

Ancestry and Descendants of Cornelius and John J. Van Deusen

Isaac Van Deusen, son of Cornelius, settled in Vineland in 1901

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In tracing back the ancestry of these brothers we have depended partly upon the "Van Deusen Family" by Capt. Albert H. Van Deusen for the connection between the immigrant ancestor Abraham and Johannes (5) Van Deusen; for the latter's data, the copy of his old family Bible record and the John J. Van Deusen descendants we are indebted to Mrs. I. N. Powell of Chicago, Ill. For the record of the Cornelius Van Deusen branches, we wish to express our thanks to Mrs. Powell, Mrs. F. R. Fortune and all those who in large or small measure helped in its completion, but especially to Mrs. Peter Duryea of Stockbridge, Mass., for a generous interest and unstinted efforts and to Miss Kate Van Dusen, Mrs. Lillie B. Van Zile and Frank Van Deusen, whose memories seldom were at fault and whose patience and willingness never failed.

1. Abraham Pieterson (Van Deursen), the immigrant, was born, in the city of Haarlem, Holland, where he was baptized Nov. 11, 1607, in the Dutch Reformed Church. Intention of marriage recorded, Haarlem, Nov. 25, 1629; married, Haarlem, Dec. 9, 1629, Tryntje Melchoirs, born in Groningen. Came to America before 1636 settling in New Amsterdam, where he ran an inn and a mill. Date of death unknown.

Children :--

2. i. Teuwis (Matthew) Abrahamsen, b. abt. 1631,

11. Marytje, b. abt. 1632

- n. Maryte, o. abt. 1635
 iii. Isaac, b. abt. 1635
 iv. Jacob, b. abt. 1638,
 v. Pieter, bp. Mar. 23, 1642,
- vi. Melchoir, bp. Mar. 6, 1644.
- 2. Teuwis (Matthew) Abrahamsen Van Deursen (Abraham 1) born about 1631, married, 1653 Helena Robberts. Lived in Albany and Claverack, N. Y.
 - Children :---
 - Tryntje, b. abt. 1654. i.
 - Lysbeth (Elizabeth) b. abt. 1658, ii.
 - Cornelia, b. abt. 1660. 111.

- 3. iv. Robbert, b. abt. 1665, Jan, b. abt. 1668, V. vi. Jacobus, b. abt. 1670, V11. Marritje, b. abt. 1674, Viii. Abraham, b. abt. 1676. ix. Catalyntje, b. abt. 1678, Isaac, b. abt. 1680, х.
 - Helena, b. abt. 1681. xi.
- 3. Robbert Van Deusen, (Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born about 1665. He married (1) Sept. 22, 1689, Cornelia Martense Van Buren, dau. of Martin Cornelissen and Araantje Gerretse (Van den Bergh) Van Buren, married (2), Aug. 21, 1718, Geertruy Van Benthuysen.

He lived in Albany, Kinderhook and, in 1720, was a free-holder in Claverack, N. Y.

Children by first marriage; baptized in Albany, N. Y.

- i.
- Johannes, bp. July 13, 1690 Matheus, bp. Nov. 1, 1691; was living in 1748-9. ii. Martin, bp. Feb. 21, 1694. iii.
- 4. iv.
 - Tobias, bp. Aug. 16, 1696, Robbert, bp. Sept. 1700; d. Sept. 30, 1777; m. Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 22, 1724, Christiana Roorbach. Their son, Jameš Van Deusen, bp. Germantown, N. Y., Sept. 30, 1733, d. June 7, 1820, West Taghkanic, N. Y.; m. abt. 1759, Elizabeth Smith, dau. of Jonas & Elizabeth Smith of Germany. Their children ware: Matthews hp. Feb. 23, 1761; Mar. children were; Mattheus, bp. Feb. 22, 1761; Margrieta, bp. Dec. 25, 1762 who m. Jan. 15, 1788 Jacobus Van Deusen; Niclaes, bp. June 6, 1765; Chrystytje, bp. Oct. 25, 1767; Elizabeth, bp. Sept. 30, 1770; Robert I., b. Sept. 22, 1772.
- Tobias Van Deusen, (Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was baptized Aug. 16, 1696; died Oct. 17, 1781; married at Liv-ingston, Mar. 21, 1724, Ariaantje Muller (Miller), who died before 1772. He was a farmer at Claverack, N. Y.

Children :---

v.

- i. Robert T., bp. Feb. 12, 1726, ii. Cornelis, bp. May 30, 1728,
- 5. 111. Johannes, bp. May 30, 1728, Heyltje, bp. May 30, 1730, iv.
 - Cornelia, bp. Nov. 26, 1732, v. Ariaantje, bp. Feb. 9, 1734, Tobias T., bp. Feb. 5, 1737, vi.
 - vii.
 - viii. Maria, bp. Jan. 26, 1740.

5. Johannes Van Deusen, (Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) baptised at Claverack, N. Y., May 30, 1728; died at Coxsackie, to which town he moved after the Revolutionary War, Oct. 14, 1803. Married (1), Claverack, N. Y., May 29, 1750, Christina De La Matre, daughter of Gloude De La Matre and Christina Leggett; she died or was buried Oct. 14, 1767 and he married (2), Feb. 3, 1770, Maritie Bronck, born Feb. 20, 1740. He served in the Eighth Regt., Albany County Militia under Col. Robt. Van Renssalaer and was by the testimony to his son Gloude, Chairman of the Committee of Safety for the town of Claverack during the entire period of the war. The large brick house in which he resided was used as a fort as long as hostilities continued.

Children by the first marriage.

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- Ariaentie, b. April 12, 1752 d. young. I.
 - Gloudie, b. Sept. 27, 1754; d. July 18, 1845.
 - iii. Cornelis, b. Dec. 27, 1757; d. or bur. Oct. 1, 1786. iv. John, b. Dec. 10, 1759; d. Sept. 1, 1802.

 - Ariaentie, b. July 31, 1762; (See old Bible record for v. marriage).

6. vi. Jacobus, b. July 12, 1764.

Child by second marriage.

i. Sartie (Sara) b. May 6, 1774; (See old Bible record for marriage).

6. Jacobus Van Deusen, (Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert, 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Claverack, N. Y., July 12, 1764, Married (1), Claverack, Jan. 15, 1786, Grietje (Margaret) Van Deusen, bp. Dec. 25, 1762, daughter of James & Elizabeth (Snith) Van Deusen; married (2), Hannah Van Alsyne. His will, dated July 21, 1846 and recorded March 22, 1847, mentions his sons Cornelius and John, his daughter Betsy, wife of Isaac Van Slyck and his wife Hannah, who later removed from her husband's farm near Valatie, N. Y., to Albany, N. Y.

Children by first marriage.

- Cornelius, b. 1788, Kinderhook; d. Aug. 17, 1873, 7. i. Philadelphia, Pa. ii.
 - Elizabeth, b. June 26, 1790; m. July 2, 1816 at Kinderhook, N. Y., Isaac Van Slyck; both admitted to Kinderhook church, Mch. 12, 1821.

