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Generation One

1. William Bremner #26891.

He married (unidentified) #26892.

Children:

2. i. Alexander Elliott Bremner #26884 b. c 1825.

Generation Two

Alexander Elliott Bremner #26884, b. c 1825 in Scotland,¹ occupation Japan Leather Worker, d. before 1900 in Ashtabula?, OH, USA.² 1860-80: Lived in Newark 6th Ward with family.

Married 21 DEC 1847 in Christ Church, Tynemouth, NBL, ENG,³ Elizabeth Snaith #26885, b. c 1828 in England,¹ (daughter of John Snaith #26893 and (unidentified) #26894). Elizabeth:

1900: Lived next door to son Ernest and family at 584 Lake St., Ashtabula, OH.

Children:

Alexander Bremner #26886, b. 09 NOV 1849 in England*, occupation Japan Leather Worker 1870, d. 09 MAR 1922 in Geneva, Ashtabula Co., OH, USA, buried 12 MAR 1922 in Ashtabula, OH, USA. 1860 gives birthplace of New Jersey, 1870 -80 census has birthplace of England.

He married **Clara Dewey** #26890, b. c 1861 in England, ⁵ (daughter of **Percival Dewey** #60912 and **Emma Bond** #60913), d. 05 FEB 1925 in Ashtabula County, OH, USA. ⁶ **Clara**: Father born England, mother born New Jersey.

- ii. Elizabeth Bremner #26887, b. c 1854 in New Jersey, USA.1
- iii. **Robert W. Bremner** #26888, b. c 1861 in Newark?, NJ, USA, occupation Japanner 1880. 1880: Lived with family in Newark.
- 3. iv. Ernest Edward Bremner #26960 b. 23 JAN 1863.

Generation Three

3. Ernest Edward Bremner #26960, b. 23 JAN 1863 in New Jersey, USA, do to DEC 1946 in 99 West 43rd Street, Ashtabula, OH, USA, occupation Japanner, Leather Company. 1900: Lived at 582 Lake St., Ashtabula, OH. 1910: Lived Serson? St., Ashtabula with family. 1920: Widowed? living with son William and family. Note that wife Amelia was alive at his death in 1946.

Married c 1884, Amelia Haas #26961, b. 1866 in New Jersey, USA. Amelia: 1900: Parents born Germany.

Children:

- 4. i. **Grace A. Bremner** #61601 b. c 1884.
 - ii. Horace Elroy Bremner #31099, b. 19 JUL 1888 in Ashtabula?, OH, USA, 10 occupation 1922 Leather Worker, occupation 1940 Color Mixer, Tannery, d. 20 NOV 1960 in Ashtabula, OH, USA. 11 1930: Lived at 142 North Ridge East, Ashtabula, OH.

1940: Lived at 1619 East Prospect Road, East Ashtabula, OH. No children.

Date from World War 1 US Draft Record is 17 JUL 1889... World War II Draft Records (ancestry.com), date 17 JUL 1888

Married 02 FEB 1922 in Ashtabula County, OH, USA, ¹² **Bertha M. Gorenflo** #61537, b. c 1897 in West Springfield, OH, USA, ¹³ (daughter of **Ben Gorenflo** #61538 and **Rose Turner** #61539).

- 5. iii. William Edgar Bremner #26943 b. 10 MAR 1885.
 - iv. Ella Bremner #31100, b. SEP 1891 in Ashtabula?, OH, USA. 10
 - v. **Harry Bremner** #31101, b. 06 SEP 1893 in Ashtabula, OH, USA, ¹⁴ occupation 1925 Railway Clerk, occupation 1940 Bartender, Retail Liquor.

1922: Lived in Ashtabula, OH at time of first marriage.

1925: Lived at 189429 Sloane Avenue, Lakewood, OH at time of marriage.

1940: Lived at 930 11th Street, St. Petersburg with wife Edna.

1946: Informant at father's death.

(1) Married 14 JUN 1922 in Cuyahoga County, OH, USA, ¹⁵ **Myrta Stinson** #61578, b. c 1893 in Andover, OH, USA, ¹⁶ (daughter of **John Stinson** #61597 and **Addie Henry** #61598), d. before JUL 1925. ¹⁷ **Myrta**:

- 1922: Residence when married: 1182 East 87th Street, Cleveland, OH.
 (2) Married 08 JUN 1925 in Medina County, OH, USA, 18 Edna K. Kline #61579, b. c 1891 in Erie, PA, USA, 19 (daughter of William G. Kline #61580 and Frona Heideer #61581), occupation 1925 Housekeeper. Edna: 1925: Lived in Litchfield Township, OH at time of marriage.
- vi. Ernest Edgar Bremner #31102, b. 03 MAR 1898 in Ashtabula, OH, USA. 20 occupation 1938 Leather Worker. occupation 1940 Foreman, Leather Manufacturer. 1940: Lived with wife (no children) at 5139 Reed Avenue, Ashtabula, OH.

Married 28 MAY 1938 in Ashtabula County, OH, USA, 21 Dagmar Shields #61545, b. c 1909 in Ashtabula, Ohio, USA, 22 (daughter of Ernest A. Shields #61546 and Esther Peterson #61547), occupation 1938 Bookkeeper.

vii. Edna A. Bremner #31166 b. 15 FEB 1902. 6.

