 1896 edition of the Perth Courier which told that O. W. Tallman's wife was brought to trial and charged with persistent annoyance and abuse of a Miss Tero and finally assaulting her. The persecution arose when Otis drove Miss Tero to Merrickville by orders from his boss. The judge dismissed Mrs. Tallman, but told her to keep both her hands and tongue off Miss Tero or stand the consequences! Otis left his wife and daughter and took off to Watertown, New York where he repeatedly was in trouble with the law for running a notorious, disorderly place with women (might have been a "house of ill repute") and for drunkenness. He spent 50 days in jail in Watertown in 1898. An article about his escapades appeared in a Smith's Falls newspaper and was read by his wife Ella. She then wrote a letter to the police chief in Watertown and told of his deserting the family, the embarrassment caused to his parents, and the unsavory women he had kept company with in Smith's Falls before he left for New York. In the 1900 Watertown census he had a

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"wife" name Bella who was just 25 years old. In 1910 his housekeeper was a 25 year old Mabel Oaks. In the 1920 census Mabel was his wife. She died in 1927. In the 1930 census he was a roomer in a boarding house.

- Sylvester 21 Feb 1855 -19 Sept. 1945 B.C., a bricklayer, married Sarah Jane Leonard 10 Sept. 1892 B.C. Their children were Grace Blanche 29 July 1893 1971(married Herman Roth), Gladys Fern 21 Dec. 1896 1984 (married Milton Alexander Kinch), and Charles Leonard 22 Jan. 1898 (married Flora Margaret Sutherland). Sarah Jane died 25 May 1908.
- Hettie 26 July 1858 1 Feb. 1890. She married Wesley Smith. They had one son, Allen, born in 1888 and died 9 June 1914 of epilepsy. He was raised by his Tallman grandparents after his mother's death.
- Frank Aldon 1861 9 July 1934. He was a bachelor and remained on the family farm.
- Emma Levelia 1867 1944, was a spinster and lived on the family farm with her brother Frank.
- Alberta May 3 May 1867 26 Dec. 1868.

(5) Ephraim Tallman was born 25 Aug. 1826 and died 25 Feb. 1900 (death record states he was 72 and died of old age) in Merrickville. He married Sarah Abigail Woodworth 23 Oct. 1856. Their one child was Ferdinand Albert Tallman, who was born in Montague Twp. in 1857; Ferdinand married Elizabeth Victoria Boyd, 23 October 1895 in Grenville County.

I started out with bare bones information on the family of Lurana Olmstead Tallman, using material written by Alice Hughes, a descendant of Solomon Edmunds, and research I gathered through Tallman contacts many years ago. The information on Hetty Tallman and Otis Tallman is entirely a result of my own sleuthing. I was able to find many of the Tallman family vital records and interesting newspaper articles online. The next installment will be on the family of Ephraim Olmstead and hopefully you will find it much more entertaining!

### ALBERT AND ANNIE OLMSTEAD

## By Joe Barber

Albert George Olmstead <sup>7</sup> was born at Arnprior, ON, September 5, 1872, his ancestry was William Campbell Olmstead <sup>6</sup>, Reuben <sup>5</sup>, Richard <sup>4</sup>, Jabez <sup>3</sup>, Jeremiah <sup>2</sup>, Capt Jabez <sup>1</sup>. Albert died December 26, 1959 at Preeceville, SK.

Albert married Annie Edith Dunn August 12,1894. Annie was born at Parry Sound, ON September 6,1875 and she died in Sturgis, SK May 25, 1941.

Albert and Annie had the following children:

- Edith May was born Feb 11, 1897 and she was married three times- James Ritchie, George Johnson and Lewis J. Bryan.
- Ada Grace was born Oct 8, 1903 and she married Robert James Long.
- William Burton (Bert) was born Nov 24,1909, he married Mary Collinson (McIntyre).

Albert took up a homestead near Stoughton, SK in 1902 and he, his wife and young family lived there until about 1910 when they moved to Creston BC. After a few years they returned to the Stoughton area where they ran the Glenada post office until 1925.

They appear to have moved a few times in the Stoughton district before leaving for the Preeceville/Sturgis area of northern, SK in 1934, because of the drought and grasshopper problems in southern SK during the 1930s. This new land was all bush country and had to be cleared and broken. In 1939 they moved to Endeavour, SK where they were farming when Annie died in 1941.

Bert lived with his parent prior to joining the army in 1941 and going overseas. When Bert returned home in 1946 both he and Albert went to live with the Longs. Albert died in 1959.

