



Klock Connections

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Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Theodore Klock, Jr.

Jacob Theodore Klock, Jr. was born in 1936 in Drumright, Oklahoma, a small oil field town. His grandfather, William Helmer Klock left New York with his wife and several small children during the Oklahoma Land Rush in 1887. His father, Jacob Theodore Klock Sr. was born in a dugout on the homestead obtained his grandfather. "The homestead is still in the family today but there are over 50 heirs at last count. My grandfather later opened a small grocery and feed store in Drumright where I was born. My father worked in the oil fields and I spent most of my childhood in various oil towns in Oklahoma, except for three years which I spent in the

Seattle area during WW II." Ted told me in a recent e-mail.

Jacob Theodore Klock, Jr. or "Ted" as he likes to be called, has held many jobs in his lifetime, which include; Paper boy, Service Station Attendant, Soda Jerk, Roughneck, Janitor, Waiter, Electricians Helper, Mechanic, Paper Grader, Engineer, Aerobics Instructor, Carpenter, Real Estate Broker, Salesman, Builder and Developer, Oil Operator, Business Owner, and Teacher. Ted worked his way through college and got his engineering degree at Oklahoma State University in 1958. Then he went to work for Magnolia Oil in Dallas as a Design Engineer. There he met and married Fredda Annette Ware who was from Corsicana Texas, and who also worked at Magnolia Oil. They have no children yet, but they are still trying according to Ted. He worked in sales for Mobil until he was 35 and then decided to try home building, but before he started his home construction business he and his wife decided to take a vacation, a grand tour of Europe, which lasted four months. He built houses for three years and then purchased a small oil lease. He continued in his construction business while operating his oil business. When he was 48, he bought a local scrap yard and operated it for 12 years. He had time while running the scrap yard to drive 18-wheelers for a couple of years. Then when he was 65, a position opened in the local community college and he taught John Deere technology full time for two years and then began teaching math part time, which he still does today.

"I have had several jobs during my live and have gained valuable experience from them all. One day I will make up my mind what I want to do for a living." Ted told me.

I met Ted and a couple others members of his family when he attended the 2001 Klock Family Reunion at Fort Klock. I believe the line of Jacob Theodore Klock, Jr. would go like this; Jacob T., William Helmer, Ira Martin, Robert Klock, Henrick Johannes, Johannes J., and Hendrick Klock.

Ted, Robert and Mary Agnes Klock attended the Klock Family Reunion, August of 2001 and provided some information on their Klock Family. The information is on line on the Klock Connections Web Page. Look under Klock, William Helmer.

Klocks of Norway

I received an e-mail from Hanne Klock who lives in Norway. He told me that there were 91 Klocks in Norway over the age of 20. "The oldest one is Mary Augusta Klock born in 1908."

I had no idea there were so many Klocks in Norway. I have added his address to my mailing list for the newsletter. Klock Connections is becoming a real International Newsletter! I now send the newsletter to Klock families in Canada, Germany, England, France, Australia, Japan, Brazil and now, Norway.

Your Genealogy Corner

Marjorie Hankins, Newmarket, On. Canada, e-mail me asking for information on Jacob Vanloom.

Hello Dave,

I very recently went back a generation with my Vanloon family and found that my 3x great grandparents were Jacob Vanloon and his wife Eva Klock. In their son Jacob's obituary he said he was a native of Montgomery Co., NY. but as a young man he moved to Erie Co., PA where he married in 1838. In 1868 he moved to Nemaha Co, KS, where he was joined by his brother John and later his widowed sister Amelia Ann Lee. Jacob died in 1881 and named another brother Sylvester of Sauk Co., Wisc, and a sister Jane Paddock, also of that place. In the 1860 census of Girard, Erie, PA, Jacob was enumerated as Jacob Jr., and I found a Jacob Vanloon with his wife Eva living next door to Jane Paddock and her family. In the Pleasant Valley Cemetery of Sauk Co, Wisc.

