

PIONEER RECORD



THE MAYFLOWER PASSENGERS - 1620

The following is a summary of a small pamphlet of 24 pages published in 1992 by the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower descendants. Edited & compiled by Audrey Drummond & Nancy J. Springer. The G.A. Dow Memorial Library has an original copy.

What do you remember about the Mayflower and her passengers? The usual memories from childhood tales or from elementary school lesson are that the ship landed at Cape Cod in 1620 and had about 100 passengers (actually 102 plus two born aboard the ship). Also several names are usually remembered - Myles Standish, Priscilla Mullins, John Alden and the Bradfords and the Brewsters.

More than this is usually not remembered. The Pioneer Record Editor found the little book interesting in several ways. So many persons can trace their lineage back to the Mayflower that it is surprising to learn that only one-half of the passengers have known descendants. The names are carefully referenced, but in the main, the original references are just William Bradford's "History of Plymouth Plantation," and "Plymouth Colony Wills and Inventories - 1620-1692." You also may remember that the first years were very hard for them. This is usually difficult to remember, but is really brought home in this list by the large number of death years as '1620' and '1621.'

Below we will give a complete list of the passengers, but the information about them will be summarized to the birth and death dates (where these are known) and perhaps an abbreviation 'w/o' for 'wife of', 'h/o' for 'husband of' or 'ch/o' for 'child of'. We will also indicate by (Y) or (N) whether they had descendants or not. For more information see the original booklet.

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- 1) Alden, John (1598-1687) h/o Priscilla Mullins (Y)
- 2) Allerton, Bartholomew (1612-1658/9), h/o Margaret (____), h/o Sarah Fairfax. (N)
- 3) Allerton, Isaac (1586-1658/9), h/o Mary Norris, h/o Fear Brewster, h/o Joanna Swinnerton (Y)
- 4) Allerton, John (?-1620/21) (N)
- 5) Allerton, Mary (1616-1699), w/o Thomas Cushman. (Y) (Last survivor & mother of 8 children)
- 6) Allerton, Mary (Norris) (?-1621) w/o Isaac Allerton. (Y)
- 7) Allerton, Remember (1614-1652/56) ch/o Isaac, w/o Moses Maverick. (Y).
- 8) Billington, Elinor (____) (1580-1642/3), w/o John Billington, w/o Gregory Armstrong. (Y)
- 9) Billington, Francis (1606?-1684), c/o John. h/o Christian (Penn) Eaton. (Y)
- 10) Billington, John (1580?-1630), h/o Elinor (____). (Y)
- 11) Billington, John (Jr.) (1604-1627), c/o John. (N)

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- 12) Bradford, Dorothy (May) (1597-1620) w/o William Bradford. (N)
- 13) Bradford, William (1589/90-1657), h/o Dorothy May, h/o Alice (Carpenter) Southworth. (Y)
- 14) Brewster, Love (?-1650/1), ch/o William, h/o Sarah Collier. (Y)
- 15) Brewster, Mary (____) (1569-1627), w/o William. (Y).
- 16) Brewster, William (1566/7-1644), ch/o William, h/o Mary (____). (Y)
- 17) Brewster, Wrestling ((?-1627/44) ch/o William. (N)
- 18) Britteridge, Richard (?-1620), First to die after landing. (N)
- 19) Brown, Peter (1600?-1633) h/o Martha (____) Ford, h/o Mary (____). (Y)
- 20) Bутten/Button, William (?-1620). Died at sea. (N)
- 21) Cartier/Carter, Robert (?-1620) (N)
- 22) Carver, John ((?-1621), h/o Katherine (____). (N)
- 23) Carver, Katherine (____) (?-1621) w/o John Carver. (N)
- 24) Chilton, James (1546-1620) Died aboard ship. h/o Susanna (Furner?). (Y)
- 25) Chilton, Mary (1607-1679), ch/o John, w/o John Winslow. (Y)
- 26) Chilton, Susanna (Furner?) (?-1620), w/o James Chilton. (Y)
- 27) Clarke, Richard (?-1620) (N)
- 28) Cook, Francis (1583-1663), h/o Hester Mayhieu. (Y)
- 29) Cooke, John ((1607-1695), ch/o Francis, h/o Sarah Warren. (Y)
- 30) Cooper, Humility (1619-1638/9) (N)
- 31) Crackston(e), John (?-1620/1) (N)
- 32) Crackston(e), John (?-1627), ch/o John. (N)
- 33) Doty, Edward (1600?-1655), h/o (____), h/o Faith Clark. (Y)
- 34) Eaton, Francis (?-1633), h/o Sarah (____), h/o (____), h/o Christian Penn. (Y)
- 35) Eaton, Samuel (1620-1684), ch/o Francis, h/o Elizabeth (____), h/o Martha Billington. (Y)
- 36) Eaton, Sarah (____) (?-1621), w/o Francis Eaton. (Y)
- 37) Ely, (____), (N)
- 38) English, Thomas (?-1620/1) (N)
- 39) Fletcher, Moses (?-1621), h/o Maria Evans, h/o Sarah Denby/Danby. (Y)
- 40) Fuller, Edward (1575-1620), ch/o Robert. h/o ---- (____). (Y)
- 41) Fuller, Samuel (1580-1633), ch/o Robert, h/o Alice Glascock, h/o Agnes Carpenter, h/o Bridget Lee. (Y)
- 42) Fuller, Samuel (1608-1683), ch/o Edward, h/o Jane Lathrop. (Y)
- 43) Fuller ---- (____) (?-1620/1), w/o Edward Fuller. (Y)
- 44) Gardiner, Richard (?-1623/51) (N)
- 45) Goodman/Codmoer(?), John (?-1627), h/o May Backus, h/o Sarah Hooper. (N)
- 46) Holbeck, William ((?-1621), (N)
- 47) Hooke, John (?-1621), (N).
- 48) Hopkins, Constance/Constanza (1607-1677), ch/o Stephen, w/o Nicholas Snow. Mother of 9. (Y)
- 49) Hopkins, Damaris (1618/9-1627), ch/o Stephen (N)
- 50) Hopkins, Elizabeth (Fisher) (?-1638/9), w/o Stephen. (Y)

