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Lt. Bradley Klock and Daughter Kylie

If you or anyone else would like to contact us, please feel free to email me anytime at: Gklock11@comcast.net.

Your prayers and a donation will be greatly appreciated. Donations can be made to:

Kylie Klock Benefit Account
c/o 1st Summit Bank
367 Locust St.
Sidman, Pa. 15955

Dave Klock
Summerset, Pa.

Hi Dave,

I am writing on behalf of my great-granddaughter, Kylie Rae Klock. Kylie is a one year old, who is facing a lifetime of medical treatment. Kylie has been diagnosed with a rare and life threatening disease called "POMPE". Kylie has infantile-onset pompe disease. There is no cure for this disease, but there is a treatment. This requires her to be infused with a enzyme every two weeks.

Kylie lives in Summerhill, a small community in Pennsylvania. She currently has to be taken to Childrens Hospital for this treatment. About a one and one half hour drive on a good day.

Kylie is the daughter of Bradley and Dana Klock. Brad and Dana have one other daughter named Cailyn. Fortunately Cailyn has not been affected with this disease.

More information on this disease can be found at: www.ninds.nih.gov/disorders/pompe/pompe.htm

Dave,

I had never heard of Pompe disease until after your phone call and e-mail. I checked the web page. Pompe Disease is a rare and terrible disease. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Lt. Bradley Klock is a 7 year veteran with the Cresson Borough Police Department. Bradley's Grandfather, David Klock is the son of Jesse Thomas Klock (Isaac Augustus, Ira, Isaac, Christian I., John J. Jr., John J., Johannes and Hendrick Klock) and Josephine Brennan.

Subscription to Klock Connections

Your subscription to Klock Connections is due this month. Please send your donation for the newsletter to the Benefit Account for Kylie. Send me an e-mail or a note and let me know you did this and I will include your name on a list of people who donated in the January 2012 issue of the newsletter.

Let's see how much money we can raise together to help Kylie and her family. I have also added a page to the Klock Connections Web Site where I will keep you informed as to Kylie's condition. www.klockconnections.com

“Climbing Your Family Tree”
Episode I



Steve McMurray and Anita Smith

Steve McMurray is the News Director for Channel 2 News in Utica, New York. He also anchors the Live at Five Newshour with Kristen Copeland.

Steve line goes back to Anna Elizabeth Klock. Anna Elizabeth was born about 1733. Anna was the oldest of 8 children born of Johannes Klock and Ann Margaretha Fuchs (Fox). Anna would have been 17 in 1750 when her father built Fort Klock. When Anna was between 23-24 years of age she married George Zimmerman and had 10 children. George Zimmerman served as a private in Capt. Philip Helmer's company of Col. Jacob Klock's 2nd. Regt. of the Tryon County Militia.

George Zimmerman and Anna Elizabeth Klock had a daughter, Anna Zimmerman who married Abner Read. Anna was born in 1770, and was 7 years old when the Battle of Oriskany took place. This was one of the bloodiest battles of the American Revolution. She would have been about 17 years old on October 19th when the battle of Stone Arabia – Klock's field took place. Abner and Anna had eight children. One was Betsey Read who married Isaac Golden. Isaac and Betsey had two children; Abner Justus and Jane Matilda Golden. After the death of his first wife, Betsey Read, Isaac married his wife's sister, Emeline Read and they had three more children. Abner Justus married Catherine Graham. Abner and Catherine had six children. One was Ella J. Golden. Ella J. married Oscar H. Huyck. They had a daughter, Nellie who married Earl Knox. Earl and Nellie had a daughter Eleanor Jane Knox who married Steve's father,

LaVergne McMurray.

Steve visited Fort Klock for the first time on Saturday, October 15, 2011. He did not know he was connected to the Klock Family. His line was researched by Susan R. Perkins and Caryl Hopson of the Herkimer County Historical Society in preparation for a movie called “Climbing Your Family Tree”, produced by Bob Gassman and Mary Ann Aiello from Herkimer County Community College.

Steve is a Frankfort, New York native and graduated from the S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications at Syracuse University with a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science and Broadcast Journalism. Steve worked at WUTR News Channel 20 in Utica for more than 7 years, prior to coming to WKTV, serving as the News Director and 5:00pm anchor for two and a half of those years. He also held the Sports Director position for four years before making the jump to news full-time. Steve still lives in Frankfort, not far from where he grew up, with his wife Carrie, his son Jack, daughter Audrey and his dog Harley. Steve enjoys serving the community. He has been a member of the Frankfort Fire Department for 20 years, where he served as Assistant Chief for the past thirteen. He is now serving as Company President. He is also a Past President of the Frankfort Kiwanis Club and currently sits on the Board of Directors.

Carly, Bob and Mary Ann arrived early at the fort to do some filming and to help “set the stage” for Steve's arrival.



Dave and Darla Klock

Anita Smith, Darla and I dressed in colonial garb for the movie. Anita welcomed Steve to the Fort and told him about the history of the fort. Then she introduced me. I told Steve how he was connected to the Klock Family.

