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Ernest Nystrom's Death in Paris 1858

Erik Wikén*

In the March issue of *SAG* for 1985 on p. 16¹ a question is raised as to the identity of a tailor named Ern(e)st Nystrom, who is listed in *Daggett's City Directory for New York 1850-1851* and who was reported to have died in Paris 19 Oct. 1858 at the age of 35. He is said to have been born in New York, which would place his year of birth to ca. 1823.

One suggestion as to his identity has occurred to me. He could be the son of Johan Nyström, who is mentioned as being a merchant in New York. The latter was born in the St. Olai Parish in Norrköping 1 Sept. 1788, the son of an apothecary named Nils Nyström and his wife, Maria Christina Berholtz.²

The first mention of Nyström is in a letter from Klinckowström dated New York during the spring of 1819:

"S---r and N---m are here but they do not intend to return to the fatherland as they are planning to get married."³

N---M can be no one else but Johan Nyström.⁴ S---r is Richard Seldener (1794-1854).⁵

The next reference is in a letter from the Swedish clergyman in Philadelphia, Dr. Nils Collin, addressed to Prof. C.A. Agardh of Lund, dated Philadelphia 30 March 1824—in which Collin suggests Johan Nyström and his brother in Göteborg as suitable contacts for the exchange of letters between Sweden and the United States.⁶

On 27 Nov. 1833 a passport was requested from the chancellery of the county (*län*) government of Göteborg and Bohus for Joh. O. Andrén, a bookkeeper, for a journey to the West Indies and America on behalf of J. Nyström, travel to be performed on a vessel belonging to Nyström. The passport was expedited the following day and on 13 Dec. of that year Andrén checked in at the passport control at Ft. Älvsborg enroute to America.⁷

The following year, on 30 Sept. 1834, an individual named J. Nyström, born in Sweden, appeared at the police headquarters in Göteborg, stating that he was residing at the home of Fredrik Nyström, a wholesale merchant, and identical with the brother referred to above.⁸ The visit to Sweden lasted almost an entire year. It was not until 13 Aug. 1835 that J. Nyström, a wholesale merchant, received a passport in Göteborg for travel to Denmark, Germany, England and America.⁹

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On 19 Nov. 1835 an individual named Emanuel Petersson received a passport in Göteborg to America and informed the authorities that he was in the employ of John Nyström of New York.¹⁰

Johan Nyström was married twice in the United States, the first time to Mary Caroline Ogden, born in 1804 and who died in 1838. He married for the second time Frances Adeline Carmichael, in her second marriage. Two children are mentioned in the first marriage—Louise Adéle, born 14 Nov. 1825, married in 1851 to George Ticknor Curtis, and Emilie Christina, born 26 Oct. 1831.¹¹ Additionally the above named Ern(e)st Nystrom could have been born in the first marriage.

Johan Nyström was living in Morristown, NJ in 1843 when a Swedish visitor to the U.S., Eric Georg Danielsson, paid a call on him.¹²

Johan Nyström died in Morristown 26 Aug. 1848.¹³

¹⁰"Death in Paris" in *Swedish American Genealogist*, Vol. V. No. 1, March 1985, p. 16

¹¹The St. Olai Parish Records in the District Archives (*Landsarkivet*), Vadstena; A. Levertin, C.F.V. Schimmelpfennig & K.A. Ahlberg, *Sveriges apotekarehistoria från Gustaf I: till närvarande tid*, I-IV (Stockholm 1910-1927), I, p. 496

¹²Axel von Klinckowström *Bref om de Förenta Staterna, författade under en resa till Amerika 1818, 1819, 1820*, I-II (Stockholm 1824), I, p. 142. Franklin D. Scott's translation *Baron Klinckowström's (sic!) America, 1818-1820* (Evanston, IL 1952) (Northwestern University Studies, Social Sciences Studies, No. 8) has substituted "Two younger Swedish businessmen" for the two names.