- 51) Hopkins, Giles (1610-1688/9), ch/o Stephen, h/o Catherine Whelden. (Y)
- 52) Hopkins, Oceanus (1620-1623/7), ch/o Stephen. Born at sea. (N)
- 53) Hopkins, Stephen (1580-1644), h/o ---- (____), h/o Elizabeth Fisher. (Y)
- 54) Howland, John (1592-1672), ch/o Henry, h/o Elizabeth Tilley. (Y)
- 55) Langemore, John (?-1620/1), (N)
- 56) Latham, William (1609-1645/51) (N)
- 57) Leister, Edward, (?-1651?) (N)
- 58) Margeson, Edmond (?-1621) (N)
- 60) Christopher, Martin (?- 1621), h/o Marie (Prower?), (N)
- 61) Martin (Prower?), Marie (?-1621?), w/o ---- Prower, w/o Christopher Martin, (N)
- 61) Minter, Desire (1605-1651), ch/o William? (N)
- 62) More, Ellen/Elinor (1612-1621), ch/o Katherine, (N)
- 63) More, Jasper (1613-1620), ch/o Katherine. (N)
- 64) More, Mary (1616-1621), ch/o Katherine, (N)
- 65) More, Richard (1614-1693/4), ch/o Katherine, h/o Christian Hunt(er), h/o Jane (____) Crumpton, (Y)
- 66) Mullins, Alice (____) (?-1621), w/o William, (Y)
- 67) Mullins, Joseph (?-1621), ch/o William, (N)
- 68) Mullins, Priscilla (?-1650/87), ch/o William, w/o John Alden, 10 known children, (Y)
- 69) Mullins, William (?-1620/1), h/o Alice (____), (Y).
- 70) Priest, Degory (1579-1620), h/o Sarah (Allerton) Vincent, (Y)
- 71) Prower, Solomon (?-1620/1), ch/o? marie (Prower) Martin. (N)
- 72) Rigdale, Alice (____) (?-1621), w/o John Rigdale. (N)
- 73) Rigdale, John (____) (?-1621), h/o Alice (____) Rigdale. (N)
- 74) Rogers, Joseph (1610-1677/8), ch/o Thomas, h/o Hannah _____, (Y)
- 75) Rogers, Thomas (?-1621), h/o Elsgen _____, (Y)
- 76) Samson/Sampson, Henry (1603/4)-1684), s/o James, h/o Anne Plummer, (Y)
- 77) Soule, George (1593/1600-1679), h/o Mary Bucket(?Beckett), (Y)
- 78) Standish, Myles ((1584-1656), h/o Rose _____, h/o Barbara _____, (Y)
- 79) Standish, Rose (____) (?-1620), h/o Myles Standish, (N)
- 80) Story, Elias (?-1621), (N)
- 81) Thomson/Thompson, Edward (?-1620), (N)
- 82) Tilley, Ann/Agnes (Cooper) (1585-1621), ch/o Edmund Cooper, w/o Edward Tilley, (N)
- 83) Tilley, Edward (1588-1621), ch/o Robert, h/o Agnes/Ann Cooper, (N)
- 84) Tilley, Elizabeth (1607-1687), ch/o John, h/o John Howland, (Y)
- 85) Tilley, Joan (Hurst)(Rogers)(1567/8-1621), ch/o William, w/o Thomas Rogers, w/o John Tilley, (Y)
- 86) Tilley, John (1571-1621), ch/o Robert, h/o Joan (Hurst) Rogers, (Y)
- 87) Tinker, Thomas (1581-1621), (N)
- 88) Tinker, _____ (____) (?-1621), w/o Thomas Tinker, (N)
- 89) Tinker, _____ (?-1621), ch/o Thomas, (N)
- 90) Trevnor/Trevore, William (?-1650), (N)
- 91) Turner, John (?-1621), (N)
- 92) Turner, _____ (?-1621), ch/o John, (N)

- 93) Turner, ____ ____ (?-1621), ch/o John, (N)
- 94) Warren, Richard (?-1628), h/o Elizabeth ____ , (Y)
- 95) White, Peregrine (1620-1704), ch/o William, h/o Sarah Bassett, Born aboard ship at Cape Cod, (Y)
- 96) White, Resolved (1615-1687), ch/o William, h/o Judith Vassell, h/o Abigail (____) Lord, (Y)
- 97) White, Susanna (Ann?) (?-1654/75), ch/o ____ Fuller?, w/o William White, w/o Edward Winslow, (Y)
- 98) White, William (?-1621), h/o Susanna ____ , (Y)
- 99) Wilder, Roger (?-1621), (N)
- 100) Williams, Thomas (?-1621), (N)
- 101) Winslow, Edward (1595-1655), ch/o Edward, h/o Elizabeth Barker, h/o Susanna Ann? White, (Y)
- 102) Winslow, Elizabeth (Barker) (?-1621), w/o Edward Winslow, (N)
- 103) Winslow, Gilbert (?-1663), ch/o Edward, (N)
- 104) ____ , ____ (?-1621/2?), (Carver's Maidservant) (N)

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COMING MEETINGS

APRIL 19 - 7:30 p.m. The topic will be computers and CD-ROMs for Genealogical research. Ora Flaningam will be the speaker.