## An Apology to an Unknown Subscriber

One unknown US subscriber did not receive the Spring 2006 Issue. The mailing label fell off after it was mailed, and the issue was returned to me by the post office. I had no way of determining whose it was. So if the person who did not receive it will please let me know, I will RUSH a copy out.

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## A NEW WEBSITE

I have prepared a new Website, at www.jabezolmsted.com. The old one will not be maintained. All issues up to and including Spring 2006 are on-line.

At the suggestion of Doreen, it also includes a section on Family Pictures. The only pictures presently on it are of my family, (see my article later in this issue) but Doreen has sent me several score, which I hope to put up soon. Toni Joy has also send me some.

I will welcome subscribers to send me either copies of the pictures or an E-File. I have a scanner so can copy the pictures without harming them, and will return them to the sender.

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## OLMSTE(A)D DNA SURNAME PROJECT By Barbara Taylor

Project Background:

The Olmste(a)d/Omstead Surname Study group began in April 2003, in anticipation of the August 2003 Olmste(a) d Family Association of North America (OFA) Reunion in New Brunswick. Canada.

To date, there are 19 Olmste(a)d/Omstead members in the group, representing 5 separate groups, defined by their unique 12 marker strings.

If you wish to join the study, and/or the Association, please contact Barbara Taylor, OFA President and Project Administrator at ofapres@yahoo.com.

The Olmste(a)d Family Association is open to those of the Olmsted name and its variants, as well as people who have the name in their ancestry. Anyone who has an interest in this is also welcome. The two main lines are considered to be the James/Richard line and the Jabez of Ware line.

The James/Richard line is based on James Olmsted of Great Leighs, Co Essex, England, who arrived in America Sept. 16, 1632, on the ship "Lyon" with his 2 sons Nicholas & Nehemiah, his 2 nephews Richard & John, & his niece Rebecca.

Capt. Jabez Olmsted, who was born about 1690, has not had his origins discovered. He married Thankful Barnes in 1712.

## **Project Goals:**

The Olmste(a)d Surname Project had as its main goal to determine if the Jabez Olmsted line is related to the Pilgrim line of James, Nicholas & Richard.

We also wished to help people solve their Olmste(a)d brick walls, and to connect with their cousins.

Our current goal includes determining the correct Jabez of Ware line, as well as determining the origin of the other Jabez line or lines.

Finally, we wish to define and determine the origin of the Jacob & Mary Olmstead line in Pennsylvania. Project News:

With the new tool of colorization, the number of groups has decreased, as it is easier to see where the mutations are. This should make looking at the results easier.

#### **Project Results:**

Results can be found at http://www.familytreedna.com/ (ytppvzrynwq4gcvvmne4js45)/public/Olmste(a)d/index.aspx From the results, it is apparent that the Pilgrim lines of James/Richard and Jabez are not related in Pilgrim time. They are both of the same R1b1 Haplogroup, so can be assumed to be related farther back in time.

The James/Richard group has 7 members. There are 2 Jabez groups, one with 7 members, & one with 5 members.

## 0LMST(E)AD FAMILY ASSOCIATION 2007 REUNION

The 2007 reunion of the Olmste(a)d Family Association will be held in London, Ontario, Canada on Aug 10th to 12th, 2007, at the Best Western Stoneridge Inn. London is between Detroit and Toronto and is reached via hwy 401 and by air or bus shuttle from Detroit or Toronto.

Total costs for Thursday dinner to Sunday breakfast are as follows (includes room and meals, taxes and gratuities)

O	One person per room	\$565.00
Can	Two per room, each	\$373.28
Can	Three per room, each	\$309.60
Can	Four per room, each	\$277.67
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A deposit of \$100.00 Can per person is required by the end of January 2007, payable to Olmstead Family Association and sent to Jack Olmsted, 772 Muskota Road, 3N, Huntsville, ON, Canada P1H 1E1. Balance is payable to Best Western by about 2 weeks before the reunion

Americans must pay by bank draft or money order in Canadian dollars. (It takes too long for U.S. cheques to clear our banks.)

Deposits will not be cashed until enough deposits have been received to make the reunion feasible. If the reunion is not held, the deposits will be returned to the sender.

Americans traveling by air into Canada MUST have a passport. Americans traveling by land or water

## Descendants of Jeremiah Olmsted of Hope and Spafford, NY By Carlton O. Hommel

I thought I would present my person line to the subscribers. Except for Generation No. 1, I have not presented other descendants of Jeremiah and Mercy. However, I have extensive material in my records, and will be glad to share it with anyone who asks. I will cut of the names of descendants born after about 1950.

Some will question that I show Jeremiah's descent from Jabez through Jabez. All I can say is that my Grandfather, born in 1869, believed his grandfather, who died in 1848 was the son of Jabez.

