



Klock Connections

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Edward and Helen Klock

Edward William Klock

St. Petersburg Times Online Obituaries
August 18, 2001

Klock, Edward William, 80, of Palm Harbor, died Saturday (Aug. 18, 2001) at home under the care of Hospice of the Florida Suncoast. He was born in Hamilton, Ontario, and came here in 1982 from Berkley, Mich. He retired as a production manager after 25 years with Cadillac Gage Co., Warren, Mich. He was a member of St. Alfred's Episcopal Church, Palm Harbor. Survivors include his wife of 58 years, Helen S., a daughter, Pamela Richards, Brighton, Mich.; a brother, Frank, Birmingham, Mich.; a sister, Florence Grier, Rotunda; and three grandchildren, Jennifer Hickox, Brighton, and Laurie

Klock and Steven Klock, both of Seattle.
Curlew Hills Funeral Home, Palm Harbor.

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Edward William Klock was born in Canada August 30, 1920, the son of John Frederick Klock (Edward Sebestapol, John David, David Clock, Jacob Conrad Clock, Conrad Clock, and Hendrick Klock) and Laura Florence Peters. Edward Klock became a citizen of the United States Feb. 8, 1944.

Edward married Helen Shirley Ciotti. I have Edward and Helen with two children; Dennis Edward and Pamela Klock Richards. Dennis Edward was born October 30, 1945 and died February 28, 1979.

As you know I like to contact Klock and Klock connected people. I talked with Pamela "Klock" Richards tonight (1/11/10). Pamela Richards is a retired school teacher, counselor, certified ski instructor and scuba diver. She married Mike Hickox and they have a daughter, Jennifer who lives in Milford, Michigan. Today Pam lives in Palm Harbor, Florida with her husband John Richards and she is taking care of her ailing mother, Helen. We talked quite a while on the telephone and Pam told me that Steven has a profile on Face Book.

There are about 500 people with the last name of Klock that have profiles on Facebook, including my wife, Darla and I. Checking Facebook, I realized I had talked with Steve back in August. I contacted Steve again and he reminded me that I sent him a disk that contained my Klock Family tree, the Genealogy of Sherman O. Klock and other Klock Family information.

Steven lives in Murrieta, California which is located near Los Angles. Steve married Mellisa L. Moores and they have two children; Rylan Astra and Escher Payden Klock.

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Steven is a web designer and has a web page, <http://www.klockwerksdesign.co>



Steven, Mellisa, Rylan and Escher Klock

“My dad died when I was 6 or so...in 1979. He was a Top Gun graduate and a test pilot.” Steve told me. “I knew he was from Michigan and that his parents (my grandparents lived there, later moved to Florida,”



Capt.Dennis Klock

Dennis Klock was killed in a crash while flying an A-7 fighter with the Air National Guard near Denver. He was a member of the 120th Tactical Fighter Squadron based at Buckley, Colorado. He was a Capt. and served with the U.S. Air

Force. Dennis is buried in Ft. Logan National Cemetery in Denver, Co. Dennis married Sandra J. Acklin and they had two children; Steven and Laurie. After the tragic death of her husband, Sandy remarried. “She married Revoe Stuart Hill, II (Sam Hill), he had two kids already, Heather and Revoe Stuart Hill III (Buddy), Steve told me. “Sam and Sandy had two more kids together, (my half brother and sister) Debbie and Benjamin Hill.” Sam and Sandy Hill are now divorced.

Thomas B. Wolf

Portrait and biographical album
of St. Joseph County, Michigan
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Thomas B. Wolf. Nothing is more delightful than to traverse the agricultural districts during the harvest season, and note the thrift and industry of a majority of its people. From the abundance of its products may be safely argued the character of the inhabitants, for the soil, however rich in its natural resources, must be judiciously tended, or man's expectations will come to naught. Prominent among the skilled farmers of this region may be properly named the subject of this sketch, who has been liberally endowed with the qualities which have insured his success, both as a tiller of the soil, a business man, and a member of the community.