DON'T FORGET THE SPECIAL MEETING

APRIL 30 - SUNDAY - SPECIAL PROGRAM - FIRST FAMILIES REUNION - Speaker will be Pat Drury from Bay City. Subject will pioneer life in the Saginaw Valley as told through the 1882-1894 diaries of Myra Seeley Parsons. The Public is invited. At 2:00 In the G.A. Dow Library Auditorium.

MAY 17 - Election of officers. Program to be announced.

SEPTEMBER 20 - Program to be announced.

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A.G.L.L. PRICE INCREASE!!

Due to the recent postage rate increase, A.G.L.L. microfilm fees will now be \$3.50.

MIDLAND COUNTY DEEDS

The Midland Genealogical Society has been given a box of several hundred ORIGINAL legal papers, mostly deeds, but also a few wills or mortgages. The deeds are to land transactions in the county or by county residents. The time period covered is from 1857 to the 1930's. A number are completely hand written and some are original land grants. Many of the papers are of more than passing interest. Here and in future newsletters we will summarize some of them. The following are from the 1870's.

1) Power of Attorney. Andrew G. Kelso & Lorinda, his wife, of Owosso to S. Titus Parsons of Livonia, to Sell, Grant, Mortgage, Lease, Rent, and collect rents on lots number 1 and 2 in block 59 in the Village of Midland. Dated April 4, 1873.

2) Satisfaction of Mortgage from Ervine H. Ewell of Gratiot Co. Charles H Westbrook & Regia, his wife, recorded in Liber D of Mortgages Gratiot Co., page 82, 9th of Oct. 1871. The following land: NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 26 T13N R2W Containing 40 acres. 26th March 1874.

3) Satisfaction of Mortgage. From G. Will Ball to Solon Rumrill for a mortgage executed by Solon Rumrill to Solomon Heald and transferred to G. Will Ball for the sum of \$290. Recorded in Liber E of Midland Mortgages Page 84 13th Aug. 1872. Paid 7th July, 1874.

4) Warrantee Deed from George W. Jones & Martha A. Jones of the Township of Midland to Mary J. Eastman for \$300, the following described tract of land in Midland County: Commencing at the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 9 T14N R2E thence south and at right angles with said last mentioned ??? 16 rods thence west and parallel with said 1/4 line 40 rods thence north on section line to place of beginning 16 rods. Dated 18 May, 1875.

5) Quit Claim deed from Daniel W. Ingersol of East Saginaw to Thomas Quinn of Saginaw \$50 NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 6, the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of sec. 7, The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 and the undivided 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 sec. 7, all in T18N R2W of Michigan. Dated 15 Sept., 1875.

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**SHELFIDE - NEW GENEALOGICAL BOOKS
AT G.A. DOW MEMORIAL LIBRARY**

- 929.3748 History of Zion's (Windsor castle) United Church of Christ of Perry Township, Berks Co. PA. (1976)
- 929.3748 Baptismal Records of Jerusalem Lutheran and Reformed Church of Berks Co., PA (1959)
- 929.3748 The Herald of Christ Little Tulpehocken Union Church Cemetery Inscriptions, Jan 1972.
- 929.3748 The Herald of Christ Little Tulpehocken Union Church Cemetery Inscriptions, Jan 1975.
- 929.3748 History of Bucks Co, PA from Day's 1843 Historical Collections.
- 929.3748 Church Records of the Upper Milford Reformed Congregation, now the Zion's Reformed Church at Zionsville, Lehigh Co, PA
- 929.3748 Pennsylvania Births -- Montgomery County 1682-1800. John T. Humphrey, Washington D.C. (1993)
- 929.3748 Pennsylvania German Pioneers.
- 929.374 Death Notices from Freewill Baptist Publications 1811-1851.
- 929.3713 More Notices from Methodist Papers 1809-1857.
- 929.3713 Christian Messenger Extracts-Births-Deaths-Marriages 1854-1874.
- 929.3748 Catholic Baptisms in Western Pennsylvania 1799-1828.
- 929.1 Handy Guide to Austrian Genealogical Records
- 910.3 A Genealogical Gazeteer of Scotland.
- 929.1 Tracing your Czech and Slovak Roots
- 929.3481 Genealogical Maps and Guides to Norwegian Parish Registers.
- 929.1 Genealogical Guidebook and Atlas of Sweden.
- 929.348 Scandinavian Records Extraction.
- 361.1 The Washington Gladden Collection.
- 910.3 Geo-Data. The World Almanac Gazetter.
- ???56 Bullinger's Postal & Shipper's Guide for U.S. & Canada.
The Monitor Guide to Post Offices & Railroad Stations - 1876.
- 929.371 Checklist of Parish Registers, Canada 1986.
- 929.3 Compilation of things Naval & Military.
- 929.1 Photography Analysis.

929.37745 Index to Registers of Deaths - Mt Pleasant, Michigan 1897-1993..

929.1 Welsh Family History, Guide to Research.

MICROFILM: Federal Mortality Census

1850 Michigan - 1 roll

1860 - 1 roll

1870 - 2 rolls

1880 - 2 rolls

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CIVIL WAR SOLDIER BURIED TODAY

MIDLAND REPUBLICAN, May 24, 1928 - Andrew J. Shepherd, 83 Years Old, Passed Away At Edenville; Ill Since November

Andrew J. Shepherd, 83 years of age, passed away Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock, following a lingering illness. He had been sick since last November and it is believed that diseases incident to old age caused his death.

When a young boy, Andrew Shepherd come to Michigan from New York State in 1863. When he grew up he worked in the lumber camps of Midland, Saginaw and Gladwin Counties and experienced the ordeals of pioneer life in this locality. Fifty-five years ago, at Clare, he was united in marriage with Miss Elenore Mitchell, who came here from Oakland county. The Shepherds then settled on a farm in Edenville, which since that time has been their home. He came to the county in 1864.