#### Generation No. 1

1. JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup> OLMSTED (JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 06 Jan 1762 in West Stockbridge, MA (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 400.), and died 18 Dec 1846 in Spafford, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Spafford Mortuary Records with Genealogical Records, by George K. Collins, p. 192.). He married MERCY WELLS. She was born 16 Jul 1768, and died 29 Apr 1861 in Spafford, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Spafford Mortuary Records with Genealogical Records, by George K. Collins, p. 192.).

#### Notes for JEREMIAH OLMSTED:

Birthdate calculated from age at death, 84 y 11 m 18 d, from Spafford Mortuary Records With Genealogical Records, by Collins, p. 192.

## More About JEREMIAH OLMSTED:

Fact 1: 1818, Commissioner of Roads, Wells, Montgomery Co., NY

Fact 2: 1825, Listed as Head of Household in Hope, in State Census

#### Notes for MERCY WELLS:

Birthdate calculated from age at death, 92 y 9 m 13 d, from Spafford Mortuary Records With Genealogical Records, by Collins, p. 192.

Children of JEREMIAH OLMSTED and MERCY WELLS are:

- i. TIMOTHY<sup>5</sup> OLMSTED, b. 1786.
- ii. DAT OLMSTED, b. Hope, Montgomery Co., NY.
  - iii. ALMON OLMSTED, b. 1797, Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; d. Abt. 1877, Northville, Fulton C., NY.
    - HANNAH OLMSTED, b. Hope, Montgomery Co., NY: m. HIRAM FILKINS.
  - v. KIMMIE OLMSTED, b. 05 Oct 1799, Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; d. 14 Dec 1881, Hageman, Montgomery Co., NY.
    - SARAH OLMSTED, b. Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; m. ABRAM FERGUSON.
    - vii. CYNTHIA OLMSTED, b. Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; m. PETER EGLIN; b. 1794.
    - viii. LUCINDA OLMSTED, b. Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; m. JACOB VAN HEUSEN.
- ix. ISAAC OLMSTED, b. 17 Aug 1808, Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; d. 23 May 1889, Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY.
- x.MERCY OLMSTED, b. 17 Mar 1812, Hope, Montgomery Co., NY; d. 19 Apr 1901.

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#### Generation No. 2

**6.** ISAAC<sup>5</sup> OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JA-BEZ<sup>1</sup>) (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 404.) was born 17 Aug 1808 in Hope, Montgomery Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 404.), and died 23 May 1889 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Spafford Mortuary Records with Genealogica Records, By Georg K. Collins, p. 193.). He married EUNICE CASE 1834 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 404.), daughter of ISAAC CASE and POLLY (MARY). She was born Jan 1812 in Montgomery Co., NY (Source: (1) Note from A Lee Olmsted, on his 1912 copy of GOFA, p. 404. (2) Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 553.), and died 24 Apr 1893 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: (1) Spafford Mortuary Records with Genealogica Records, By Georg K. Collins, p. 193., (2) Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 553.).

## Notes for ISAAC OLMSTED:

Birth date calculated from age at death on picture of gravestone, 81 y 9 m, and from Spafford Mortuary Records, p. 193.

The 1855 New York State Census shows birthplace was Montgomery Co., NY.

## More About ISAAC OLMSTED:

Fact 1: 1833, Became Town Clerk, Hope, Hamilton County Fact 2: 1836, Term of Town Clerk over

#### Notes for EUNICE CASE:

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Birth date calculated from age at death on picture of gravestone, 81 y 3 m, and from Spafford Mortuary Records, p. 193.

The 1855 New York State Census shows her birthplace was Montgomery Co., NY.

Children of ISAAC OLMSTED and EUNICE CASE are:

- i. JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup> OLMSTED, b. 21 Sep 1835, New York; d. 30 Jul 1912, Spafford, Onondaga Co., New York.
- ii. MARY OLMSTED, b. 23 May 1838, Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY.

#### Generation No. 3

**14.** JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup> OLMSTED (ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JERE-MIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 21 Sep 1835 in New York (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.), and died 30 Jul 1912 in Spafford. Onondaga Co., New York (Source: (1) Note from A. Lee Olmsted, on his 1912 copy of GOFA, p. 409., (2) Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 553.). He married LOVINA FISH (Source: Note from A. Lee Olmsted, on 1912 copy of GOFA, p. 409.) 01 Jan 1857 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.), daughter of DAVID FISH and JOHANNA PICKETT. She was born 18 Mar 1839 in Marcellus, Onondaga Co., New York (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.), and died 30 Jan 1910 in Spafford, Onondaga Co., New York (Source: (1) Note from A. Lee Olmsted, on his 1912 Edition of the GOFA, p. 409., (2) Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 553.).