I found Jacob Vanloon 1775-1869 with his wife Eva Klock 1785-1861. In 1820 the only Vanloon in Montgomery was Peter and his stats did not fit in with Jacob's family.

Have you seen any sign of this family in your research?

Here is an overview of the family as well as I have been able to piece it together so far.

Jacob Vanloon NY 1775-1869 WI
married Eva Klock NY1785- 1861 WI
* John NY1806- 1870 KS m Jane Cameron
near Watertown. They moved to
Canada about 1830 and had children
Martha(LYMAN); Caroline; John Malcolm;
Jane(SAMS); Gershom; Catherine
Marinda(SAMS)

* Jacob NY 1808-1881 KS. Went to PA,
married Margaret Laughlin. Moved to
KS. No children. Jacob was called Col.
Vanloon but have not found anything
about his military service..

* Jane NY 1816/18 - post 1880 WI, married
Daniel Paddock. Children: Ann
(MICHIE); Laura (FORCE); George J.

* Amelia Anne NY 1823 - 1880 KS. I believe
she went with her brother John
and his wife to Canada. She married there
Anson LEE who died in 1870. She came with
her daughter Rose to KS and lived with Jacob
after his wife died. Her children Charles C.;
Rose(McDONALD); George W; Laura Ann;
Walter Ryerson.

* Sylvester NY 1830c -? Was living in Wisc.
when I found him yesterday.

Married in 1850 to Rhoda 17. By 1870 they had
children: Eva; Anne;
Caroline; Martha; Mary; Minnie; Ardell &
Sarah.

If you perchance can point me to any sources
that might identify these folk further I would be
extremely grateful.

There are literally dozens of Jacob Vanloons
and quite a number of them in my Jacob's birth
frame - none of which seem to fit so far.

Regards.

Marjorie Hankins,
Newmarket, ON, Canada.

Hi Marjorie,

I don't have anything on a Jacob Van Loom.
The only possible Eva Klock I have on my tree
is the daughter of **Continued Next Page**

Genealogy Corner Continued

Honjost Klock and Catharine Krauss (Crouse). Not saying she is..... just possible as I have nothing on her except she was born between 1767-89. Did find this: Pleasant Valley Cemetery Excelsior Township, Sauk County, Wisconsin

Van Loon, Eva (Klock), d. Aug 14, 1859, 74y, wife, s/w Jacob Van Loon, Center Section

Van Loon, Jacob, d. Feb 23, 1869, 94y, s/w Eva Van Loon, Center Section

I found the 1860 Census for Girard, Erie, Pa. for Jacob Vanloom Jr. who was married to a Margaret with Phobe A Williams (13) This would make you think that this was a second marriage for Margaret. Relationship not given, so could also be a daughter of a sister, brother or friend. This is probably the son of Jacob Vanloom who married Eva. There is also a James Vanloom, listed on the 1860, Girard, Erie, Pennsylvania as 24, and working on a farm. This could be the son of Jacob Jr. and Margaret

Jacob Vanloom (42) is also listed on the 1850 Census, Girard, Erie, Pa. as a Butcher, with his wife, Margaret listed on the next page. No children are listed with them. If this Phobe A Williams was a daughter of Margaret, seems like she would be with her when she was 3 year old.

The census before 1850 isn't much good for research as only head of household is listed and there are several Jacob Vanlooms listed. The Archives in Albany is your best bet to find something on Jacob Sr. who married Eva Klock. Sorry, I can't be of any more help. I would think that this Eva, was the daughter of Honjost Klock and Catharine Krauss (Crouse) but I can not be sure.

I will put your inquire in my newsletter

and see if any of my readers have any information.

If you have any information, Marjorie can be reached at the following e-mail address; mandf.hankins@sympatico.ca



**In Memory of
Sandra Kay Breitner**
The Blade, Toledo,
Ohio
May/3/2004

Sandra Kay Breitner of Riga, Michigan, passed away Saturday, May 1, 2004, at the Hospice of Northwest Ohio, after a brief and courageous battle with cancer. She was to celebrate her 51st birthday on May 9th. A dedicated wife and mother, Sandy enjoyed gardening, scrapbooking, genealogy, and watching, feeding, and photographing birds and wildlife. Since childhood, she was licensed as an amateur radio operator with the call of: WA8QVW. She was a long-time employee of Laberde Construction as a secretary.