Mr. Shepherd was a veteran of the Civil War, when he served in Co. A of the first Michigan Provost Guards. His enlistment began January 1, 1863 and lasted until March 23rd of that year when he was honorably discharged. The aged man was prominent in the public affairs of his home township, served as a justice of the peace, was a delegate to several Republican Conventions, and was a state land appraiser.

Surviving are four daughters and two sons, who are: Mrs. Carrie Spencer of Oxford, Michigan, Mrs. Laura Noble of Tampa, Florida, Mrs. Mae Smith of Hope and Mrs. Bessie Packard of Traverse City; George Shepherd of Edenville and Will Shepherd of Midland; two brothers James of Portland, Oregon and Eugene of Edenville.

The funeral service will be held this afternoon, at two o'clock, at the Edenville Church, with Rev. E. Roloff of the Hope Baptist Church officiating, and burial in the Edenville Cemetery. The pall bearers will be: Dan Patterson, Dormer Wilson, Royal Marsh, Alfred Bacon, John Flock and Henry Smith.

RELATES THRILLING CIVIL WAR EXPERIENCE: TOM MAIN LED PARADE HERE 42 YEARS

Midland Republican, Midland, Michigan May 24, 1928 - For the first time in 43 years, Memorial Day has passed in this city without the dignified presence at the head of the parade of Thomas Briggs Main, distinguished veteran of the Civil War. Mr. Main, now in Florida where he has spent the past winter, had planned to again return to his home town for another march of the Grand Army of the Republic. Poor health, however, prevented Mr. Main's plans from being carried out. Although he expected until a few days ago to arrive here in time for yesterday's parade, a telegram received by his son, T. Wilbur Main of this city, stated that he was unable to make the jaunt from Florida, much to his regret.

Record Perhaps Unequaled A record of patriotic service perhaps unequaled in Michigan, and even in the United States. Mr. Main has for 42 years headed the Michigan County contingent on Memorial Day as Marshal. He enlisted in the service of the Union in Detroit on October 11, 1864 at the age of sixteen years. He was assigned to Company 4(?), 23rd Michigan Volunteer Infantry and served until the conclusion of the war. Last December, Mr. Main was 80 years young having been born in Norfolk County, Ontario on December 21 (?), 1847. He came to Midland county in January 1877 and has since resided here with the exception of portions of the last several winter seasons during which he has sojourned in Florida. Last November, Mr. and Mrs. Main celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Interested in Political Events In addition to his splendid record as a soldier during the hectic days of the Republic, Mr. Main has taken considerable interest in political affairs. He served as Register of Deeds for Midland county from 1883 to 1892. During those years and the years since, Mr. Main has been noted for his keen outlook upon city, state, county and national affairs. In the old days he was Democratic leader, that being his party preference.

A life-long member of the Episcopal denomination, Mr. Main is affiliated with the St. Johns church of this city, and has served it in various capacities. His fraternal relations include a long membership in the Masonic order, and the honor of having possessed all the offices in the local G. A. R. post, which he helped organize in 1882.

During the war in the interests of his adopted country, Mr. Main participated in many bloody skirmishes, including the Battle of Franklin on November 4, 1864, three weeks after his enlistment, and the Battle of Nashville on December 15, and 16 of the same year. He vividly remembers many of the paramount features in connection with his time in the service.

Tells of Race To Nashville "There was a race between General Hood's Confederate army of 40,000 men and General John M. Schofield's 20,000 soldiers to reach Nashville first," recalls Mr. Main. "When we reached the Harpeth(?) river at Franklin, we were hard pressed because our supply trains were slow in crossing and so we built breastworks about three feet high with short logs along the top so that each man could use the space between the logs to fire through."

"This was my first real battle and I thought the command to fire would never come. A company of our artillery was out in front and returned to our lines almost with the confederates. When we started to shoot the men in gray were almost upon us. A horrible carnage followed and it is said that more confederate officers were killed in this battle in three hours than died at Gettysburg in three days. Seven or eight distinct attacks were made. The battle started about 3 p. m. and lasted until 9 o'clock at night."

Saw General Clabourne Die "I never will forget one poor Johnny, a lieutenant. He was only a few feet from our lines and was so badly wounded in the first charge that he could not even crawl. There he lay begging us to come and get him before the next charge and offering to give all his possessions for deliverance. Of course this was strictly against army orders and we could do nothing."

"General Pat Clabourne was killed just as his horse reached our breastworks and he plunged down among us. General Adams fell a short distance away. We lost more than a thousand in killed and hundreds more were fatally wounded. The confederate loss was reported at 7,000."

Missed Only Two Years "We had reached Franklin by a forced night march, passing within a half mile of the large Confederate army. After the battle we continued on to Nashville, about 20 miles away, arriving there early in the morning. Here on December 15 and 16, the Confederate forces were decisively beaten."

Mr. Main returned to his home in Columbiaville, Lapeer county, after the war and in January 1877, came to Midland. He was one of the first G. A. R. members in Michigan and in June 1882,

helped organize the Midland post. The following year the first Memorial Day exercises were held and he was the marshal of the day. Continuously since then he has been in charge, marching at the head of the parade every year until the last three years. Tom Main, patriot, will always live in the hearts of Midland folks.