Children of JEREMIAH OLMSTED and LOVINA FISH are:

FRANK<sup>7</sup> OLMSTED, b. 21 Sep 1857, Borodino, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.); d. 01 Jun 1861, Borodino, NY (Source: (1) Spafford Mortuary Records with Genealogica Records, By Georg K. Collins, p. 193., (2) Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.).

Notes for FRANK OLMSTED: Frank Olmsted was age 3 y 2 m 10 d at his death. (Spafford Mortuary Records, p. 193.) "No sweeter flower did ever bloom, Nor lovelier infant find a tomb."

- JEREMIAH OLMSTED, b. 1858, Borodino, NY (Source: Communication from Betty Lou Olmsted Panzer.).
- iii. EVA J. OLMSTED, b. 17 Jul 1859, Borodino, NY;
   d. 06 Mar 1913, Marcellus, NY.
- iv. DAVID ELMER OLMSTED, b. 18 Jun 1861, Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY; d. 1941.

- v. ADDIE B. OLMSTED, b. 25 Dec 1863, Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY.
- 30. vi. ISAAC EDWIN OLMSTED, b. 09 Sep 1866, Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY; d. 27 Oct 1910, Whitelaw, NY.
- 31. vii. ANDREW LEE OLMSTED, b. 11 Nov 1869, Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY; d. 05 Feb 1953, Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY.
- 32. viii. ALMON J. OLMSTED, b. 25 Jul 1873, Borodino, NY; d. 13 Aug 1907, Syracuse, NY.
  - ix. LAURA BERYL OLMSTED, b. 20 Jun 1877, Borodino, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.); d. Aft. 1952; m. FREDERICK LEE SLOCUM (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.), 20 Jun 1902 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.)

Notes for LAURA BERYL OLMSTED: Obituary of her brother, A. Lee Olmsted, 1953, shows she survived him.

**15.** MARY<sup>6</sup> OLMSTED (ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMI-AH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 23 May 1838 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.). She married FRANCIS IDE 01 Jun 1860 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.), son of HENRY IDE and HARRIET COLTON. He was born 29 Sep 1837 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.).

Children of MARY OLMSTED and FRANCIS IDE are:

- 33. i. GRANT S.<sup>7</sup> IDE, b. 16 Nov 1869, Borodino ,Onondaga Co. NY.
  - HATTIE IDE, d. 15 Jan 1876 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 409.).

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**27.** EVA J.<sup>7</sup> OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup>, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>A</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 17 Jul 1859 in Borodino, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 413.), and died 06 Mar 1913 in Marcellus, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 553.). She married MILES BROTT 04 Feb 1879, son of JAMES BROTT and ELEANOR FOSGATE. He was born 29 Apr 1850 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 413.).

Notes for EVA J. OLMSTED: She was killed by an electric car at Semours Crossing, near

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Marcellus, Onondaga Co, New York. (Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, p. 553.)

Children of EVA OLMSTED and MILES BROTT are:

- i. GEORGE A.<sup>8</sup> BROTT, b. 06 Feb 1880 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.).
- ii. GROVER BROTT, b. 16 May 1884 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.).
- **28.** DAVID ELMER<sup>7</sup> OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup>, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMI-AH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 18 Jun 1861 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), and died 1941. He married (1) GEORGIANNA HOLMES 1888 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). She died Mar 1909 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). He married (2) CATH-ERINE GRANT 09 Mar 1910 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). She was born in Wiltshire, England (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), and died 21 Jun 1911 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). He married (3) DAISY BELL STELL (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.) 31 Jan 1912 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.). She was born 14 Aug 1898 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.), and died 02 Feb 1993 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.).

Children of DAVID OLMSTED and GEORGIANNA HOLMES are:

i. JAY IVAN<sup>8</sup> OLMSTED, b. 18 Mar 1890, Syracuse, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.); d. Jul 1950 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 715.); m. MABEL WATKINS (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 715.), 04 Jul 1910 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.).

More About JAY OLMSTED and MABEL WATKINS:

Marriage: 04 Jul 1910 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.)

46. ii.ELMER DAVID OLMSTED, b. 27 Mar 1898, Syracuse, NY.

Children of DAVID OLMSTED and DAISY STELL are: iii. ROSCOE STULL<sup>8</sup> OLMSTED, b. 14 Apr 1916

(Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.); d.