Children bp. at Kinderhook, surname Van Slyck. Peter, b. Jan. 4, 1817 Margaret, Nov. 9, 1821 Sophronia, b. April 16, 1824 John, b. Nov. 9, 1826 Hannah Maria, b. Dec. 31, 1828

8. iii. John J., b. Dec. 24, 1801; d. Jan. 12, 1880, Lexington, Ind.

Record Taken from the Bible of Johannes Van Deusen Printed in Dordrecht, Holland, in 1741

Johannes Van Deusen Ick ben getroudt met Christina Delametter, 29 Mey, 1750.

1752 Tes. 12 April is Ariaentie Min ouste Doghter Gebren.

1754 is Min ouste son Gloudie Geboren, 27 September. 1757, 27 Desember is Mein Twede son Cornelis Geboren.

1759, 10 Desember is min Derde son Geboren John.

1762, 31 Jeuley is myn twede Dochter Geboren Ariaentie. 1764, 12 Jeuley is min Vierde son Jacobus Geboren.

1767 October 13 Tes min Vrouw Christina Dl. Van Deusen, Overleden. 1786 October 1 Is Min Soon Cornelis Overleeden is giv—nit een boom met Lin borst op deheying.

1795 20 February is Min ouste Son geboren Tomas, 1798 31 Mert is min twed Son John geboren.

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Thomas Van Alstine ick ben getroudt Met Araeantie Van Deusen, Augustee 24th 1781. 1782, 24 May is Min ouste doctar geboren. 1784, 11th February is Min twede Docter Cristintie Geboren. 1785, 19th November is min ouste son Allabertis Geboren.

John Van Deusen ich ben getroudt mit Fitie Hellenbeck, September 31st 1782. 1783, 17th September is Min ouste Docter Cristintie geboren, 1785, 14 May is min ouste soan William geboren.

John Van Deusen wa deyd foust September 1802.

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James Van Deusen his Book, Given him by his father Johannes Van Deusen Sept. 1803.

My Father Johannes Van Deusen Died 14th October 1803.

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Johannes Van Deusen ick ben Getrout Met Maritie Bronck 3 February 1770-Min twede Dochter Sartie is Geboren den 6 My (May) 1774-en is getrout met Pieter Hogteling den 20 Februry 1792-

Johannes Van Deusen Min Vrou Maritie is geboren in hot-1740 Den 20 February-

Thomas hogtaling Born 20 February 1793. (or 1795).

7. Cornelius Van Deusen (Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3. Matthew 2. Abraham 1.) was born about 1788 in Kinderhock, N. Y.; died at Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 17, 1873 in his eighty-sixth year, and was buried in South Laurel Hill Cemetery. He married, Kinderhook, N. Y., March 24, 1811, Maria Mc-Cagg born Kinderhook, 1792 and died, LeRoy, N. Y. Sept. 1867; sister of Isaac McCagg of Chicago, Ill., and Matthew McCagg of Warsaw, N. Y.; dau. of - and Rosanna (---) McCagg.

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He served in the War of 1812 as orderly sergeant in Capt Henry Van Vleck's Co., Col. Jacob R. Van Rensselar's 47th Regt. of New York Militia, his period of active service being from Sept. 8, 1812 to Dec. 10, 1812; for this he was given a land grant of eight acres, which was later turned over for sale, to his son Frank. He moved to White Pigeon, Mich., 1836; LeRoy, N. Y., 1840; after the death of his wife, to Troy, N. Y., where he and his daughter Mrs. Fitch made their home until, in 1871, he went to Philadelphia, and she to care for the children of John Van Deusen in Chicago, Ill.

Both he and his wife were admitted to the Kinderhook Church, July, 1821.

Children :---

- James, b. Kinderhook or Columbia, May 9, 1812; i. 9. d. Richmond, Ind., April 29, 1910.
- 10. ii. Eliza, b. Kinderhook, April 20, 1814; d. Warsaw, N. Y., Apr. 28, 1891
 - Margaret, b. Kinderhook, Oct. 4, 1817; d. Philadel-phia, Pa., Feb. 9, 1892. Buried, South Laurel Hill 111. Cemetery in the Van Deusen lot. Married, Staf-ford, N. Y., abt. 1836, Dr. Thomas Fitch, brother of Harriet Fitch, whose husband, Benjamin Austin, was a jeweler in Peoria and Pekin, Ill.

Resided White Pigeon, Mich., 1836; Kalamazoo, Mich., Pekin, Ill., and in Troy, N. Y., abt.

1868, moving to Chicago, Ill., in 1871. One child, Mary, b. White Pigeon or Kalamazoo, abt. 1839; d. abt. 1844.

- 11. iv. Matthew, b. Kinderhook, Dec. 3, 1822; d. Manchester, Ia., Feb. 20, 1917
- 12. V. John, b. Kinderhook (?), Dec. 13, 1825; d. Tappen, N. D., Apr. 15, 1891. Isaac, b. Valatie, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1829; d. Philadel-
- 13. vi. phia, Pa., Aug. 9, 1918. Frank, b. Stamford, N. Y., Dec. 4, 1832.
- 14. vii.

8. John J. Van Deusen, (Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born in Kinderhook, N. Y., Dec. 24, 1801 and died Jan. 12, 1880 at Lexington, Ind. He married, Oct. 12, 1837, Maria Vosburgh, daughter of — Vosburgh and — McLean, born June 10, 1812, Kinder-hook, (?); d. Feb. 4, 1860 at Lexington, Ind., where both she and her husband are buried.

He was a farmer at Kinderhook; from there he moved to LeRoy, Troy and Batavia, N. Y., finally seeking the west hoping to find a more suitable climate for his wife who had been an invalid for some years. He eventually located upon a farm at Lexington, Ind., the then county-seat of Scott Co., where he spent the remainder of his life. After his death the farm became part of the William English estate, and can be partially traced by its fine old beech trees.

Children :---

- 15. i. Roxanna Emma, b. Kinderhook, Feb. 8, 1840; d. Lexington, Ind., Aug. 2, 1893.
- 16. ii. Margaret Anna, b. Kinderhook or LeRoy, N. Y., July 10, 1844; d. May 10, 1911, Kansas City, Mo.

 James Van Dusen, (Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) was born Kinderhook or Columbia, N. Y., May 9, 1812; died Richmond, Ind., April 29, 1910 and was buried in Earlham Cemetery. Married, Cincinnati, O., on May 8, 1845, Sophia Smith, daughter of Benjamin and Nancy (Horton) Smith, born Cincinnati, Dec. 29, 1819; died, Richmond, Ind., Dec. I, 1900 and was buried in Earlham Cemetery.

When in 1836 his father's family left the Kinderhook farm for White Pigeon, Mich., he moved to Cincinnati, where he was employed by an Ohio river steamboat company, following this business for nine years with different companies along the Ohio and Mississippi. In 1845 he became ticket agent for the "Little Miami" railroad at Cincinnati, was promoted to the office of general ticket and freight agent for the company, and in 1862 was sent to Richmond, Ind., as manager of their line known as the "Dayton & Western." At the end of five years he returned to Cincinnati where he was with the company until honorably retired in 1880.