Left to cherish her memory are her loving husband of 32 years, Randy; children, Ken (Regina DeShetler) Breitner of Ottawa Lake, and Dan and Becky Breitner of Riga; mother, Marge Klock; grandchildren, Cassie and Chris DeShetler, and sisters, Charlene (Jim) Roof of North Carolina and Mary Jo (Tim) Barnett of Indiana. She was preceded in death by her infant daughter, Jennifer Lynn, and father, Kenneth Klock.

Friends may call at the Reeb Funeral Home, 5712 N. Main St., Sylvania, on Tuesday, May 4, 2004, from 4-9 p.m. and again on Wednesday morning from 10-11 a.m. The funeral service will follow at 11:30 a.m. at Whiteford Wesleyan Church, 10285 Sylvania Petersburg Rd., Ottawa Lake, MI, Reverend Richard L. Deisler officiating. Interment Pleasantview Cemetery. Contributions may be made to the Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Perrysburg. **Continued Next Page**

In Memory Continued

I have the line of Sandra Kay Brietner as; Kenneth O. Klock, Freeman E., Elijah Clock, David Clock, Jacob Conrad Clock, Conrad Clock, and Hendrick Klock. I have talked with Sandy on the telephone and we have enjoyed sharing information on the Klock Family. She received the Klock Family Newsletter and enjoyed researching and genealogy. I continue to send the Newsletter to her husband, Randy. I have met a few members of her family at the 2001 Klock Reunion and at a Klock Reunion that was held at my cousin, Jerry's cabin in 2002.

I had just recently found her obituary. It came as a shock to find out that she had died. My condolences go out to her husband, Randy and her entire family.

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My sincere condolences also go out to my sister, Carol on the death of her husband and my brother-in-law, Ray Dodd who lost his fight with cancer March 4, 2006.

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Bobcats!

I received an e-mail 3/18/06 from Konrad and Nancy Langlie who live near Rensselaer, New York.

"They're back. The Bobcat that I used to think was extinct in this part of New York is back. We have been seeing the remains of dead animals around our pond lately and saw a big animal this morning walking around our pond near the muskrat dens. We watched a big cat, bigger than our English Springer Spaniel, through our binoculars and telescope from the kitchen. From its color and size we thought at first it might be a mountain lion. It stayed still long enough for us to identify it as a bobcat. They eat rabbits and we have lots of them this year. The only animal that we haven't seen near our pond so far is a bear."

I have heard reports of people in Michigan spotting bobcats.. The DNR reports that there are no bobcats in Michigan. I don't know what position the

DNR in New York takes on this issue.

Personally, I believe the reports and I think the DNR in Michigan should reexamine their opinion.

James Raymond Brown

James Raymond Brown was the son of George W. Brown and Martha "Klock" Brown (Jonas, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Colonel Jacob Klock and Hendrick Klock). James received his early education in the public school of Dolgeville, New York, but left school at the age of sixteen and went to work with his father on the farm.

George W. Brown was born in Brocketts Bridge, now Dolgeville, on February 28, 1835 and died in that village on May 16, 1900. George Brown was the son of James Brown and Sophia (Brockett) Brown. James was named after his Grandfather. His mother, Martha was born in Salisbury, New York on March 22, 1837 and died in Dolgeville in 1906. She was the daughter of Jonas and Sarepta (Carlisle) Klock.

James remained on the family farm working with his father for twelve years. He then went into the grocery business in Dolgeville with John J. Donovan. The firm was named Brown & Donovan and they conducted the business for three years. In 1905, James then took a course in the business college at Syracuse, New York and afterward worked as assistant postmaster and clerk in the post office in Dolgeville. Then on January 1, 1909 he began working for the Dolgeville Felt Shoe Company as a clerk and was in charge of the ticket and order office of the company. James was also village clerk in Dolgeville for two years.