- Dec 1984 (Source: *Communication from Ray Olmsted.*); m. MARY VIRGINIA SHANAN; b. 1920; d. 1994.
- 47. iv. PEARL MARIAN OLMSTED, b. 18 Feb 1919; d. 20 Jun 1991.
- 48. v. ANNA MAY OLMSTED, b. 07 Nov 1923.
  - vi. LOVINA JEAN OLMSTED, b. 28 Oct 1927 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.); d. 09 Nov 2001 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.); m. GEORGE GENDRON (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.).
- 49. vii. RAYMOND C. OLMSTED, b. 10 Jul 1931, Syracuse, Onondaga Co, NY.
  - viii. ROSCO S. OLMSTED (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.).
- 29. ADDIE B. OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup>, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 25 Dec 1863 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). She married WILLIAM STREETER 1898 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.), son of CYRUS STREETER and MARY CASE. He was born 1859 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.).

More About WILLIAM STREETER and ADDIE OLMSTED: Marriage: 1898 (Source: *Communication from Ray Olmsted.*)

Child of ADDIE OLMSTED and WILLIAM STREETER is:

- i. EDNA B. STREETER, b. 27 Jan 1889 (Source: *Communication from Ray Olmsted.*).
- **30.** ISAAC EDWIN<sup>7</sup> OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup>, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMI-AH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 09 Sep 1866 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), and died 27 Oct 1910 in Whitelaw, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). He married EMMA WOOD BELDEN 01 Feb 1894 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), daughter of JAMES BELDEN and ADALINE WOOD. She was born 12 Aug 1868 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.), and died 30 Nov 1952 (Source: Communication from Ray Olmsted.).

More About ISAAC OLMSTED and EMMA BELDEN: Marriage: 01 Feb 1894 (Source: *Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912*, p. 414.)

Children of ISAAC OLMSTED and EMMA BELDEN are: 50.

i. LEILA HAZEL<sup>8</sup> OLMSTED, b. 05 Nov 1895, Fairmont, NY; d. 02 Feb 1944.

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- ii. EDWIN BELDEN OLMSTED, b. 26 Jan 1898, Detroit, MI; d. 29 Dec 1986.
- 52. iii. WALTER FREDERICK OLMSTED, b. 29 Mar 1900, Detroit, MI; d. 08 Mar 1964.

**31.** ANDREW LEE<sup>7</sup> OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup>, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMI-AH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 11 Nov 1869 in Borodino, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), and died 05 Feb 1953 in Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Death Certificate.). He married MAUD AUS-TIN 24 Dec 1894 in Ithaca, Tompkins Co., NY (Source: (1) Marriage Record, City Clerk, Ithaca, Tompkins Co, NY., (2) Marriage Record, Ithaca City Clerk, Topkins County, NY.), daughter of JOHN AUSTIN and EMERILTA TOWNSEND. She was born 22 May 1867 in Newfield, Tompkins Co., NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), and died 13 Mar 1937 in Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY (Source: Death Certificate.).

Children of ANDREW OLMSTED and MAUD AUSTIN are:

- 53. i. LAURENCE JUDSON<sup>8</sup> OLMSTED, b. 17 Nov 1900, Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY; d. Buffalo, NY
- ii. DOROTHY OLMSTED, b. 15 May 1902, Syracuse, Onondaga Co., NY; d. 02 Sep 1970, Destin,
- **32.** ALMON J.<sup>7</sup> OLMSTED (JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup>, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 25 Jul 1873 in Borodino, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), and died 13 Aug 1907 in Syracuse, NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). He married KATHERINE BENNETT 07 Sep 1895 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.), daughter of EUGENE BENNETT and ELLA MCNULTY. She was born 16 Sep 1877 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.).

Children of ALMON OLMSTED and KATHERINE BENNETT are:

- i. JEREMIAH<sup>8</sup> OLMSTED, b. 16 Dec 1896 (Source: *Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912*, p. 414.).
- ii. HOWARD OLMSTED, b. 19 Oct 1898 (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.).

**33.** GRANT S.<sup>7</sup> IDE (MARY<sup>6</sup> OLMSTED, ISAAC<sup>5</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>4</sup>, JABEZ<sup>3</sup>, JEREMIAH<sup>2</sup>, JABEZ<sup>1</sup>) was born 16 Nov 1869 in Borodino ,Onondaga Co. NY (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414.). He married ELDA SMITH 16 Oct 1895.

Children of GRANT IDE and ELDA SMITH are:

- MARION<sup>8</sup> IDE (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414..), b. 10 Aug 1897.
- FRANCIS S. IDE (Source: Genealogy of the Olmsted Family in America, by Olmsted and Ward, 1912, p. 414...), b. 15 Sep 1909.

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