At nearly 98 years of age his hearing was but little impaired and his eyesight as keen as that of one many years his junior. He was known as Richmond's "Grand Old Man."

Children :---

- Frank, b. Cincinnati, O., Feb. 12, 1846; d. Pittsburgh, Pa., March 4, 1907.
 ii. Joseph Pierce, b. Cincinnati, May 5, 1848; he married,
 - Joseph Pierce, b. Cincinnati, May 5, 1848; he married, Cincinnati, Nov. 26, 1870, as her second husband, Julia (Lyon) Fisher, widow of John Fisher and daughter of William Alexander Richardson Lyon of London, Eng., and Charity Morrel the daughter of an British army officer, who after her marriage was called Harriet due to the dislike of her husband for the name Charity. Julia Lyon was born in London, Oct. 21, 1838 and in 1847 was brought to Canada with her family consisting of parents, two brothers and a sister, her mother dying in childbirth before landing at Montreal. She died at Stamford, Conn., June 11, 1916 and was buried near Boston where lies Irene Fisher, her only child.

He married (2) Mae Metzger, daughter of George and — Metzger by whom he had two children; the first died when young, the second, a boy, took the name of his stepfather when, after the divorce of his parents, his mother married again.

- iii. Kate, b. Newport, Ky., Sept. 14, 1851. Unmarried. Resides, (1927), Richmond, Ind.
- iv. Mary, b. Richmond, Ind., June 18, 1863; married, Richmond, Sept. 4, 1895, Eugene Price, b. Middleboro, Ind., Dec. 24, 1861, son of Charles T. Price, Jr., and Clara (Burroughs) Price. Resides, (1927) Richmond, Ind.—No children.
- 10. Eliza Van Deusen, (Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born April 20, 1814 at Kinderhook, N. Y., and died April 28, 1891, at Warsaw, N. Y. She married, at Lima, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1834, Ami Harrison Carpenter, born Bridgewater, Conn., Feb. 15, 1813, died, Warsaw, N. Y., Feb. 27, 1907, son of Jesse and Dolla (Herick) Carpenter. They moved to Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1839 and to Warsaw, N. Y., in 1840. She united with the Presbyterian Church in Warsaw, but in 1860 was confirmed in Trinity Episcopal Church.

Children, surname Carpenter.

- Myron Barnet, b. LeRoy, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1835; d. Nov. 25, 1910, Warrensburg, Mo.
 - ii. Helen Marr, b. Batavia, N. Y., April 22, 1837; d. Dec. 5, 1918, Warsaw, N. Y. Unmarried
- 19. iii. Mary, b. Warsaw, N. Y., June 28, 1841; d. Sept. 10, 1925, Lexington, Ind.
 - iv. George, b. Warsaw, N. Y., March 28, 1845; d. Dec. 12, 1911, McAllister, Oka., where he was buried. For thirty years before his death nothing was known of him except that he had married and been separated from his wife.
 - v. Herick H., b. Warsaw, N. Y. The last known of him was when he was at the Troy Farm, Dak. T'y., in 1882, with his uncle, John Van Deusen.
 - vi. Buena Vista, b. Oct. 12, 1849, Warsaw, N. Y.

Unmarried and living in Warsaw, N. Y., in 1927.

- vii. Emma Gertrude, b. Aug. 20, 1852 at Warsaw, N. Y., d. March 1, 1912 at the home of her step-son, Emerson Page, Perry, N. Y.; buried in Warsaw; she married, as his second wife, in 1890 or 1891, probably at Perry, Aaron Zelotus Page, b. May 29, 1836, at ——; d. Jan. 20, 1894 at Byron, N. Y. and buried at Kerr's Church, Caistor, Ont., son of Aaron and Laura (Daten) Page. No children.
- viii. Julia Augusta, b. Sept. 1, 1854, Nunda, N. Y.; d. Aug. 1, 1895; Warsaw, N. Y., Unmarried.
- . ix. Carrie, b. Jan. 19, 1857, Warsaw, N. Y. d. March, 1860, Warsaw, N. Y.

11. Matthew Van Deusen, (Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Dec. 3, 1822, at Kinderhook, Columbia Co., N. Y.; died Feb. 20, 1917, at Manchester, Iowa, being buried in Oakland Cemetery. Married at White Pigeon, Mich., April 1, 1848, Sarah Barnes, born July 27, 1828 at Steuben, Oneida Co., N. Y., died Manchester, Aug. 27, 1897 and buried in Oakland Cemetery, daughter of Ethelbert and Zilpha (Tripp) Barnes.

He was a man of varied occupations, being at one time in the creamery business in Manchester where he made the first creamery butter produced in the United States.

Child:

Caro, b. May 28, 1849 at Sturgis, Mich. She married, Dec. 28, 1870, in Manchester, Ia., Denison Giles Sabin, born Aug. 9, 1845 at Mayfield Center, Ohio; died Oct. 9, 1876, Man-

chester, Ia., son of Nathaniel C. and Octavia (Rudd) Sabin. She resided at Sturgis, Mich., LeRoy, N. Y., Richmond, Ind., and from 1868 until the present, (1927) in Manchester, Iowa.

Children, surnamed Sabin.

Indie May, b. Oct. 20, 1873; d. March 15, 1877.

Tom Rudd, b. April 3, 1875; d. August 31, 1885.

12. John Van Deusen, (Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias

4. Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born at Kinder-hook, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1825; died. Tappen, N. D., April 15, 1891; buried Woodland Cemetery, Philadelphia, Pa. He mar-ried (1) at Richmond Ind. Dec. 24, 1856. Indiana Stanton ried (1), at Richmond, Ind., Dec. 24, 1856, Indiana Stanton, daughter of Stephen Butler and Eliza (Fisher) Stanton, born Richmond, Ind., April 13, 1838; died Richmond, June 21, 1858. She was buried at Maple Grove and was later moved to Earl-ham Cemetery, Richmond, Ind. He married (2), at Philadel-phia. Pa. Nov. 20, 1864. Francina Louise, Criffith. 200 phia, Pa., Nov. 30, 1864, Francina Louisa Griffith, age 21, a woman of great beauty who died March 2, 1871; buried in Woodland Cemetery, Philadelphia, Pa.

He resided at Newport, Ky., Richmond, Ind., Philadelphia, Pa., Chicago, Ill., Milwaukee, Wis., and Tappen, N. D., and

was by turns a merchant, railroad agent and farmer.

Child by the first marriage.

20. i. Rose, b. Jan. 4, 1858, Richmond, Ind.; d. Fairhaven, Mass., Feb. 15, 1920.

Children by the second marriage. 11.

John E., b. Oct. 9, 1865, Philadelphia, Pa.; d. Philadelphia, Aug. 6, 1866. iii.