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LOCAL CIVIL WAR VETERANS

GEORGE O. ROCKWELL

Midland Republican, May 31, 1928 - Prominent in civic projects and twice mayor of Midland, George O. Rockwell, is another distinguished local pioneer and Civil war veteran. On August 29 he will reach his 80th birthday, having been born in 1848 at Cambridge Springs, Crawford County, Pennsylvania. He became a soldier of the Union forces at the age of 16, enlisting in Company E, Second Pennsylvania Cavalry, on February 25, 1864. The record of participation in many battles is accredited Mr. Rockwell. He fought first at Ashland Station, then Hanover Ferry, Old Church Tavern, Cold Harbor, Malvern Hill, the historic Stony Creek episode, and lastly the final battle before Petersburg. He was mustered out of service at Philadelphia on July 26, 1865. Two years later he came to Midland county with a cousin, Charles Herrick. He made the overland trip from Ashtabula County, Ohio with a two horse team. Many years later he was elected mayor of the city of which he was one of the earliest pioneers. He served two terms. Fraternaly, Mr. Rockwell is a prominent Mason and Oddfellow. He lives on Rodd Street.

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CHARLES GUNN

The second oldest Civil War veteran in Midland, Charles Gunn was born at Arcadia, Wayne County, New York, on August 21, 1845 and this summer he will pass the 83rd milestone. As a pioneer of Michigan, he enlisted in the Army in 1864, being assigned to the 30th Michigan Infantry, Company I at Tuscola County. Mr. Gunn was mustered out of service at Detroit in June 1865 and five years later, came to Midland county. For nearly sixty years he has lived in this county, spending the past several years in this city. At one time Mr. Gunn was in business here, conducting a music store. His house is in Ashman Street.

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THEODORE F. TUTTLE

Another Michigan pioneer who fought in the Civil War, watched the progress of the great lumbering industry, and today lives in the joys of past memories is Theodore F. Tuttle of Sanford. Mr. Tuttle born in Clinton, Jackson County, Michigan on December 29, 1844 will this coming winter be 84 years of age. He enlisted at Brooklyn, Jackson County on December 12, 1863 and was assigned to Company H, Michigan Engineers and Mechanics. His principal points of actual battle were at Atlanta and Savannah, Georgia, Bentonville, North Carolina, and Chattanooga, Tennessee. He was mustered out of the army at Nashville, Tenn. on September 22, 1865.

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GEORGE BRADSHAW

Of the many, but now diminishing number, who fought for the stability of the Union in the Civil War only one from this county engaged in the famous Battle of Gettysburg. George Bradshaw who resides in Geneva township not only possesses this honor, but in addition he is the oldest Civil war vet in this county, and probably one of the very few survivors of the Grand Army who has lived to approach the 100 mark. Mr. Bradshaw, born in Hilton(?) Derbyshire, England in 1834, passed his 93rd birthday recently. Besides the Battle of Gettysburg, Mr. Bradshaw served his adopted country in the Battle of the Wilderness and numerous other conflicts of the Civil War. He was mustered out at Buffalo, N.Y. in 1865 and today leads the survivors of Midland county's contribution to the Grand Army of the Republic.

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SAMUEL D. SHAFFNER

Honors of being a survivor of four brothers, all of whom fought in the Civil War, is accorded Samuel D. Shaffner of this city. Now residing on West Ellsworth Street. Mr Schaffner formerly claimed Ingersoll as his adopted home after migrating from Pennsylvania back in 1880. For nearly a half century he has been a well known figure in the history of Midland County. He served as county Drain Commissioner and as school director for many years. Mr. Shaffner was born in Jefferson Co. PA on Dec 19, 1836, and next Dec. will be 82 years of age. In July of 1864, he entered the service, enlisting in Co. F, 1st Batt., PA State Inf. For nearly a year he was drawn into several important episodes of the war.

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DESCENDANTS OF ELI SUTHERLAND
Continued from previous Pioneer Record.

Compiled by Yancey J. Dickert, 611 Chatham Dr., Midland MI 48640, from data provided by Mrs. Yvonne Koos, Diane Murphy, Roger Sutherland, Mrs Joanne Ellis, Russell Rankin and others.

Third Generation (Continued)

14. Harty Jane Johnson #25 b. 29 Jan 1858, Isabella Co., MI, m. 12 Sep 1875, in Isabella Co MI, Albert Rankin #94, b. c1850, DUNDEE MI, (son of Samuel Rankin, Jr #34 and Rachel Sutherland #6). Harty died 6 June 1929, Silverton, OR.

Children:

- i Clark Lavern Rankin #366 b. 25 May 1876, Mt Pleasant MI.
- ii John Peter Rankin #367 b. 24 Jan 1878, Union Twp Isabella Co MI.

15. Valina Linn #30 b. 12 Mar 1860, m. 9 Nov 1879, in Ida, Monroe Co MI, David A Allison #33, b. Jun 1853, Ridgeway, Lenawee Co MI. Valina died 13 May 1928, Mooreville, MI.

Children:

- i Willard A Allison #358 b. Feb 1883.
- ii Claud C Allison #359 b. Nov 1885.
- iii Alger R Allison #360 b. Dec 1889.
- iv Leah S Allison #361 b. Aug 1894, m. James Crittenden #364.
- v Flossie W Allison #362 b. Jan 1897.
- vi Shirley G Allison #363 b. Mar 1899.

16. John Peter Rankin #35 b. 16 Aug 1848, Dundee, Monroe MI, m. 27 Mar 1870, in DUNDEE MI, Lucy Matilda Brown #96, b. 31 Oct 1851, Deerfield, Lenawee Co MI, d. 6 Oct 1924, DUNDEE MI, buried: Maple Grove Cem, DUNDEE MI. John died 29 Mar 1931, Dundee, Monroe MI, buried: Maple Grove Cem, Dundee, MI.

Children:

- i Ozro Rankin #97 b. 16 Apr 1871, MI, ref: resided, m. Neva G ?? #114.
- 28. ii Frederick Arthur #98 b. 16 Jul 1873.
- iii Carlton B Rankin #99 b. 28 Apr 1875, m. Isabella Huff #115, b. 17 MAR 187?. Carlton died 4 Sep 1902.
- iv Cora G Rankin #100 b. 19 Mar 1878, MI, m. Orrie Smith #116.
- v Ernest D Rankin #101 b. 24 Mar 1880, MI.
- vi Minnie Bell Rankin #102 b. 19 Nov 1885, m. Romie Eugene Ellias #117, b. 6 Sep 1885.

