

To-Do Report

Individual: **Anna Elizabeth Kelley**
 Birth: 19 Mar 1825, , Livingston, New York
 Marriage: Lyman Simmons (1821-1900) m.3 Apr 1842 in Wheatfield, Niagara, New York
 Death: 5 Dec 1858
 Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan
 Parents: Hugh Kelly and Ann

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
1 Aug 2008	Clear up death date of Ann Kelley Simmons	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority:	Low	
Status:	Open	
Type:	Research	
Description:	See the US Census of 1860 and determine that the census is incorrect and why?	
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Individual: **Orvilla M. Whitmore**

Birth: 4 Dec 1869, , Michigan

Marriage: William Daniel Bennett (Abt 1869-) m.Abt 1891 in , Michigan

Parents: Elias Whitmore and Mary Jane Chilson

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
24 Nov 2008	Confirm given names of Orvilla.	
Category:	Family Members	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Prior to the 1910 US Census given name has been documented consistantly as Orvilla E. In the 1910 US Census William D. Bennett's wife is stated as Emma O. So the question is: what are the given names of his wife? Orvilla Emma or Emma Orvilla or something else?	
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Individual: **Arlie Eunice Moon**

Birth: Abt 1883, , , Michigan

Death: Abt 1899

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Parents: Chancey Moon and Anna E. Simmons

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
29 Oct 2008	Determine actual birth date of Arlie.	
Category:	Birth Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Using the US Census records is not useful to determine his actual birth and death approximate dates. By viewing the time span between births of all of Chansey and Anna's children it appears that the most likely time for Arlie to have been born is between 1882 and 1884 between Charles and John.	
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Individual: **Frank B. Hall**

Birth: 28 Mar 1869, , , Minnesota

Marriage: Ellen Cornelia (Ella) Simmons (Abt 1855-) m.20 Dec 1913 in Greenville, Montcalm, Michigan

Death: 30 Dec 1939, Eureka Twp, Montcalm, Michigan

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
30 Dec 2008	Determine location of birth.	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low		
Status: Open		
Type: Research		
Description:	Currently, I have Frank Hall as being born in Minnesota but the 1920 US Census indicates that he was born in Kansas.	
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Individual: **Irvin Brown Moon**

Birth: After Jan 1890, , , Michigan

Death: Abt 1891

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Parents: Chancey Moon and Anna E. Simmons

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
29 Oct 2008	Determine the actual birth date.	
Category:	Birth Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Using the US Census records is not useful to determine his actual birth and death approximate dates. By viewing the time span between births of all of Chansey and Anna's children it appears that the most likely time for Irvin to have been born is in the first half of 1890. Or between 1882 and 1884 between Charles and John.	
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Individual: **Henry Nathaniel Simmons**

Birth: 9 Jan 1860, Lowell, Kent, Michigan, USA

Marriage: Melissa Carolina Conklin (Abt 1867-) m.24 Dec 1882 in , Montcalm, Michigan

Death: Abt 1951

Burial: , Dewitt, Clinton, Michigan, USA

Parents: Edward Simmons and Betsey Weed

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
23 Jan 2009	Determine when Betsey Weed died.	
Category:	Death Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	This census indicates that Henry (40) was living in DeWitt with his wife Malissa (32) and children Nina (13), Nancy A. (11), Nora (9), Solar (5) and his mother Betsey (78). Also, this census indicates that Edward Baldwin (76) is living at this residence. A note: there is a Baldwin family living next door, is there a link to Edward with this family? What is the relationship of Edward Baldwin to Henry Simmons? Although, this census indicates that Betsey is living her tombstone in DeWitt Cemetery indicates her life span is 1820-1899. So, the question is when did Betsey actual pass away?	
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Individual: **Abel Jesse Simmons**

AKA: Able, Jesse

Birth: 24 May 1832, Rotterdam, Schenectady, New York, USA

Marriage: Alvira Courser (Abt 1826-1898) m.24 Oct 1858 in Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Death: 8 Jul 1914, Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Parents: William Simmons and Betsey Ives

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
27 Aug 2008	Locate 1880 and 1900 US Census records	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Find the US Census records for Abel Simmons for the census year 1900.	
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Individual: **Amos Simmons**

Birth: 14 Feb 1830, Rotterdam, Schenectady, New York, USA

Marriage: Emily Emma Tanner (Abt 1835-1877) m.4 Jul 1854 in Ionia, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Marriage: Hannah Mary (Holcomb) Medow (Abt 1847-) m.26 Oct 1880 in Ionia, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Death: 26 Mar 1896, Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan, USA