Our subject traces his birthplace to Columbia County, Pa., where he first opened his eyes to the light May 1, 1832. He did not live there long enough, however, to have fastened upon his mind any recollections of his surroundings, for when a child two years of age he was brought by his parents to this county.

The father settled on a tract of land in Lockport Township, where he opened up a good farm, and when the boyhood of Thomas B. was spent in attendance at the common school, and in assisting his parents as his strength and knowledge permitted. He remained under the parental roof until the death of his father, being then a youth of nineteen years. Soon afterwards he and his brother Amos assumed the management of the homestead, which at this time comprised 250 acres on section 27. The brothers operated in partnership five years, and then Thomas B. disposed of his interest in the property to Amos. The two

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then purchased together 160 acres on section 34, Lockport Township, after which another brother purchased the interest of Amos in this 160 acre, only twenty-two of which had been brought to a state of cultivation. Thomas B. and A.C. improved together the balance of this land, and our subject remained upon it for a term of ten years. He then sold forty acres to his brother, John, and traded the remaining 120 to his brother Daniel for eighty acres on section 35. From this latter he constructed a good homestead, where he has since lived.

The 22 of March, 1854, witnessed the marriage of our subject with Miss Charlotte Klock. This lady was born in Montgomery County, N.Y., Sept. 14, 1829, and is the daughter of Cornelius and Elizabeth (Right) (Fox) Klock, who were natives of Montgomery, N.Y., and who spent their entire lives in the Empire State. Her father was a native of Montgomery County, where he followed farming and died at the age of seventy-three years. The mother had preceded her husband to the silent land in middle age, when forty five years old.

Mrs. Wolf came to Michigan when a young girl of fifteen years, in company with her sister Catherine, Mrs. Yauney, who is living in Centreville at the age of seventy-three. She was the sixth child of the parental household, which numbered nine children, six of who grew to mature years. The survivors make their homes mostly in Centreville and vicinity. To Mr. and Mrs. Wolf there was born one child only, a daughter, Carrie A., March 29, 1862. She was given a good practical education in the common schools of Lockport and Centreville, and is now the wife of E.E. Wilcox, of Lockport; they were married Nov. 23, 1887. Mr. Wolf has mostly affiliated with the Democratic party, although being somewhat conservative in his ideas, and giving his support to the men whom he considers best qualified for office. In addition to his farming operations he has found that the feeding and shipping of stock is a profitable industry, and followed this about twenty years, finding a ready market at Chicago, Albany and Buffalo. Mrs. Wolf, a very estimably lady, is a member of the Reformed Church. Mr. W. is a member of the A.F. & A.M., at Centreville.

Additional Information: Charlotte Klock, who married Thomas Wolf came to Michigan with her older sister, Catharine in the late 1830's. She was fifteen years of age. Catherine had married George Yauney in St. Johnsville in 1837. Charlotte and Catherine were the daughters of Cornelius Klock (Jacob George, Johanguergh and Hendrick Klock) and Elizabeth Fox. Charlotte married Thomas Wolf, March 22, 1854. She was 25 and Thomas was 22.

Remembering June DeBoise

The first person I met when I started researching my family was June DeBoise. June lived in Tuston, near Cadillac, Michigan when I first met her. My wife, Darla and I visited June for the first time back in 2001. She invited us into her home, fixed us lunch and made us feel at home. She got out her old family pictures. In her old pictures she had a picture of my grandmother standing next to one of her sisters. I had the same picture that I got from my grandmother after she died. She remembered my Grandparents and told me some stories about them that I didn't know. June was born June 18, 1932 the daughter of Frank Simmons and Inza Mae Klock (George Grantison, Isaac, Christian I., John J. Jr., John J., Johannes J. and Hendrick Klock) Her son, Randy recently (Dec. 28, 2009) informed me of her death and send me a copy of her obituary. She passed away on November 21, 2009

Obituary for June DeBoise

Born: June 18, 1932

Died: November 21, 2009

A Loving Daughter, Wife, Mother,
Grandmother, Great Grandmother, A Loving
Friend and so much more!