17. Albert Rankin #94 (See marriage to number 14.).

18. Sara Ella Sutherland #40 b. 11 Oct 1862, Lambertville, MI, m. William James Thistle #119, b. 22 Mar 1867, NEWFOUNDLAND, (son of John R Thistle #118 and Unknown #112). Sara died 20 Nov 1952, Franklin, OH, buried: Bement, IL.

Children:

- 29. i Frances Helen #120 b. 25 Mar 1894.
- 30. ii Lewis J (Ted) #121 b. 5 Dec 1895.
- 31. iii Jessie Aurilla #122 b. 26 Nov 1897.

19. Charles Jay Sutherland #41 b. 23 June 1864, MI, m. 18 Dec 1895, Laura Ester Janny #42, b. 4 July 1874, d. 23 July 1932. Charles died 11 Oct 1931.

Children:

- 32. i Loyd J. #43 b. 11 Dec 1897.
- 33. ii Farley Allen #44 b. 12 Dec 1899.
- iii Cora Mae Sutherland #45 b. 7 Oct 1903, m. William G Hart #216.
Cora died Dec.
- 34. iv Maude Ella #46 b. 30 Oct 1906.
- 35. v Agnes Almeda #47 b. 25 Dec 1908.

20. Frank Vernon Mesler #49 b. 21 Sep 1863, Ridgeway, Lenawee Co, MI, m. 3 Jul 1893, in Mt Pleasant MI, Agnes Harris #55, b. 20 Apr 1871, Fremont OH, d. 1 Jun 1945, Lansing MI, buried: Riverside Cem, Henderson MI. Frank died 24 June 1928, Clawson, Oakland Co MI, buried: Riverside Cem, Henderson MI.

Children:

- i Sarah Mesler #56 b. 1 Jul 1894, Isabella Co MI, m. (1) W Brayne #368, m. (2) ? Osborn #369. Sarah died 17 Mar 1968, Shiawassee Co MI.
- ii Elsie Roseltha Mesler #57 b. 28 Mar 1896, Rosebush, MI, m. 27 Jun 1917, in Lansing MI, Clarence Freeman #370. Elsie died 26 Sep 1960, Lansing MI, buried: 29 Sep 1960, Glendale Cem, Okemos MI.
- iii Otis Mesler #58 b. 2 Jul 1898, Crandon, Forest Co WI m. 30 Aug 1919, in Shiawassee MI, Agnes Van Meer #371. Otis died 6 Apr 1924, Carland, Shiawassee Co MI, buried: 9 Apr 1924, Riverside Cem, Henderson MI.
- iv William Edward Mesler #59 b. 27 Sep 1902, Crandon, Forest Co WI, m. Thelma L Urton #372. William died 17 Jun 1976, Owosso MI, buried: Oak Grove Cem, Owosso MI.
- v Thelma Mesler #60 b. 12 Aug 1905, Crandon, Forest Co WI, m. (1) M Goodrich #373, m. (2) 27 Mar 1937, in Lansing MI, Gerald D. Norris #374. Thelma died 1 Nov 1985, Lansing MI, buried: Riverside Cem, Henderson MI.
- vi Vernon Jerome Mesler #295 b. 22 JUL 1910, Owosso, Shiawassee, MI, m. Mildred M Homola #375. Vernon died 7 Jan 1968, Lansing, Ingham, MI, buried: St Joseph Cem.

21. Cora Adelaide Mesler #52 b. 6 Sept 1871, Ridgeway, Lenawee Co MI, m. 5 Oct 1890, in Mecosta MI, Andrew Lafayette Lawrence #229, b. 20 Oct 1856, KALAMAZOO CO MI, (son of George Lawrence #227 and Mary Kent #228) d. 12 Feb 1929, Isabella Co MI. Cora died 9 Oct 1936, Flint, MI, buried: 11 Oct 1936, Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.

Children:

- 36. i Sidney Andrew #230 b. 18 Apr 1891.
- ii Herbert James Lawrence #231 b. 13 Aug 1892, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co MI, m. June 1962, Francis Vivian Fackler #240, b. 21 Mar 1893, Hamler Henry Co OH, (daughter of Jacob F Fackler #383 and Rosa B Cheadle #384) d. 17 Aug 1967, Grand Rapids MI. Herbert died 28 Apr 1969, Lakeview MI, buried: 1 May 1969, Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.
- 37. iii Orren Lyle #232 b. 28 May 1894.
- 38. iv Edna Lena #233 b. 18 Dec 1895.
- v Mabel Katherine Lawrence #234 b. 27 May 1897, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co MI, d. 11 Sep 1906, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co MI, buried: 13 Sep 1906, Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.
- 39. vi Lorena Inez #235 b. 18 Jun 1899.
- vii Leora Mary Lawrence #236 b. 6 Mar 1902, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co MI, m. 6 Sep 1924, James Oscar Kent #245, b. Jan 1884. Leora died 8 Jul 1926, Grand Rapids MI, buried: 10 Jul 1926, Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co. MI.
- 40. viii James Albert #237 b. 17 JUNE 1904.
- 41. ix Elsie Roseltha #238 b. 28 May 1907.
- x Ruby Bertha Lawrence #376 b. 19 Jun 1911, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co MI, m. 13 Jun 1930, in Mt Pleasant MI, Dewey Luther Kirvan #377, b. 12 Apr 1903, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co MI, (son of William Kirvan #418 and Miranda Paddock #419) d. 23 Jul 1984, Big Rapids MI, buried: 25 Jul 1984, Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.