Paul, b. Chicago, Ill., (record burned in the big fire.) d. May 31, 1874.

iv. Helen, b. Chicago, (record burned); d. Sept. 3, 1873.

All three buried in Woodland Cemetery, Philadel-

13. Isaac Van Deusen, M. D., (Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born in the old home at Valatie, Columbia Co., N. Y., Nov. 7, 1829; died, Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 9, 1918. He settled in Troy, N. Y., in 1853, where he remained until, in 1860, he removed to Philadelphia. In 1901 he located in Vineland on the S. W. corner of Main and Forest Grove Road, but a year or two later bought a property on Park Avenue just east of the Paul Van Deusen place, eventually returning to Philadelphia about 1912.

He was a merchant until 1884 when he graduated from a Chicago medical college. He subsequently was directly or indirectly connected with the practice of medicine although he never established a private practice, being physician for a mining company in Duluth, Minn.; physician for one of the Philadelphia boards of charity and associated with Mead, Johnson & Co., Jersey City, N. J.

He became a Mason when twenty-one years old and continued his active interest until his death. He was a Past Master, a Past High Priest and the historian of his lodge.

He married in Troy, N. Y., —— 1858, Josephine Hicks, born New York City, June, 1835; died Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 24, 1921. In 1873 she graduated from the Woman's Medical College of Philadelphia, in which city she practiced successfully for many years. She was the daughter of Catherine (Van Norden) and Charles Hicks who was the inventor of the first percussion caps, the machine for making them and the powder with which they were charged; also, at the time of his death had practically perfected the Hick's Centrifugal Dynamite Gun.

Children:

- 21. i. Edwin Hicks, b. Troy, N. Y., March 12, 1860
- 22. ii. Winfield, b Philadelphia, Pa., Mch. 14, 1861; d. Philadelphia, May 4, 1902
- 23. iii. Isaac, b. Philadelphia, Apr. 27, 1865.

iv. Paul, b. Philadelphia, Mch. 20, 1875. He graduated in chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania and was chemist for the Atlantic Refining Co., for a number of years until at the age of twenty-three, in company with his brother Isaac, he went prospecting in Wyoming where he was blinded by dynamite two or three years later; returning East he married at Woodbury, N. J., March 26, 1901, Lavinia Pearce, born at Bolton, Lancashire, England, Feb. 2, 1864, daughter of James and Elizabeth (Smith) Pearce.

He came to Vineland in 1901 and started in the poultry business on Park Avenue, near East, "his wife standing by." They now, (1927) have some 2000 laying birds, White Leghorns, on their seventeen acre farm at Franklinville, N. J. No children. 14. Frank Van Deusen, (Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born in Stamford, N. Y., Dec. 4, 1832; he was named Franklin Otis but disliking it discarded the name and used the one by which he was baptized. He married in Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1855, Helen Briggs Hazen of Adams, Mass., born Oct. 5, 1834; died Troy, N. Y., April 13, 1923, daughter of the Rev. Wright and Elizabeth (Wright) Hazen.

From 1861 to 1917 he conducted a laundry business in Troy, N. Y., "a pioneer in the laundry world." Beginning with fifteen women hand workers, the business in 1917 had five depots and employed over three hundred men and women.

He never did any family laundering, all of the work being from the collar factories. These in time established their own laundries and the practice of sending the work outside was eventually discontinued. Some time after 1917, he joined the staff of the American Collar Co., as manager of its laundry for two years, when he joined another firm until he retired from business in 1921.

He has been closely connected with the Second Presbyterian Church for over fifty years and for many years, until recently, was chairman of the Property Committee. Although his eyesight is not as keen as it was, he is still, in 1927, active around his house.

Children:

i. Jennie Bell, b. Newburgh, N. Y., Jan. 16, 1856; d.

- Newburgh, Sept. 30, 1856. Lillie Belle, b. Newburgh, N. Y., Aug. 19, 1857. Ella Kate, b. Troy, N. Y., July 17, 1859; d. Troy, 24. ii. iii.
- Nov. 13, 1879. 25. iv.
 - V.
 - vi.
 - Edwin Hazen, b. Troy, July 17, 1861. Son, b. Troy, N. Y. Sept. 1862, lived an hour. Lina, b. Troy, Dec. 9, 1863; d. Troy, Oct. 27, 1881. Frank Jr., b. Troy, July 30, 1866: d. Troy, Sept. 4, vii. 1866.
 - Grace, b. Troy, Aug. 7, 1867. Unmarried. Wright, b. Troy, April 20, 1869. Jennie Hicks, b. Troy, Dec. 5, 1871. viii.
- 26. ix.
- 27. X.
 - Helen Margaret, b. Troy, Jan. 25, 1873; d. Troy, xi. July 18, 1876.

15. Roxanna Emma Van Deusen, (John 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Feb. 8, 1840, died Aug. 2, 1893. She married, Nov. 2, 1874, James Yow, born Lexington, Ind., Dec. 12, 1837, died July 1, 1907, Lexington, Ind.

Children, surnamed Yow.

James Ira, b. Oct. 25, 1875; d. Dec. 17, 1886. i.

- 28. ii. John L., b. Dec. 7, 1877. 29. iii. Anna Elizabeth, b. Aug. 20, 1879.
- 30. iv. Cora May, b. Aug. 20, 1881.

Margaret Anna Van Deusen, (John 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born, probably at Kinderhook, N. Y., July 10, 1844; died May 10, 1911. She married, Lexington, Aug. 2, 1864, John Riley Hamacher, of Lexington, born Aug. 27, 1841, died Kansas City, Mo., April 30, 1915, son of David Hamacher, a well to do farmer of that section and Rebecca Boles. In 1861 he was mustered into service as member of the 49th Indiana Infantry, was promoted to 2nd Lieut., to captain, and was mustered out as major at the close of the War.

He was in his father's saw-mill for a short time, then went to Audrain Co., Mo., Carroll Co., and next to Carrollton, Mo., where he and his father bought a woolen factory in 1870. This was traded, about 1875 after the death of his father, for a flouring mill in Ray Co. In connection with this he had machinery for handling wool, carding, weaving, etc. In 1880 he sold, and built a flour mill in town, in a few years adding an electric light plant which furnished light for the city; later he built another plant and sold it to the city. About 1904 he sold his interest and in 1906 went into partnership with his son in a flour mill at Windsor, Mo. A few years later he disposed of his holdings, gave to each of his children an equity in a farm in Henry Co., and with his wife moved to Kansas City where he went into the real estate business, from which he retired after the death of Mrs. Hamacher.

Children:

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i. Infant, died young.

31. ii. Louie Gertrude, b. Scott Co., Ind., Oct. 12, 1867.

32. iii. Elmer Riley, b. Carrollton, Carroll Co., Mo., April 2, 1870.