Burial: , Soldiers Home North Park Grand Rapids, Kent, Michigan

Parents: William Simmons and Betsey Ives

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
6 Feb 2009	Need to locate the 1870 US Census for Amos.	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Can not find the 1870 US Census for Amos Simmons. All indications are that he is living in either Ionia or Kent counties in 1870 however, can not seem to find him listed in the census.	
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Individual: **Almyra Clark**

Birth: Abt 1841, , , Michigan

Marriage: Henry Kreps (1818-1870) m.20 Dec 1859 in La Salle, Monroe, Michigan, USA

Death: 23 Mar 1862

Parents: William Stymson Clark and Mary Jane French

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
14 Nov 2008	Research conflict in birth dates.	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	The 1860 US Census indicates that Ann is 19 years old making her birth year about 1841. Another document, attached to Ann and husband Henry, indicates that her birth year is 1839. Which year is correct?	
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Individual: **John W. Young**

Birth: Abt 1870, , , Michigan

Marriage: Sarah Adelaide Whitmore (Abt 1873-) m.Abt 1889

Death: Abt 1946

Parents: Anson W. Young and Polly Ann Simmons

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
4 Aug 2008	Research non family child living with Vernon.	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Who is Margie Girard (9) and why is she living with Vernon and Sarah as of the 1910 US Census?	
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Individual: **Comfort Millard**

Birth: Abt 1794, , , New York

Marriage: Mary Ann Godfrey (Abt 1805-)

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
14 Nov 2008	Research possible relationships.	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low		
Status: Open		
Type: Research		
Description:	In the 1860 US Census record for Comfort Millard there is an Alfred Millard (31) born in New York living nearby. Is Alfred related to Comfort in any way?	
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Individual: **Anson W. Young**

Birth: 10 Feb 1819, , , New York

Christening: 17 Mar 1819

Marriage: Mary A. Unknown (Abt 1827-)

Marriage: Polly Ann Simmons (1834-1911) m.19 Oct 1862 in Ionia, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Death: 17 Dec 1890, Ionia, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
11 Nov 2008	Research residences of 1880 US Census.	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low		
Status: Open		
Type: Research		
Description:	<p>Anson has two relatives living with him (besides his immediate family) in the 1880 US Census of Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan. They are: niece Hester Simmons (15) and nephew William Coe (25). There is a niece of Hester Adel Simmons b. 1867 making her 13 years of age at time of the census not 15 as is indicated in the census document. Also, William Coe is a nephew but who are his parents?</p>	
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Individual: **Edwin W. Simmons**

Birth: 23 Aug 1849, Wheatfield, Niagara, New York

Marriage: Mary Janett (Nettie) Simmons (Abt 1849-) m.14 Oct 1868 in , Ionia, Michigan

Parents: Edward Simmons and Betsey Weed

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
27 Jul 2008	Research stated wife's info	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	The 1910 Census indicates that Edwin has a wife by the name of Charlotte A., until now there has been no indication of an additional wife. Research is needed to discover the married life of Edwin with Charlotte.	
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Individual: **Polly Ann Simmons**

Birth: 9 Oct 1834, Wheatfield, Niagara, New York

Marriage: Samuel H. Coe (Abt 1819-) m.25 Jul 1853 in Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Marriage: Anson W. Young (1819-1890) m.19 Oct 1862 in Ionia, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Death: 10 Aug 1911, Wheatfield, Niagara, New York

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Parents: William Simmons and Betsey Ives

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
10 Nov 2008	Research the details behind this divorce.	
Category:	Divorce Records	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	In 1862, Samuel H. Coe, complainant, divorced Polly. It is of note that Anson Young was a witness for the complainant. Does anyone know the story behind this?	
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Individual: **William H. Simmons**

Birth: 24 Oct 1856, Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Marriage: Mary E. Lovell (Abt 1864-1939) m.14 Oct 1889 in Ionia, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Marriage: Jennie Hall Cool (1849-) m.20 Sep 1885 in Lake Odessa, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Death: 2 Mar 1923, Lake Odessa, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Parents: Amos Simmons and Emily Emma Tanner