James married Miss Ella E. Reilly on July 2, 1912 in Dolgeville. She was the daughter of John and Mary (Bergan) Reilly. She was educated in the public schools in Stratford. James was among the influential and public-spirited of Dolgeville. He was a member Dolgeville Lodge No. 796, F. & A.M.; Oriental Chapter No. 305, R.A.M.; and of Little Falls Commandery No 26, Knights Templar. He attended the Universalist church and in politics was a staunch republican. **Continued Next Page**

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He also liked reading and automobiling. He took great pleasure in the society of his friends.

Information: History of the Mohawk Valley—Gateway to the West –1614-1925 Volume III Page 382. Found on line on Darci's Place of Origins.
<http://darcisplace.com>

Genealogy—Cemetery List Continued
Oak Hill Cemetery, Herkimer,
Herkimer Co., New York

Klock, William 1831-1909, spouse Celia Bliss. Additional Information: William Klock, Jr. (William, Jacob Clock, Jacob Conrad Clock, Conrad Clock, and Hendrick Klock) was born August 27, 1831.

Rural Park Cemetery
Old Section Ingham Mills
Town of Manheim

Klock, Addie V., b. 1866 d. 1940
No Additional Information.

Klock, Albert G. 1845-1918, spouse of Emma F. Additional Information: Albert G. Klock (Daniel, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Jacob, and Hendrick Klock) was born August 15, 1845 and died November 11, 1918. He married Emma Wolfe, who was born January 19, 1856 and died February 29, 1944. Albert and Emma had two children; Mabel, b. September 14, 1887; Roy E. Klock, born September 09, 1891.

Klock, Almira, d. 4/10/1865 aged 44 yrs. 1 month, spouse of Amos Klock. Almira Davis married Amos Klock and had six children; Amy Alvira, Harriet, Catharine, Ellen, Joseph Martin and Mary.

Klock, Amos, 3/31/1870 aged 47 yrs. 8 mo. 18 days, spouse of Almira. Additional Information: Amos Klock (Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Col. Jacob Klock and

Hendrick Klock) was born July 13, 1822 and died March 31, 1870. Children listed under Almira.

Klock, Amy Alvira, d. 7/16/1865 aged 4 mo. daughter of Amos and Almira Davis Klock
Additional Information: See line under Amos.

Klock, Areli, d. 8/17/1908 aged 87 yrs. 5 mo. 12 days, son of John G. and Gertrude.
Additional Information: Areli Klock (Johann George, George I., Johannes, Henrich Jr. and Hendrick Klock) was born March 11, 1822 and died August 17, 1908. He married Mary "Polly" Klock, the daughter of George G.I. Klock and Harriet Goodale. Mary was born February 25, 1831 and died February 15, 1913. Areli and Mary had three children; Harriet Ellen, Theron Henry and Fayette John Klock.

Klock, Barbary, d. 7/13/1842, died in her 77 year, spouse George I Klock. Additional Information: Barbara Baulder married George I. Klock (Johannes, Henrich Jr. and Hendrick Klock) She was born July 13, 1764 and died July 13, 1842.

Klock, Bert Yale, b. 1870-1907, son of Sylvester and Emogene. Additional Information: Bert Yale Klock (Sylvester, Daniel, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Jacob and Hendrick Klock) I don't know who he married.

Klock, Catherine d. 6-19-1855, aged 25 yrs., 2 mo. No Additional Information

Klock, Claude W. b. 1890 d. unknown.
Additional Information. I have a Claude W. Klock (William D., Daniel, Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Jacob and Hendrick Klock) that was born October 02, 1890 and died March 1955. I do not know who he married.

Klock, Daniel, d. 1/25/1880, spouse of Mary Ann. Additional Information: Daniel (Adam, Adam Johannes, Adam, Jacob and Hendrick Klock) was born January 22, 1818 and died January 25, 1880. He married Mary Ann Claus. Daniel and Mary Ann had six children.

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