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17. Frank Van Dusen, (James 9, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born at Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 12, 1846; died, Pittsburgh, Pa., March 4, 1907. He married at Pittsburgh, Pa., June 2, 1872, Sarah Perkins, daughter of Henry Warren and Desire (Barker) Perkins, born June 3, 1854 at Fredonia, N. Y.; died, March 4, 1907 at Pittsburgh, Pa. She and her husband died within an hour of each other, both of pneumonia, and were buried at Spring Grove, Cincinnati, Ohio.

He was an active railroad man for forty-five years, during the last thirty of which he was associated with the Pennsylvania Railway. He was Chief Assistant Passenger Agent for the lines west, and one of the best known railroad men of the country at the time of his death.

Children:

Sidney Jones, b. Cincinnati, O., Aug. 16, 1873. Indie Rose, b. Newark, O., Aug. 1, 1876. i. 33. 34. ii.

iii. Frank, b. Chicago, Ill., Apr. 12, 1879. 35.

18. Myron Barnet Carpenter, (Eliza 10, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Aug. 20, 1835 at LeRoy, N. Y., and died Nov. 25, 1910 at Warrensburg, Mo., where he is buried. He served during the Civil War in Co. A., 69th Regt. Indiana Vol. Infantry under Capt. Geo. C. Garretson, mustered in at Richmond, Ind., July 23, 1862; discharged at Mobile, Ala., July, 1865, took part in six battles besides the surrender of Vicksburg and Jackson, Miss.

Not long after the close of the War he moved to Warrensburg, Mo., where he married, April 22, 1869, Mary Agnes, daughter of John T. and Charlotte (Williamson) Brown, born Gray Summit, Mo., Jan. 7, 1839, died Nov. 24, 1922 at Warrensburg, where she is buried. He was a tinsmith by trade.

Children, all born at Warrensburg, Mo.

- Rush Algernon, b. Apr. 12, 1871, m. St. Louis, Mo., June 25, 1903, Lillian C. (Gibson) Schultz, dau. of Wm. W. & Hattie (Chapman) Gibson b. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 29, 1872. The only child is a daughter by Mrs Carpenter's first marriage, Esther Marie Schultz, now Mrs. Don S. Carpenter. Residence in 1927 Kansas City, Mo.
- George Lucas, b. Sept. 12, 1873; m. April 12, 1903, at Warsaw, N. Y., Helen Eliza Mills, b. Warsaw, Apr. 24, 1878, dau. of Dealton Monroe and Julia Matilda (Fargo) Mills. He resided at Warrensburg, Mo., until May 18, 1892, when he went to St. Louis, Mo., where he remained as clerk in the freight office of the Cairo Short Line & Ill. Central R. R., from Aug. 8, 1892 until May 10, 1902; he then removed to Buffalo, N. Y., and was with the Lake Shore & M. S. R'y and N. Y. Central Lines from June, 1902 to March 27, 1915. From that date he was with the North End Grocery, Warsaw, N. Y., until on June 1, 1918, he received his present appointment as United States mail carrier in that city.

Children:

Isabelle Grace, b. Apr. 28, 1906, Warsaw, N. Y. Fayette Myron, b. Dec. 20, 1907, Warsaw, N. Y. Mary Agnes, b. July 2, 1910, Buffalo, N. Y.

- Grace Ami, b. May 3, 1876. Unmarried; living in New York City.
- iv. Frank Barnet, b. Aug. 22, 1878. Unmarried, Warransburg, Mo.
- v. Julia Lena Belle, b. Sept. 14, 1881. Unmarried, Warrensburg, Mo.
- Mary Carpenter, (Eliza 10, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born at Warsaw, N. Y., June 28, 1841; died Sept. 10, 1925, Lexington, Ind., where she is buried.

She married, Lexington, Ind., Oct. 18, 1871, Frank M. Campbell, born, Lexington, May 17, 1845, died Lexington, Oct. 18, 1918, son of James and Sarah (Clark) Campbell.

Children, surnamed Campbell:

i.

- Arthur Eugene, b. Lexington, Sept. 9, 1875; d. Lexington, Mch. 15, 1924. He was a cripple from boyhood, at times subjected to intense pain but carried forward a successful jewelry business. He also was an ardent lover of music and made many of his own instruments. Unmarried.
- Guy, b. Lexington, Nov. 26, 1877, m. Lexington, Ind., Oct. 11. 22, 1904, Anna Paswater, b. Lexington, Jan. 29, 1877, dau. of William Thornsberry & Sarah (-----) Paswater. He now resides in Hanover, Ind.

Children b. at Hanover, Ind.

Frank William, b. Oct. 15, 1905. Helen Grace, b. May 2, 1908.

- Blanche, b. Lexington, Sept. 9, 1879; d. Dec. 10, 1899, m. 111. Nov. 1, 1898, Elmer Mace.
- Rose Van Deusen, (John 12, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born, Richmond, Ind., Jan. 4, 1858; died, Feb. 15, 1920 at Fairhaven, Mass., her ashes being buried in Earlham Cemetery, Richmond. At the request of her dying mother, she was reared as one of the children of James (9) and Sophia Van Dusen. She married, at Richmond, Ind., Nov. 18, 1879, Charles Fiske, born, Richmond, Dec. 1, 1854, died, New Bedford, Mass., Oct. 17, 1925, his ashes being buried with those of his wife; son of Charles Fiske and Mary Healy who, when a child, went to live with her uncle, Franklin Hathaway at Rome, N. Y., and owing to the difficulty of communication at that time, lost all trace of her family in the northern part of the state.

Children, surname Fiske.

- Alice, b. Sept. 9, 1880, Indianapolis, Ind. Unmarried.
- ii. Helen Stanton, b. June 5, 1883, Indianapolis, d. Nov. 27, 1925, New York City.
- 21. Edwin Hicks Van Deusen, (Isaac 13, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) was born in Troy, N. Y., March 12, 1860, going the same year to Philadelphia, Pa., where he lived until, in May 1911, he re-moved to Vineland, N. J. He graduated from the Philadelphia High School in 1877, and from the Medical Department of the University of Pennsylvania in 1880, since which date he has practiced medicine uninterruptedly except from March 1881, to July, 1882 when he was assistant superintendent of Troy Farm, at Tappen, Dak. T. and for the first two years in Vineland. Attended the summer semester in Vienna General Hospital in 1888 taking courses in throat, nose and ear diseases un-

der Schroetter, Schintzler, Stoerk, Pollitzer and Urbantschitch and heart and lung diseases under Nothnagel and Lorenz.

He was attending physician and obstetrician to Rosina Home, Philadelphia, from 1888 to 1911; member of the staff, Vineland Hospital, 1913 to 1924 and of the staff of Newcomb Hospital, from 1924 to the present time.

He has always taken an active interest in outdoor sports. Played baseball with the Germantown junior team from 1875 to 1881 and played on the University of Penna., team in 1878; Is at present a member of the Cohanzick Club.

He was organist and choir conductor in Temple Baptist Church, Philadelphia, from 1888 to 1898, leader of the Tioga Choral Society for several years and member of the Mendolssohn Club Chorus.