Friends will remember June as vibrant, loving and feisty. She was a lifelong resident of the Cadillac/Tustin area. June Simmons married her sweetheart, Frank DeBoise, Jr., on July 15, 1952 whom she remained ever faithful to even after his death in 2001. June was a good cook whose specialties were fried chicken, bean soup and dumplings. Many will remember those delicacies. This is no doubt

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one of the reasons Frank married her, but not the sole reason. June was a leader in so many ways. She took care of her family and friends with the passion of a lion and the gentleness of a lamb. Her wisdom was founded in true common sense and a study of the works of Christ. She loved attending church anywhere and she had a voice to praise the glory of God in song, works and words. June loved laughter. Rarely was there a day gone by when she would not be laughing about something in the DeBoise household. June was a family woman in the truest sense. She loved dressing up and playing with her first baby, Valorie. And when her son's Randy (wife Gayle Lindsay) and Rickie (wife Deborah) were born she loved loading up the whole family and taking long rides. They never knew where they would end up but after a stop to the grocery store for some pickled bologna, cheese, crackers and milk, it was always an adventure. This was the simple beauty of June as mom. This love and pride in family continued when June and Frank adopted sisters Kristine Mulholland (husband Mark and children Kalli and Mason) and Cheryl Pickett (husband Terry and children Travis, Troy and Sarah) after her first children left home. When her first granddaughter, Crystal DeBoise was born, she learned another way to express her love. This love and pride followed for six more grandchildren, Kyna Sisson (husband Brian and children Owen and Isaiah), Amber Day (husband Ryan and children Skyler and Colten), Jessica DeBoise, Valorie Gregory (husband Kevin and child Aleise), Jack Lindsay and Hannah Lindsay.

Nine great grandchildren were also blessed to have Gramma June to influence their lives too. She loved teaching all of her grandchildren old-time songs while giving them a very special backrub called the "love bug". She was a devoted member of Victory Tabernacle and lifelong member of the LeRoy Chapter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Women's Auxiliary. Some of June's last words were, "They're the best, they're just the best." She was talking about children.

Many will miss June.

Good Journey, good and kind woman.

Randy, that's for sending me the Obituary of your mother, I have several memories of going for a ride with my Mom, Dad, brothers and sisters, stopping at a small grocery store and Dad would pick us some pickled bologna, cheese, crackers and milk.

Dave

Amtrak Trip

Klock Connections is early this month because Darla and I will be taking a trip on Amtrak. We will be leaving out of Elkhart, Indiana and going to Amsterdam, New York. I wanted to get this issue out before we leave as we will be gone two or three weeks. We plan on leaving about January 20th. I will be taking a vacation from my computer as it will stay home this time. I will check my e-mail from time to time...

We will be staying with some friends while in New York, Bob and Barbara Hojohn. Bob and Barb are both are members of Fort Klock Historic Restoration. We have gotten close the last couple of years.

Our children Josh and Nick got to know Bob and Barb Hojohn last summer when they came out for a visit. We did not have room for four more adults and four children in our little camper. Barb and Bob invited us, our children and grand children to stay with them. We stayed at their home and the kids took turns staying with us and at the camper.

Barb and Bob have several weaving looms and spinning wheels in her home. Darla enjoys weaving and has one of our bedrooms turned into a weaving room. She has three looms and a spinning wheel in there and spends quite a bit of time hiding from me while I am working on my computer and on the newsletter.

Both Bob and Barb like spinning wool on their spinning wheels. Barb demonstrates her spinning and weaving skills at Fort Klock during special events and at local fairs. They belong to spinning and weaving guilds. Darla will be doing some weaving on Barb's barn frame loom while we are there, making items to sell at Fort Klock.