22. Carrie Elizabeth Mesler #53 b. 12 May 1873, Ridgeway, Lenawee Co MI, m. (1) 13 May 1889, in Mt Pleasant MI, Grant Henry Denslow #256, b. 15 Oct 1868, Woodstock, Lenawee Co MI, (son of Jerome Denslow #420 and Asenath Savage #421) d. 13 Jul 1922, Grand Rapids MI, buried: Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI, m. (2) Oscar E Kent #261, b. 1853, MI, (son of John Kent #262 and Hannah ?? #263). Carrie died 2 Mar 1950, Detroit MI, buried: Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.

Children by Grant Henry Denslow:

- i Ernest Nelson Denslow #257 b. 6 Mar 1890, m. Bernice Rogers #422. Ernest died 16 Oct 1958.
- ii Reynold Eugene Denslow #258 b. 4 Feb 1892, Isabella Co MI, m. Maxine Blum #423.
- iii Florence Gladys Denslow #259 b. 18 Feb 1894, Sherman Twp, Isabella Co

- MI, m. (1) James Richardson #424, m. (2) Ernest Morley #425. Florence died 1954, buried: Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.
 iv Fannie Lois Denslow #260 b. 30 Mar 1902, MI, d. 1 Jun 1902, buried: Forest Hill Cem, Isabella Co MI.

23. Sarah Rachel Mesler #54 b. 30 Apr 1881, Ridgeway, Lenawee Co MI, m. 1898, Henry Craven #264, b. 16 Mar 1873, Barry Co MI, (son of Abel Craven #82 and Wilmina Thomas #14) d. 11 Mar 1953, Barry Co MI, buried: Cedar Crk Cem, Barry Co MI. Sarah died 6 Jan 1973, Hastings, Barry Co, MI, buried: Cedar Crk Cem, Barry Co MI.

- Children:
 i Harry Craven #265 b. 27 Nov 1899, m. Rose Thomas #426. Harry died Sep 1973, Milwaukee WI.
 ii Hazel Eunice Craven #266 b. 4 Dec 1901, Crandon, Forest Co WI, m. 25 Jul 1921, Leon Benedict #427.
 iii Russell Theodore Craven #267 b. 20 Jun 1904, m. (1) 25 Oct 1924, Irene Kaiser #428, m. (2) Marleah Cameron #429.
 iv Arden Henry Craven #268 b. 8 Nov 1909.
 v Vearl Elizabeth Craven #269 b. 19 Apr 1913, m. Alvin Lindsay #271. Vearl died 1980, buried: Cedar Crk Cem, Barry Co MI.

24. Gertrude May Sutherland #67 b. 25 Jan 1888, m. N R Morland #73.

- Children:
 42. i ? #74 b. 11 Jan 1913.
 43. ii Genavieve #75.
 iii Robert Morland #76 b. bc 1915/20.

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Last Name	First Name	Birth	Mon/D	Death	Mon/D	Paper	Year	Mo/Day/Pg	Comments
Taeh	(infant)			1902		Sun	1902	09/26/08	Son/o Albert
Tatters	Jane	1881	Dec/06	1911	Dec/10	Sun	1911	12/21/01	Born: England
Taylor	Della	1881	Jun/30	1916		Sun	1916	02/17/01	Burned to death
Taylor	Della Wood			1916	Feb/16	Sun	1916	02/24/01	
Taylor	Eugene			1892	Oct/??	Sun	1892	10/27/04	
Taylor	Henry			1907	Aug/03	Sun	1907	08/09/05	
Taylor	Joseph			1899		Sun	1899	03/17/08	
Taylor	Justina			1920		Sun	1920	12/09/01	
Taylor	Justina			1920	Dec/09	Sun	1920	12/16/04	
Taylor	Mrs David			1899		Sun	1899	11/10/08	Pioneer of Coleman
Taylor	Mrs Henry			1907		Sun	1907	02/15/04	Bur Topinabee
Teal		1890		1890	Sep/??	Sun	1890	09/18/04	D. Tues-b. Wed
Teal	Joseph B			1910	Apr/05	Sun	1910	04/08/01	
Tebbel	James			1920	Dec/01	Sun	1920	12/09/01	Pioneer
Tebble	J C			1920		Sun	1920	12/02/01	
Tebble	Mrs James			1911		Sun	1911	11/30/08	Dau: Mrs G Johnston
Tebo	Mrs Henry			1893	Dec/11	Sun	1893	12/22/05	Former resident
Terrell	Lola Mae	1917	Apr/27	1917	Jun/12	Sun	1917	06/21/04	Dau/o Jesse
Terry	(child)			1896	Jan/??	Sun	1896	01/31/08	Dau of Will
Terry	Mrs Harry			1920		Sun	1920	03/04/01	
Thayer	Thresa			1920	May/31	Sun	1920	06/03/01	Age 81 yrs
Thayer	William	1834	Sep/31	1909	Jun/10	Sun	1909	06/11/01	
Thebault	Fred			1905		Sun	1905	07/21/04	Father: Nicholas
Theirs	Mr			1904		Sun	1904	05/13/08	Son: John
Theobald	Martha			1909	Mar/18	Sun	1909	04/02/01	Father: Nickalous
Theobald	Mrs P			1904		Sun	1904	04/29/01	Res: Mills Twp
Thom	Mr			1905		Sun	1905	08/11/08	Son: Carl G
Thomas	Catherine			1916	Feb/29	Sun	1916	03/02/05	
Thomas	Charles			1920		Sun	1920	10/21/01	
Thomas	Eliza	1860	Nov/02	1915	Nov/26	Sun	1915	12/02/01	
Thomas	Laurin			1918		Sun	1918	05/02/01	Age 10 yrs burned
Thomas	Nancy	1815	Jul/12	1908	Oct/12	Sun	1908	10/16/01	Nee: Dunning
Thomas	Pearl			1918		Sun	1918	05/02/01	Age 13 yrs burned
Thomas	Ruth			1918		Sun	1918	05/02/01	Age 8 yrs burned
Thompson				1890	Nov/??	Sun	1890	12/04/04	Dau Chas Thompson
Thompson	Edward			1913	Oct/28	Sun	1913	10/30/01	Father: George
Thompson	Frank H	1853	Dec/14	1918		Sun	1918	04/11/01	
Thompson	Katherine	1853	Mar/25	1914		Sun	1914	12/24/01	Nee: Reardon
Thompson	Matthew			1920	Feb/17	Sun	1920	02/19/01	
Thompson	Mrs Fred			1916	May/04	Sun	1916	05/18/04	
Thompson	Mrs Lou			1911		Sun	1911	06/01/04	D. in Newaygo
Thompson	Mrs S E			1904		Sun	1904	04/24/05	Br: Frank Bennett
Thompson	Mrs W D			1920		Sun	1920	10/21/01	Father: J Maceachro