I told him the story about the British soldier who was shot and killed in front of the fort on October 19, 1780. Steve then shot my musket

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out the front door of the fort. Then we took a little trip to the Klock Family Cemetery where Johannes and his father, Hendrick Klock are buried where I pointed out the graves to Steve. That is where the movie ended or began, depending on how you look at it.

It will be a while before the final product has made its way through the editing process at the College. Hopefully there will be a premiere at the College in the spring and then maybe see if it could air it on television - cable access, and possibly WKTV, too.

CHILD'S GAZETTEER OF JEFFERSON COUNTY **TOWN OF ELLISBURGH**

Published in 1890

Hiram G. Walrath, son of Jacob A. and Mary (Klock) Walrath, was born in Montgomery County, N. Y., in 1821. He worked at tailoring until 1844, when he had the misfortune to lose his left arm at the shoulder, by the bursting of a cannon, on the 4th of July. He afterwards engaged in teaching. In 1846 he located in Belleville and purchased the block of stores he now occupies, and engaged in the drug business, while his wife carried on a millinery and fancy goods business. He married Philena M., daughter of Henry and Caroline (Polly) Shaver, in 1848, and they had two sons and two daughters, viz.: Gertrude E. (Mrs. Dennis Young), of Henderson; Lucella F., who died in 1881, aged 28 years; Byron H., of Syracuse; and W. E. The latter was born in 1859, was educated at Union Academy, and graduated in dental surgery at the University of Michigan in June, 1886. He married Elizabeth C., daughter of James and Martha (Harris) Crittenden, in 1887, by whom he has a daughter, Florence C., born in 1888. He is now practicing his profession in the Walrath block. Byron H. married Maria T. Johnson, in 1886, who died at childbirth [sic]. He has a son, Cady B. J.

Additional Information:

Hiram G. Walrath was the son of Jacob A. Walrath and Mary (Polly) Klock. Mary was the daughter of Jacob I. Klock (Johannes and Hendrick Klock) and Anna G. Klock (Johanguergh and Hendrick Klock). Hiram was born in Montgomery

County, N. Y., on June 1, 1821. He was the tenth and last child born to Jacob and Mary Klock Walrath. Hiram married Philena Maria Shaver on April 05, 1869. They had four children.

Gertrude E. Walrath was born first. She was born August 09, 1849 and married Damas W. Young. Gertrude and Damas had two children; Roy Demas and Rena G. Young. Gertrude and Damas were in the Hotel Business. That had a Hotel at Roberts Corners, Jefferson Co., New York. Demas Young was Deputy Sheriff in 1908.

Bryon Walrath was born October 26, 1853. He married Maria T. Johnson. Maria died in childbirth March 6, 1887. They had a son Cady who was born March 5, 1887 and died May 18, 1905.

Luella F. was born October 31, 1853 and died in 1881. No additional information.

Walter Kellogg Walrath was born August 18, 1859. He married Elizabeth Crittenton. Walter and Elizabeth had two children; Florence born in December 1888 and Kellogg C. Walrath, who was born November 18, 1905.

William Anson David

William Anson David was born August 09, 1817 in Syracuse, Onondaga, New York and died in Chatfield, Fillmore, Minnesota. He married (1) Sovian Hall. He married (2) Pamela Klock in 1852, daughter of Archibald Klock and Hannah Moore. She was born August 29, 1837 in Fort Plain, Montgomery Co., New York, and died April 05, 1912 in Grand Meadow, Mower, Minnesota.

William had a total of eighteen children from these marriages. It is said that his first wife Sovian Hall went insane. She believed that she had demons in her chest, which drove her out of her mind. William David gave her a knife as she wanted to cut it out. William then met and married Amelia Klock.

William was a cobbler by trade. He also raised broom corn and cared for it. In the winter, he made his brooms and sold them for .25 cents each. He would travel from town to town.

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William Anson David Continued

William David left Wisconsin for Chatfield, Minnesota when his son Edgar Hiram was 6 months old, which would have been about April 1865. Their reason for moving to Chatfield was that Jim their second born was a good business man, a blacksmith and wagon maker by trade. He made it look rosy to his father, William, who decided to move to Chatfield. He wrote to his wife and told her to sell what she had and come to Chatfield.

The 1870 Fillmore County, Minnesota census records film number 0830423 page #207 lists William David as a farmer born in NY. It also lists his wife as Amelia, 34, and five children. The census lists William as being 46. That would make him born about 1824 which would make him 12 years old when his first son was born. The following Obituary of William, says he was born 1817. He died April 05, 1877.

Obituary Notices
Chatfield, Fillmore/Olmsted County, Minn.

"William A. David Esq., aged 61 years."

"The deceased had been a resident of this vicinity for twelve years or more and was looked up on as an industrious, quiet citizen. He leaves a wife and several sons and daughters to mourn his loss, with whom we deeply sympathize."