He married (1) in Philadelphia, Nov. 27, 1883, Adelaide Parmalee Smith, born, Philadelphia, July 3, 1863, died Phila-delphia, March 8, 1908, and is buried in South Laurel Hill Cemetery; the daughter of John James and Ruth Adelaide (Parmalee) Smith. She was educated in the Philadelphia public schools, a graduate of its Normal School, and sang soprano in Temple Baptist Church, First Presbyterian Church of Germantown, and Church of the Savior, West Philadelphia.

He married (2) at Wilmington, Del., Jan. 18, 1912, Emily Fairfield Darling, born Oswego, N. Y., May 20, 1870, daughter of Charles Webb and Harriet Orrilla (King) Darling. She was graduated from the Judson Female Institute, Minneapolis, Minn., and took a special course of design at the University of Minnesota.

Children by the first marriage, all born in Philadelphia, Pa.

36. i.

37. 11.

- i. Edwin Parmalee, b. Sept. 25, 1884.
 ii. Robert Hicks, b. July 10, 1891.
 iii. Frederick, b. Oct. 23, 1900; d. Oct. 1918. He was educated in the Philadelphia public schools until May, 1911, when he moved to Vineland continuing in the public schools there until Sept., 1915 when he went to the Bordentown Military Academy where he remained a year. The winter of 1915-1916 he spent in the Episcopal Academy at Kent, Conn. In Sept. 1917 he enlisted in the army, going to Camp Hancock, Ga., for training. In April of the spring of 1918, he went overseas as corporal of Co. K, 111th Infantry, 28th Pennsylvania Division. In October, while in action in the Argonne, he was shot in the thigh by an explosive machine gun bullet, and was taken to a hospital at Dijon, where he died of hemorrhage the next day.

22. Winfield Van Deusen, (Isaac 13, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born in Philadelphia, Pa., March 14, 1861; died Philadelphia, May 4, 1902 and is buried in South Laurel Hill Cemetery. He married (1) at Tappen, Dak. T., May 12, 1884, Carrie McCagg, born in La Grange Co., Ind., Aug. 22, 1863; died, Tappen, Dak. T., Sept. 25, 1884, daughter of Samuel and Anne Élizabeth (Sanborn) McCagg. Married (2), Philadelphia. Dec. 2, 1887, Mary Bavington Painter, born Philadelphia Sept. 19, 1863; died Philadelphia, Sept. 16, 1914, daughter of George and Margaret (Bavington) Painter. He resided in Philadelphia until 1882; Tappen from 1882 until about 1885 or 1886; from then until his death his home was again in Philadelphia.

Child by the second marriage.

- 38. i. Margaret Painter, b. Philadelphia, Pa., July 3, 1890.
- 23. Isaac Van Deusen, (Isaac 13, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) was born in Philadelphia, Pa., April 27, 1865; married, Denver, Col., Feb. 9, 1909, Anna Lott Franklin, born Brooklyn, N. Y., June 8, 1877; died, Orlando, Fla., Aug. 19, 1923 and is buried at Greenwood, New York City, daughter of Henry C. and Margaret (Miller) Franklin. About 1898 he went prospecting in Wyom-ing with his brother Paul. He is a printer and is now living in Orlando, Fla.

Children:

i. Anna Franklin, b. Orlando, Fla., Sept. 21, 1911.

ii. Emily Elizabeth, b. Orlando, Fla., May 16, 1913.

 Lillie Belle Van Deusen, (Frank 14, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born, Newburgh, N. Y., Aug. 19, 1857. She married at Troy, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1878, William Palmer Van Zile, born, Oct. 22, 1857, Troy, N. Y., died Feb. 27, 1907, son of Jesse and Married Van Zile. Mary Anne (Bacon) Van Zile. She is a member of the "Daughters of 1812" and at the

present time, (1927) Regent of the Troy Chapter.

Child, surname Van Zile.

i. Frank born in Troy, N. Y., May 8, 1882; m. at Troy, Nov. 5, 1903, Bernice Rose Hanton, b. Cohoes, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1881, dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Higgins) Hanton.

He volunteered for service with the U.S. Marine Corps, May 8, 1899, and trained at the Brooklyn Navy Yard; went to Philippines with 2nd Battalion and took part in the battle at Imus, P. I., Oct. 4, 1899, "Served with credit" in battle at Novaleta, P. I., Oct. 8, 1899; transferred to Cruiser "Baltimore" Dec. 4, 1899, and saw sea service in Chinese waters during the Boxer war 1900. He was in the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Animal Industry from 1906 to 1917. Oct. 1918 he volunteered for service in the U. S. Marines, and was stationed in Brooklyn Navy Yard until honorably discharged.

He has resided in Troy, N. Y., Marion, Ind., Melrose, N. Y., New York City and in 1927, in Jersey City, N. J., where he and his wife are members of the First Congregational Church; also for five years they have been members of the New York Oratorio Society. He is a member of Bergen Lodge 47, Free & Accepted Masons. No children.

25. Edwin Hazen Van Deusen, (Frank 14, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.)was born at Troy, N. Y., July 17, 1861; married, Troy, April 28, 1886, Fannie Louise Hilliker, born, Troy, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1864, died, Ballston Springs, N. Y., Oct. 8, 1916 and was buried at Troy, N. Y., daughter of James Albert and Sarah (Hawkins) Hilliker.

Children, all born at Troy, N. Y.

- 39. i. Edwin Hilliker, b. Sept. 18, 1887.
- 40. ii.
- ii. Helen Hazen, b. April 19, 1890.
 iii. Edwina Mary, b. Nov. 28, 1898.
 iv. Grace Louise, b. Mar. 28, 1900.
- 26. Wright Van Deusen, (Frank 14, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born April 20, 1869, Troy, N. Y. He married at Brooklyn, N. Y., April 17, 1900, Marie Theresa Mincher, born Philadelphia, Pa., March 8, 1881, died in Canada, Feb. 16, 1917, daughter of Edward and Mary T. Mincher.

At the time of the Spanish-American War, he enrolled, Troy, N. Y., May 2, 1898 for two years service, mustered in May 16, 1898 as private in Co. D, 2nd Regt. Infantry, N. Y. Vols; discharged by reason of muster out of service, Oct. 25, 1898, Troy, N. Y. Record—Camp duty, war with Spain, 1898; ser-vice in Cuba (special detail) from June 30 to July 26, 1898. He was critically ill with tropical fever after his return. He resided in Troy until 1914, since when he has constantly traveled through North America with no settled residence. Commercial traveler and broker.

Children:

- Wright, Jr. b. Brooklyn, N. Y., April 30, 1901; m. i. Albuquerque, N. M., Dec. 24, 1925, Katharine Eliza-beth Thompson of Washington, D. C., b. Montclaire, N. J., Dec. 7, 1898, daughter of Ethan Osborn and Elizabeth Hastings (Hutchins) Thompson. He is in business as advertising copy writer at Albuquerque, N. M.
- Marion, b. North Adams, Mass., Nov. 1, 1905; m. 11. Nov. 24, 1926, Bennington, Vt., Clarence George Brewster, b. May 17, 1904, Waterford, N. Y., son of George Waterman and Isabella (George) Brewster.
- iii. Viola, b. Troy, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1907.