I need to talk to a few people while in New York and work on the next Klock Family Reunion. I will have more information to pass along to you next month in this newsletter.

Cemetery List Continued From Last Month

Information for this cemetery list comes from several different sources and may not be completely reliable. If you have additions or corrections please let me know.

Glenwood Cemetery Oneida, Madison County, New York

Adella J Klock B. 1861 D. 1940. Additional Information: Adella J. Keys married Clarence Klock (below).

Alma A Klock B. Sep. 22, 1842, D. Apr. 26, 1923. Additional Information: Alma Alice Rich married Henry S Klock.

Andrew W Klock B. 1830, D. 1901. Additional Information: Andrew W. Klock was the son of Simeon Klock (Henry J., John J., Johannes and Hendrick Klock) and Eunice Easterbrook. He married Harriet F. Burleson and they had three children.

Clarence Klock, B. 1858, D. 1927. Additional Information: Clarence Klock was the son of Andrew W. Klock and Harriet F. Burleson. He married Adella J. Keys. See line above under Andrew. I have no record of any children.

Eunice Klock, B. unknown, D. Mar. 27, 1876. Additional Information: Eunice Easterbrook married Simeon Klock, below. She was born September 1810 and died March 27, 1876. Simeon and Eunice had four children.

Frankie Klock, B. 1866, D. 1866. No Information

Harriet Klock, B. 1838, D. 1899. Additional Information: Harriet F. Burleson married Andrew W. Klock above.

Harry S Klock, B. May 3, 1865, D. May 19, 1896. Additional Information: Harry S. Klock was the son of Henry S. Klock and Alma Alice "Rich" Klock.

Henry H Klock, B. unknown, D. Oct. 17, 1879 age: 75 yrs. Henry H. Klock was the son of Henry J. Klock (John J., Johannes and Hendrick Klock) and Margaret Rouse

Henry S Klock, B. Oct. 2, 1832, D. Apr. 23, 1910. Additional Information: Henry S. Klock was the son of Simeon Klock (Henry J., John J., Johannes and Hendrick Klock) and Eunice Easterbrook. Henry married Alma Alice Rich. Henry and Alma had five children.

Martha F Klock, B. Feb. 2, 1867, D. Oct. 22, 1928. No Information

Simeon Klock, B. unknown, D. Apr. 23, 1890 age: 83 yrs. Additional Information: Simeon was the son of Henry J. Klock (John J., Johannes and Hendrick Klock). He married Eunice Easterbrook. Four children were born from this union.

Green Lawn Cemetery New Hartford, Oneida Co., NY

Spaulding, Philo B., b. 1838, d. 1912. Additional Information: Philo B. Spaulding married (1.) Marcella S. Vincent (2.) Ellen Klock, daughter of Amos Klock and Almira Davis. (3.) Mary A. Klock, another daughter of Amos and Almira Davis.

Spaulding, Marcella S. Vincent, b. 1847, d. 1872, 1st wife of Philo B. Spaulding

Spaulding, Ellen Klock, b. 1846, d. 1892, (Amos, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob Klock and Hendrick Klock) 2nd wife of Philo B. Spaulding

Spaulding, Mary A. Clock, b. 1857, d. 1927, (Amos, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob Klock and Hendrick Klock) 3rd wife of Philo B. Spaulding

Evergreen Cemetery Town of Lee, Route 26N Oneida County N.Y.

Klock, Carrie B. 1866-1929. Section 14. No Additional Information

Lee Valley Cemetery Lee, Oneida County, New York

Klock, Bowen, E., b.1835, d.1912. Additional Information: Bowen Klock was the son of John J. Klock (Jacob G., George G., Johanguergh and Hendrick Klock) and Anna Hillegas. He married Cornelia C. Briggs. **Continued Next Month**