George Warden Klock

George Warden Klock was born September 21, 1839 in Fort Plain, New York. He was the son of Archibald Klock and Hannah Moore. He married Emma Jane David on October 4, 1857 in Waukesha, Wisconsin. George Warden Klock was 5'6" ½ inches tall and had dark a complexion and had dark eyes and bleached hair. George was a carpenter by trade. George enlisted to fight in the Civil War in April of 1861 with Company F of the 5th Wisconsin Infantry. Luck was not with George and he was stricken with measles on his first day out in the field. He was transported on an open wagon and in the rain to and ended up in the hospital. He later returned to his regiment but was unable to return to duty. George was discharged, sent home to die on December 9, 1861. With the love and care of his wife and family, and change of climate, he recovered from his disease. From December 1861 to February

1864, George stayed home to fight his illness. George was a patriot and on February 17, 1864 he reenlisted in the 2nd. Battery from Wisconsin where he served until the end of the war. George had a cough that stayed with him the rest of his life. George and his family moved to Washington State in 1902 in hopes that the climate would help his condition. George died March 13, 1905 in Spokane, Washington and is buried in Fairmont Cemetery in Spokane.

George and Emma Jane had four children, Isabelle, Ida, Carrie and Katlee.

Information on William Anson David and George Warden Klock from the Family Tree of Mr. Darrel Ayler of Vancouver, Washington.

Cemetery List



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

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Hillside Cemetery Village of Antwerp Jefferson County, New York

Klock, George E. b. Oct. 17, 1890, d. Dec. 31, 1974, WWI Army Vet. Additional Information: George Erwin Klock was the son of James Klock (George, Jacob Adam, Adam, Adam Johannes, Col. Jacob and Hendrick Klock) and Cora M. Crook. He married a Lean.

Klock, Helen L. 1923-1929, daughter of George & Lean. Additional Information: Helen, the daughter of George Klock and Lean above. Helen died young.

Klock, James 1859-1912. Additional Information: James was the son of George Klock and Mary Walrath. He was the father of George E. above.

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Klock, Lena E. 1901-1960, wife of George E. Additional Information. Lena married George Erwin Klock. I do not have the maiden name. They had one child, Helen (above) who died young.

Klock, Webster J. 1855- 1900. Additional Information: Webster was the son of George Klock (Jacob Adam, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob Klock and Hendrick Klock).and Mary Walrath. He married Fannie E. Crook. They had four children.

Seely, Cassius B.1877-1934. Cassius Seely married Edith Klock below.

Seely, Edith (Klock) 1886-1983, wife of Cassius. Additional Information: Edith was the daughter of James Klock (George, Jacob Adam, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob Klock and Hendrick Klock)and Cora M. Crook.

Seely, James 1926-1964, son of Cassius & Edith Klock Seely. Additional Information: See line above.

**Clayton Cemetery
Town of Clayton
Jefferson County, New York**

Klock, George N. 1862 - 1901. Additional Information: George N. Klock was born March 01, 1862 and died June 27, 1901. I have him as the son of Nathaniel Klock (Harvey, George G.I., George I., Johannes, Han Henrich, and Hendrick Klock) and Mary J. Parker. He married Lucy Johnson on July 4, 1885. George and Lucy had three children; Lottie "Cattie", Hattie and Nathan George Klock.

**Town of Alexandria
Brookside Cemetery
Jefferson County, New York
AKA: Plessis Brookside and Plessis**

Hutton, (Harten), Leona (Klock) b. Feb. 7, 1893, d. Sept. 16, 1992, wife of Henry. Additional Information: Leona was married twice, first to Henry Harden, second to Harry Hutton on . Nov. 8, 1941. She was the daughter of Jordan C. Klock (Levi, Jacob Adam, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob Klock and Hendrick Klock) and Cora Bergen Klock. No Children.

Harten, Henry 1884-1938 Additional Information: (Spouse of Leona Klock above.)

Hutton, Harry L. b. Sept. 10, 1898, d. March 29, 1988, married Nov. 8, 1941. Additional Information: 2nd. Spouse of Leona Klock.

**Town of Orleans
Four Corners Cemetery
Jefferson County, New York**

AKA: Orleans Four Corners Cemetery

Hax, Barnet 1842-1926 CO.G 10TH NY H.ART. C.W. Additional Information: See Below.

Hax, Francina (Klock) 1848-1925, wife of Barnet. Additional Information: Francina Klock Hax was born in the town of Orleans in 1849, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Klock. She was twice married, her first husband being Lorenzo Snell. He met death during the Civil war and Mrs. Snell later married Mr. Hax. One child was born of her first marriage, a son, Lorenzo. She may have been the daughter of Jacob Adam Klock. (Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob, and Hendrick Klock) or she may have been the daughter of Adam (son of Jacob Adam) and Martha Clock. She is listed on the 1860 census for Orleans, Jefferson, New York living with Elijah Klock who was 25. Francina was 12. She was too old to be his daughter, she was either his sister or niece.

Hax, Mable M. d, Feb. 15, 1876 (1 yrs. 1mo. 1day) Dau. of Barnet & Francina. Additional Information: See Above.

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