27. Jennie Hicks Van Deusen, (Frank 14, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Troy, N. Y., Dec. 5, 1871, married, Troy, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1895, James Welsh Frazier, born, Pittsburgh, Pa., July 4, 1870, son of George Greer and Sadie Bessie (Smith) Frazier. Residence 1927, Cleveland, Ohio.

Children, surnamed Frazier.

- i. Zillah Ruth, b. Pittsburgh, Pa., March 2, 1896.
- ii. Helen Elizabeth, b. Pittsburgh, March 20, 1899.
- 28. John L. Yow, (Roxanna Emma 15, John J. 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born, Lexington, Ind., Dec. 7, 1877; m. Jennie Davis of Lexington, Aug. 7, 1901. He and his wife separated; she took the two younger children, he the eldest and made his home with his sister Anna.

Children:

- i. Lester, b. Dec. 2, 1903.
- Carl, b. Sept. 29, 1904. 11.
- iii. Infant, b. 1906.
- 29. Anna Elizabeth Yow, (Roxanna Emma 15, John J. 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Aug. 20, 1879 at Lexington, Ind. Married there, Nov. 9, 1910, Eugene Parks of Lexington, b. about 1889 or 1891. Lived for some years in Ogden, Ill., then moved to Iowal. There were four children, the birth of the fourth leaving her partially paralized on one side.
- 30. Cora May Yow, (Roxanna Emma 15, John J. 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Aug. 20, 1881 at Lexington, Ind. Married, Oct. 25, 1910, a young Lexington farmer, Perry Neff, and when last heard from had one son.
- 31. Louie Gertrude Hamacher, (Margaret Anna 16, John J. 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Oct. 12, 1867 in Scott Co., Ind. Her parents removed to Missouri a year and a half later and she received her education in the public school of Richmond, Mo., and the Synodical Seminary, a Presbyterian college for young ladies in Fulton, Calloway Co., Mo. She was a graduate of piano music receiving her diploma, June 4, 1888.

She married Feb. 6, 1895, at Richmond, Mo., Isaac Newton Powell of Chicago, Ill., formerly of Richmond, Mo., born Woodstock, Canada, Dec. 22, 1866, son of John and Matilda (McArdle) Powell. At the time of his marriage he was Assistant Clerk of Election Commissioners of Chicago, later Chief Clerk for fourteen years, City Treasurer, and in 1926, Presi-dent of the South Side Trust & Savings Bank, of the Wash-ington Park National Bank and President of the Geater South Side Chamber of Commerce; Past Master of Kenwood Masonic

Lodge, member of the Knights of Pythias, Woodmen of the World, Aryan Grotto, Hamilton Club and Flossmore and Midlothian Golf Clubs. He is an authority upon election laws and banking.

She is a member of the Bryn Mawr Woman's Club, of which she was president for two years, secretary two years and two years corresponding secretary. She is a member of the Arche Club, Daughters of Indiana, Daughters of the Revolution, Dames of the Loyal Legion, New England Historic Genealogical Society and other affiliations in which she takes an active part.

Child, surname Powell.

i. Donald Hamacher, b. Chicago, Ill., Feb. 8, 1896, m. Dec. 21, 1917 in St. Margaret's Church by the Rev. Hugh Spencer, Marguerite Wimmer, b. Windsor Park, Ill., Oct. 23, 1895, daughter of John Wimmer and Helen Livingston of Benton Harbor, Mich.

He attended the public schools of Chicago and the Agricultural College of Winona Lake, Ind. In the World War was a private in Battery E, 128th Field Artillery stationed at Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okiahoma; after three months in hospital was discharged and sent home.

He has been connected with life insurance but in 1927 is contract lumber salesman for the Liberty Lumber Co., of Chicago, Ill.

Children surname Powell.

i. Marguerite Virginia, b. Mar. 15, 1919.

ii. Donald Newton, b. and d. Sept. 6, 1923.

32. Elmer Riley Hamacher, (Margaret Anna 16, John J. 8, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born Apr. 2, 1870 in Carollton, Mo.; married, Richmond, Mo., June 6, 1894, Mary Belle Bassett, b. Oct. 24, 1869, daughter of Dr. Sam T. Bassett of Richmond, and Caroline Ardinger of Lexington, Mo. Her family came from Kentucky and Virginia, her ancestors dating back to the Hydes of England and the French Hugeunots, DuPew and DuPies.

He was associated with his father in Richmond and Windsor, Mo. In 1912 he was in Kansas City buying and selling feed and grain and in 1926 living on a chicken farm near Ottawa, Kan.

Children:

i. Son, still born, March, 1896.

- ii. Samuel Bassett, b. Richmond, Mo., Aug. 24, 1902. Unmarried. He is on one of the Philadelphia, Pa., newspapers.
- 33. Sidney Jones Van Dusen, (Frank 17, James 9, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham

1.) was born Aug. 16, 1873 at Cincinnati, O.; married, Pitts-burgh, Pa., Feb. 14, 1899, Martha Mae Jester, born June 18, 1876 at Pittsburgh, daughter of George Walter and Harriet Virginia (Kelly) Jester. He is president of the American Locker Company, Pittsburgh, Pa. Residence, Newton Centre, Mass. i.

Virginia, b. May 23, 1900 at Pittsburgh, Pa., m. Jan. I, 1924 at Church of Epiphany, New York City, Douglas Cornell MacKeachie, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 4, 1900, son of Samuel Stevenson and Jane (Cornell) MacKeachie. Residence, Chestnut Hill, Mass.

- Sidney, b. Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 29, 1907. ii.
- iii. Harriet, b. Seattle, Wash., Mch. 3, 1913.
- 34. Indie Rose Van Deusen, (Frank 17, James 9, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) was born at Newark, O., Aug. 1, 1876; married, Oct. 15, 1906, at Pitts-burgh, Pa., Frank Rahm Fortune, born July 4, 1880 at Pitts-burgh, Pa., son of William and Sarah Virginia (Rahm) For-

Resided in Pittsburgh until 1917 when she removed to Wooster, O., and in 1925 to her present residence, Chicago, Ill.

Child, surnamed Fortune.

i. Frank Van Deusen, b. July 15, 1910, Pittsburgh, Pa.

35. Frank Van Dusen, (Frank 17, James 9, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born April 12, 1879 at Chicago, Ill., married at Toronto, Ont., July 10, 1910, Philomene Mary Biron, born Dec. 19, 1881 at Sauk Saint Marie, Ont., daughter of Anthony and Catharine (Driver) Biron. He is at present (1927) living in California.