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Thompson	Murl Arthur			1917		Sun	1917	07/19/01	
Thompson	Robert			1907		Sun	1907	10/04/05	D. in Indiana
Thomson	Eliza Jane Bull	1843	Apr/17	1916		Sun	1916	10/26/01	
Thorburn	Oren			1898		Sun	1898	08/12/05	Son of Capt J L
Thorburn	Oren			1898		Sun	1899	05/05/05	
Thorington	Benjamin			1905	May/07	Sun	1905	05/12/08	Age 72 yrs
Thorn	(child)			1894	Aug/24	Sun	1894	09/06/01	Son of Carl
Thorn	Mrs William			1898		Sun	1898	12/09/08	Cous Mrs B Madison
Thornton	Hiram G	1840	Apr/09	1919		Sun	1919	02/20/03	
Thornton	Hiram G			1919	Feb/12	Sun	1919	02/13/04	
Thorpe	(girl)			1900		Sun	1901	01/04/05	Father- Henry
Thorpe	Ralph			1920	Jan/31	Sun	1920	02/05/05	Father: Harry
Thorsby	Homer			1918		Sun	1918	11/21/05	D. in France
Thorsby	Homer			1920		Sun	1920	08/26/08	
Throop	Euratas			1908	Jan/19	Sun	1908	01/24/04	Res: N Bradley
Throop	Thelma			1905		Sun	1905	07/21/08	Father: Eurotus
Thum	Mary E	1828	Dec/07	1912		Sun	1912	03/28/01	Son: George DeBoic
Thurber	Calvin			1912		Sun	1912	10/24/01	
Thurber	David E	1846	Jan/28	1917	Nov/19	Sun	1917	11/22/05	
Thurber	George	1843	May/11	1915	Jun/27	Sun	1915	07/01/01	
Thurber	Mrs D E			1912		Sun	1912	06/27/03	
Thurber	Mrs Davod	1842	Jul/15	1912	Jun/16	Sun	1912	06/20/01	Nee Rebecca Horton
Thurber	Mrs George			1892	Feb/??	Sun	1892	02/25/04	
Thurber	Samantha	1850	Nov/??	1919	Oct/22	Sun	1919	10/23/01	
Thurlow	Mable			1908		Sun	1908	08/21/08	
Thurlow	Peter	1867	Oct/16	1914		Sun	1914	03/05/01	
Thurston	James			1899		Sun	1899	07/07/01	Long obit
Thurston	Margary J			1906		Sun	1906	11/23/02	Nee: Stapleford
Thurston	Marianne	1839		1911		Sun	1911	07/06/01	Nee: Allen
Thyng	Elmer F			1919		Sun	1919	01/23/01	
Thyng	Elmer Forrest			1919	Jan/16	Sun	1919	01/16/01	
Tifft	Herbert			1908		Sun	1908	12/25/01	
Tifft	Herbert	1867	Feb/13	1908	Dec/23	Sun	1909	01/01/01	Bur Ithaca
Tigner	(infant)			1907		Sun	1907	11/29/08	Father: William
Tigner	Emma			1907		Sun	1907	12/06/08	Father: William
Tilden	Mrs John			1901		Sun	1902	01/03/08	D. in Bay City OR
Timmons	(infant)			1896	Mar/??	Sun	1896	03/20/08	Dau of Frank
Timmons	James			1897		Sun	1897	05/28/05	Age 34 yrs
Timmons	John	1873	Jan/15	1909	Feb/24	Sun	1909	02/19/01	Spanish/Am War vet
Timmons	John			1896	Dec/??	Sun	1897	01/01/08	Bur. Homer
Timmons	Michael	1862	Jan/15	1904		Sun	1904	02/12/04	In Sp/Am War
Timmons	William	1858	Aug/28	1909	Oct/31	Sun	1909	11/05/01	
Tippin	Acheah			1908	Sep/12	Sun	1908	09/25/08	
Tisdale	(child)	1899		1900		Sun	1900	10/19/05	Father Fred
Tisdale	Charles			1902		Sun	1902	08/22/05	Died at Milwaukee
Tisue	John	1858	Dec/15	1912	Nov/15	Sun	1912	11/21/01	
Tober	Arthur			1915	Oct/18	Sun	1915	10/21/01	Father: Fred
Tober	Samuel			1916	Mar/24	Sun	1916	03/30/01	Infant son of Fred
Tognetti	Charles			1918		Sun	1918	05/23/01	
Tohm	Charles			1920		Sun	1920	10/14/01	Civil War vet
Tohm	Ellen Ruth	1920	Jan/10	1920	Jan/26	Sun	1920	01/29/05	Father: Otto

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