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
17 Aug 2008	Verify birthdate of William.	
Category:	Birth Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low		
Status: Open		
Type: Research		
Description:	William's birthday is stated in the Simmons Family History source document as 21 Oct 1856 which is different from the William and Betsey Simmons family bible. Need to verify date.	
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Individual: **Samuel Sampson Beckett**

Birth: Abt Dec 1859, , , , Canada

Marriage: Susan Ball (Abt 1859-) m.Abt 1882 in , , Michigan

Death: Abt 1950, Lowell, Kent, Michigan, USA

Burial: , Grand Haven, Ottawa, Michigan, USA

Parents: Oliver Becket and Margaret

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
9 Oct 2008	Verify that this Sam Beckett is the correct person.	
Category:	Census	Locality: Robinson Twp, Ottawa, Michigan
Priority:	Low	
Status:	Open	
Type:	Research	
Description:	Is the Samuel S. Beckett referenced in this census as living alone at age 60 and born in Canada the same Samuel Beckett of our family line? Also, this census indicates that Samuel can read but can not write.	
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<p>Individual: Harly Simmons Birth: Abt Apr 1870, Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan, USA Parents: Edwin W. Simmons and Mary Janett (Nettie) Simmons</p>		
Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
23 Jan 2009	Verify the name of this individual.	
Category:	Birth Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	The Simmons Kinfolk Newsletter Vol 1, No. 4 page 21 indicates that this individual is named Holly S. and is a female. However, the 1880 US Census indicates that this is a male named Harly. Need some additional forms of identification.	
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Individual: **Edward Simmons**

Birth: 4 Oct 1823, Rotterdam, Schenectady, New York, USA

Marriage: Betsey Weed (Abt 1820-Abt 1900) m.9 Aug 1848 in , Niagara, New York

Marriage: Julia A. (Mount) Biggs (Abt 1843-Abt 1919) m.30 Apr 1867 in Lowell, Kent, Michigan, USA

Death: 6 Jan 1901, Vergennes, Kent, Michigan

Parents: William Simmons and Betsey Ives

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
30 Oct 2008	What is Edward's real birth date?	
Category:	Birth Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low		
Status: Open		
Type: Research		
Description:	<p>In the Simmons Kinfolk Newsletter Vol 1, No 4. it is stated that Edward was born on 24 Oct 1824, probably in Schenectady County, NY.</p> <p>Why is this information so different than the information retrieved from the 'Births' journal page of the Simmons Family Bible?? There is almost a year's difference in the dates. Could it be that the date in the Simmons Kinfolk Newsletter is a Christening date rather than a birth date??</p>	
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Individual: **Frank Bennett**

Birth: Abt 1871, Berlin Twp, Ionia, Michigan, USA

Death: Abt Sep 1920

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Parents: Niles Bennett and Mary Ann Coates

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
23 Nov 2008	What is given name stated on his birth certificate?	
Category:	Birth Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	Is his given name Frank or Franklyn as stated in the 1880 US Census??	
Notes		

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Individual: **Charles Leonard Simmons**

AKA: Len

Birth: 21 Nov 1850, Wheatfield, Niagara, New York

Marriage: Millison Hall (1856-1926) m.Ab 1873 in Dewitt, Clinton, Michigan, USA

Death: 3 Sep 1929

Burial: , Dewitt, Clinton, Michigan, USA

Parents: Edward Simmons and Betsey Weed

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
16 Jan 2009	Where is Charles L in the 1900 US Census?	
Category:	Census	Locality:
Priority: Low Status: Open Type: Research		
Description:	The 1900 US Census shows Millie (53) living with son Harley (19), son Eli E. (12), daughter Clara L (10) and son Frankie E. (7). A note here is that Charles L. is not with them in this census. It is noted in this census that Millie has been married for 28 years, is mother of 10 children with 7 children living. The residence is located on River Street.	
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Individual: **Sarah J. Simmons**

Birth: 5 Sep 1858, , Clinton, Michigan

Death: 11 May 1933

Burial: , Balcom Cemetery, Ionia, Michigan

Parents: Edward Simmons and Betsey Weed

Date	Research Task/Repository/Description	File ID
16 Jan 2009	Who did Sarah marry and could both of these marriages be the same person?	
Category:	Marriage Certificate	Locality:
Priority: Low		
Status: Open		
Type: Research		
Description:	Sarah Jane could have been married in Montcalm County Michigan. There are two entries in the Early Montcalm County Marriages with Sarah J to Charles A. Faskett(1888) and Osman Royce (1880). Need more varification of these marriages.	
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