Generation Four

4. Grace A. Bremner #61601, b. c 1884 in Newark, NJ, USA, 23 occupation 1930 Clerical Work, Department Store. 1930: Widowed, lived at 1454 Madison Avenue, Lakewood, Cuyahoga County, OH with 16 year old daughter Jean.

Married 17 JUN 1908 in Ashtabula County, OH, USA,²⁴ William David Strong #61602, b. c 1874 in Geneva, OH, USA,²⁵ (son of Nathan J. Strong #61603 and Charlotte A. Hamilton #61604), d. before 1930, cocupation 1908-1920 Automobile Salesman. William: 1920: Lived with widowed mother and family at 412 Main Street, Ashtabula, OH.

Children:

Jean Lucile Strong #61605, b. 26 FEB 1914 in Ashtabula, OH, USA, 27 occupation 1934 Stenographer.

Married 24 NOV 1934 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, OH, USA, 28 John D. Wing #61606, b. c 1913 in Cleveland, OH, USA, 29 (son of George C. Wing #61607 and Genevieve H. Kerr #61608), occupation 1934 Clerk. John: 1934: Lived with bride-to-be at 1438 Newman Avenue, Cleveland, OH when married.

5. William Edgar Bremner #26943, b. 10 MAR 1885 in New Jersey, USA, 30 occupation Foreman, Leather Company. 1920: Family lived on Jackson St., Conneaut, OH. Parents born New Jersey. 1930: Family lived at 632 Broad St., Conneaut, OH. (Name BREMMER in census.) Note that his father is shown as being born in England in this census.

Married 25 MAY 1909 in Ashtabula County, OH, USA, 31,32 Anna Keenan #26944, b. c 1888 in Ashtabula, OH, USA, 33 (daughter of Clarence Keenan #61554 and Josephine Reed #61555). Anna: Father born Ireland, mother born Pennsylvania.

Children:

- 7. Horace Elroy Bremner #26945 b. 02 MAY 1911.
 - Emergane (Jean) Bremner #26951, b. c 1913 in Conneaut, OH, USA.³⁴ 2004: Lived in Euclid, OH.

She married³⁵ (unidentified) Robertson #26956.

iii. Anna Bremner #26952, b. 04 JUL 1914 in Conneaut, OH, USA, 36 d. 09 MAR 1988 in Hampton, VA, USA. 37

She married (unidentified) Harpool #26957.

iv. **Josephine Bremner** #26950, b. c 1916 in Conneaut, OH, USA.³³ 2004: Lived in Euclid, OH.

Married 15 FEB 1947 in Ashtabula County, OH, USA, 38 Harry B. Wallace #26955, b. c 1910 in Conneaut. OH, USA, ³⁹ (son of **Phinn H. Wallace** #61548 and **Mary Baker** #61549), occupation 1947 Machinist.

Ella Marie Bremner #26953, b. 16 JUL 1917 in Conneaut, OH, USA, 40 d. 29 JUN 1993 in Ohio, USA. 41

Married 30 MAY 1942 in Conneaut, OH, USA, 42 Robert Wayne Hare #26958, b. c 1919 in Conneaut, OH, USA, 43 (son of Lyle J. Hare #61550 and Laura Smith #61551).

- 8. vi. William (Billy) Bremner #26954 b. c 1923.
- 6. Edna A. Bremner #31166, b. 15 FEB 1902 in Ashtabula, OH, USA, 44 occupation 1926 Bookkeeper.

Married 09 APR 1926 in Ashtabula, OH, USA, ¹² **Nelson D. Harper** #61540, b. 23 MAR 1902 in Barnesville, OH, USA, ⁴⁵ (son of **James P. Harper** #61541 and **Ida I. Douglass** #61542), occupation 1926 Chauffeur, occupation 1930 Operator, Filling Station, d. 1936 in Ohio, USA. **Nelson**:

1930: Lived with family at 102 Chestnut Street, Geneva Village, Ashtabula Co., OH.

Children:

- Douglas D. Harper #61543, b. c 1927 in Geneva, Ashtabula Co., OH, USA. 1930: Age at time of census: 3 years, 5 months.
- Beverley Jeanne Harper #61544, b. 1929 in Geneva Village, Ashtabula Co., OH, USA. 46 1930: Age at time of census: 8 months.

Generation Five

 Horace Elroy Bremner #26945, b. 02 MAY 1911 in Conneaut, OH, USA, 47 d. 25 MAY 2004 in Anchorage, AK, USA, 48 occupation Aircraft Electrician. 1943: Moved to Alaska. 2005: Family lived at 2308 Culver Place, Anchorage, AK.

He married A. Louise (unidentified) #26946.