Children:

- Frank Anthony, b. Apr. 26, 1911, Toronto, Ont. i. ii.
- William Gardner, b. July 30, 1912, Toronto, Ont.
- Joseph Perkins, b. May 1, 1916, Detroit, Mich. 111. iv.
- Albert Leonard, b. June 3, 1919, Detroit, Mich.
- 36. Edwin Parmalee Van Deusen, (Edwin H. 21, Isaac 13, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) was born in Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 25, 1884. He married, Camden, N. J., Oct. 18, 1903, Claire Elliott Tatem, born Philadelphia, Pa., May 18, 1883, died, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 28, 1926, daughter of Elliott and Isabelle (Gampher) Tatem. Resided in Philadelphia, Vineland, N. J., Chester, Pa., Camden, N. J., and Chicago, Ill., where he is at present Service Engineer in the Automobile Industry.

Children, all born in Philadelphia, Pa.

i. Abigail, b. Aug. 8, 1905; m. Valparaiso, Ind., Oct. 17, 1926, Arthur Ernst Feuer, b. Sept. 5, 1899 in Chi-cago, Ill., son of Joseph and Bertha (Nagel) Feuer.

In United States Service from February, 1918 to the fall of 1920, Co. A, 9th Ill. Bat. One year with the Army of Occupation. Automobile mechanic and service salesman.

ii.

- Edwin Parmalee, Jr., b. July 31, 1906. Adelaide, b. Dec. 19, 1908; d. Jan. 8, 1909; buried in 111. South Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia, Pa.
- 37. Robert Hicks Van Deusen, (Edwin H. 21, Isaac 13, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born in Philadelphia, Pa., July 10, 1891; married in Chicago, Ill., Dec. 11, 1920, Maidza Waken, born Chicago, Ill., April 12, 1901, daughter of Harold Reginald and Ethel (Dixon) Waken.

Entered Stone & Webster organization in Chicago in the fall of 1911 in investment banking division. Now Vice President in charge of the Chicago office.

Mexican border service in 1916 as private in Battery C, First Illinois Field Artillery. Attended first officer's training camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill., in the summer of 1917, and was commissioned Second Lieutenant of Field Artillery. Went to France in the early fall of 1917 in the transport "Kroonland." Attended Saumur Artillery School during the first three months training course for American officers. Joined 15th Field Artillery at Valdahon the latter part of December and transferred about January 10, 1918 to the 12th Field Artillery, which be-came part of the Second Division then being organized. Remained at Valdahon as Chief Instructor for the officers and men of "F" Battery in computation of firing data, conduct of fire, drill, etc., until about the middle of March when the regiment proceeded to the front in Les Eparges sector around Verdun. Moved to the Chateau Thierry sector about June 1st and remained there until about July 15, then returned to Saumur Artillery School as division instructor in French 75 mm. field artillery. Rejoined 12th Field Artillery, Dec. 1918 in Ger-many and remained there with the regiment in and around Rheinbrohl and Honningen until about June 1, 1919. Returned to the United States and was mustered out, July, 1919 at Camp Dix. Was promoted in the fall of 1918 to rank of First Lieut. Field Artillery, and was cited in Second Division orders while in the Chateau Thierry sector in June 1918.

Children, both born Chicago, Ill.

Frederick, b. Sept. 19, 1921. i.

ii. Robert Hicks, Jr., b. Aug. 29, 1925.

38. Margaret Painter Van Deusen, (Winfield 22, Isaac 13, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham 1.) was born 2100 Tioga St., Philadelphia, Pa., July 3, 1890; married Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 17, 1915, George Gaw-throp, born, Kennett Square, Pa., Nov. 14, 1886, son of Horace Henry and Phoebe H. (Way) Gawthrop.

Children: surname Gawthrop.

- i. Margaret Painter, b. Philadelphia, April 10, 1918.
- ii. George, Jr., b. Philadelphia, June 18, 1922.
- 39. Edwin Hilliker Van Deusen, (Edwin H. 25, Frank 14, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abraham I.) was born in Troy, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1887; married Troy, N. Y., Nov. 20, 1919, Helen Elizabeth Allendorph, born Paughkeepsie, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1894, daughter of Edward Gor-don and Elizabeth (Boyd) Allendorph.

Educated at Troy Academy and Rennselaer Polytechnic In-stitute. Served in U. S. Army from May 25, 1918 to July 19, 1919; in France from July 1st 1918 to July 1, 1919; first in Headquarters Company, second in Pioneer Infantry; later in 304th Co. Department of Criminal Investigation. (D. C. I.) Civil Engineer and resides in Troy, N. Y.

Children, all born in Troy, N. Y.

- Jeanne Frances, b. July 28, 1920; d. July 28, 1920. Jeanne Lois, b. Nov. 12, 1921. 1.
- ii.
- iii. Donald Allendorph, b. Jan. 6, 1924; d. July 2, 1924.
- 40. Helen Hazen Van Deusen, (Edwin H. 25, Frank 14, Cornelius 7, Jacobus 6, Johannes 5, Tobias 4, Robbert 3, Matthew 2, Abra-ham 1.) was born in Troy, N. Y., April 19, 1890; married, Glen Falls, N. Y., July 7, 1913, Harold Harlow Corbin, born Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Sept. 8, 1889, son of William Harlow Gertrude Isabelle (Badgeley) Corbin. He is a lawyer and counselor at law, graduate of Saratoga High and Albany Law School. Former City Attorney of Saratoga Springs, N. Y. She is a member of the D. A. R.

Children; surnamed Corbin.

- i. Harold Harlow, Jr., b. Nov. 16, 1915 at Round Lake, N.Y
- Helen Elizabeth, b. May 9, 1918, Saratoga Springs, 11. N. Y.
- iii. Martha, b. Jan. 18, 1920, Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

NOTE

For those who are interested in the history of the Van Deusen family in Holland, and have not the advantage of Captain Albert Harrison Van Deusen's "Van Deusen Family" we have taken from it the following information:--

- In 1196 during the time of the third crusade, mention is made of a Hendricus a van Doersen. It is very possible he was a crusader and the cross in the coat of arms was taken up by him.
- In 1325 Govert Van Doorsen acknowledged Jan III of Brabant as his liege-lord and received back his ancestral property as a hereditary feudality, it remaining in the straight male line until the end of the 16th century.
- In 1419 Jan Van Deursen, possibly grandson or great grandson of Govert, married Aleid van Bloemensweerde and from his time there is no break in the family line.

Jan, son of the above, married Aleid van Dompselaer; their son

Jan, married Wilhelmina van Zoudenbalg; their son

Nicholas, married Machteld Proeys; their son

Jan Willem, married a daughter of Gerritt van Heusden; their son

- Jan, married Elisabeth Van Heusden, and was alive in 1550 being the last male in descent from Govert to hold the lands and castles of Duersen.
 - He added the famous "wheel of Heusden" to the coat of arms which was dropped by his son.
- Hendrick, who married Maria Rutgers. He was probably the first protestant of the family. The trouble with Spain bringing about the loss of his ancestral possessions. His son

Willem, married Elisabeth Gysberts; their son

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Pieter was magistrate in Haerlem, in 1583; his son

Abraham Pieterson, emigrated to New Amsterdam, before 1636 and was the American ancestor.