Children:

- i. Susan Bremner, 35 #26947. 2004: Lived in Anchorage, AK.
- ii. **William (Bill) Bremner**, 35 #26948. 2004: Lived in San Diego.
- iii. Steven Jeffry Bremner, 35 #26949. 2005: Lived at 1106 Wishire Ave., Anchorage, AK.
- 8. William (Billy) Bremner #26954, b. c 1923 in Conneaut, OH, USA, 49 occupation 1951 Press Operator, occupation Ironworker, d. 10 FEB 1994 in Bedford, OH, USA. 50

Married 24 JUL 1951 in Cuyahoga County, OH, USA,⁵⁰ **Stella Schaefer** #26959, b. 04 JAN 1922 in Minnesota, USA,⁵¹ (daughter of **Henry Shaefer** #61552 and **Alma Singley** #61553). **Stella**: Lived in Bedford, OH.

Children:

i. **Donald Bremner**, ⁵⁰ #29746. 1994: Lived in Independence, OH.

He married **Rebecca A. Eland**,⁵¹ #30008.

ii. **William Bremner**, ⁵⁰ #29747. 1994: Lived in Bedford, OH.

- iii. Hollis Bremner, 50 #29748. 1994: Lived in North Royalton, OH.
- Craig R. Bremner #29749, b. 04 JAN 1952?.⁵² 1994: Lived in Maple Heights, OH. 2005: Lived at 15512 Fernway Drive, Maple Heights. Bought house from John J. SHIRILLA.

He married Patricia A. Shirilla #30007.

- v. Nedra Bremner, 50 #29750. 1994: Lived in Solon, OH.
- vi. **Laurel Bremner**, ⁵⁰ #29751. 1994: Lived in Sagamore Hills, OH.

¹ 1870 Newark, NJ census; age/birthplace.

Wife Elizabeth living next door to son Ernest in 1900.

³ British Vital Records Index, Vol. II.

⁴ Ohio Death Records, ref. fn 129378, film 1991913, folder 004022278, image 01452.

⁵ 1880 Newark, NJ census; age/birthplace.

⁶ Ohio Death Records, familysearch.org.

⁷ 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace. Note that 1930 Conneaut census for son William gives birthplace as England... that was his father.

- ⁸ Ohio Deaths 1908-1953; ref. 71239-1946; c/d: Coronary Thrombosis, 3 days; General Arteriosclerosis and Hypertension; Informant Harry BREMNER.
- Married 16 years (1900 Ohio census).
- 1900 Ashtabula census; age/birth state/parents.
- Ohio Death Records, ref. Vol. 16315, Cert. 76297.
- ¹² LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 005016803-00870.
- ¹³ Age/birthplace from marriage certificate.
- ¹⁴ 1900 Ashtabula census; age/birth state/parents; * date from World War 1 US Draft Record, date.
- LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 004260652-00545.
- Age/birthplace from marriage certificate, 1922.
- Harry was shown as a widower at second marriage.
- ¹⁸ LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 004016732-00216.
- Details from marriage certificate, 1925.
- ²⁰ 1900 Ashtabula census; age/birth state/parents; date from World War 1 US Draft Record.
- ²¹ LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 005016805-00698.
- ²² Age/birthplace from marriage certificate, 1938.
- ²³ 1908 marriage certificate/age/birthplace/relationship.
- ²⁴ LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 004016983-00272.
- ²⁵ 1908 Ohio Marriage certificate; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ²⁶ Grace shown as widowed in 1930 Ohio census.
- ²⁷ 1920 Ashtabula, OH census; age/birthplace/relationship; Ohio Birth Index ref. 1914014549.
- Ohio County Marriages, ref. 21566, page 114 (ancestry.com).
- ²⁹ 1934 Ohio Marriages; age/birthplace/relationship.
- 30 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace; date from World War 1 US Draft Record.
- ³¹ 1930 Conneaut census gives age at marriage for William as 24.
- 32 LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 004016983-00398.
- ³³ 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace.
- 34 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace; Newsbank, Anchorage Daily News, 03 JUN 2004.
- Newsbank, Anchorage Daily News, 03 JUN 2004.
- ³⁶ 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace; SSDI date.
- ³⁷ SSDI SSN 285-10-1527.
- 38 LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 005016807-00615.
- ³⁹ Details from marriage certificate, 1947.
- ⁴⁰ 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace, Ohio deaths date.
- ⁴¹ Ohio Deaths, SSN 268-12-2547.
- ⁴² LDS Ohio County Marriages, 1789-1994; ref. 005016806-00615.
- ⁴³ Marriage certificate, 1942; age/birthplace.
- 44 1910 Ashtabula, OH census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- ⁴⁵ Marriage certificate, 1926; age/birthplace.
- ⁴⁶ 1930 Geneva Village, Ashtabula Co., OH census; age/birthplace/relationship.
- Anchorage Daily News 03 JUN 2004 obituary; 1920 Conneaut City, OH census; age/birthplace. FindUSA SEP 2005 has birthdate 15 MAY 1911.
- ⁴⁸ Anchorage Daily News 03 JUN 2004 obituary.
- ⁴⁹ 1930 Conneaut, OH census; age/birthplace.
- Newsbank, The Plain dealer, Cleveland, 12 FEB 1994.
- ⁵¹ FindUSA SEP 2005.
- Newsbank, The Plain dealer, Cleveland, 12 FEB 1994; FindUSA SEP 2005.