¹³Johan Nyström, merchant, received a passport in Göteborg 21 April 1817 for travel to England.—*Göteborgs och Bohus landskanslis passjournal (GBLP)* in the District Archives (*Landsarkivet*), Göteborg.

¹⁴Paul Wilstadius, "Släkten Seldener från Karlshamn" in *Genealogisk tidskrift*, Vol. XII, 1957, p. 215. Seldener arrived 11 July 1822 in New York, probably from a business trip to St. Croix (Nils William Olsson, *Swedish Passenger Arrivals in New York 1820-1850* [Stockholm & Chicago, IL 1967] [*SPANY*], p. 3, n. 8). A son, Richard Seldener, Jr., a physician, arrived in Göteborg 25 Sept. 1851, carrying a passport issued in Washington, DC 20 June 1851 (*Göteborgs poliskammars journal över utländska resande* [GPKU] in the District Archives [*Landsarkivet*], Göteborg). He received a passport in the same city 12 May 1855 for travel to Copenhagen (GPKU). It is unknown if he had remained in Sweden during this time, almost four years.

Arriving together with Dr. Richard Seldener, Jr. was an American dentist, Augustus (Gus) John Bazier (1817-1892). He remained in Sweden and practiced dentistry both in Göteborg and Stockholm, except for a few years in Lausanne, Switzerland and Paris. He d. in Göteborg 22 Jan. 1892. A biographical dictionary of Swedish dentists refers to Bazier as "a dentist or rather an expert in gold fillings, Bazier was extremely popular with his patients, but at the same time was highly respected by his colleagues." (John Wessler, *Sveriges aflidne tandläkare 1700-1900* [Stockholm 1901], p. 13).

¹⁵Letter to C.A. Agardh in the Library of the University of Lund.

¹⁶*Göteborgs och Bohus landskansli*, Vol. E XVc: 1 n the District Archives (*Landsarkivet*), Göteborg; *GBLP*; *Alvsborgs fästnings arkiv*, Vol. 74 in the Royal War Archives (*Krigsarkivet*), Stockholm.

¹⁷GPKU. J. Nyström's domicile is here given as Lordres (=Londres?) and he possessed a passport dated 8 Sept. 1834 for travel to Sweden. This may mean that he was arriving from London.

¹⁸*GBLP*.

¹⁹*GBLP*. Petersson arrived in New York 29 Feb. 1836 and died there 1846 (*SPANY*, p. 17, n. 80; p. 267).

²⁰Gustaf Elgenstierna, *Svenska släktkalendern*, 1913, p. 833.

²¹Danielsson, a Swedish metallurgical engineer, in a diary entry for 2 Oct. 1843 says: "At 4 o'clock in the afternoon I went by railroad to Morristown, having passed the Hudson River in a steam ferry. I arrived at tea-time, took tea at the hotel, and afterwards called upon Mr. Nyström. I was agreeably surprised by coming into the company of 3 young ladies (his daughters) besides a younger girl and 2 boys, all Mr. Nyström's children. One of them told my name, whereby I understood I was expected. Mr. Nyström soon made his appearance, but his wife not, being unwell. I passed a couple of hours pleasant enough. None of the young ladies, however, spoke Swedish. Saw paintings made by Mr. Nyström's oldest son (15 years), which made me anticipate his being a great painter in a time to come." (Manuscript diary in a private collection.)

²²*Sveriges apotekarehistoria*, I, p. 496; Gertrude Barber, Index of Obituaries in the *New York Evening Post* (manuscript in the New York Historical Society [New York 1940], Vol. 25).

The Ancestors and Descendants of Olof Kjelsson of Kinderåsen

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The emigration of my Swedish ancestors from the province of Jämtland began with the family of great-great-grandfather Olof Kjelsson (1801-1870). Of the eleven children of Olof Kjelsson and Elin Nilsson, two sons and one daughter emigrated to the United States between 1868 and 1885.

The known family predates Olof Kjelsson by some four-hundred years, tracing its roots in Jämtland back to 1460 at which time the province was a part of Norway.¹ The first of the lineage of which we have any information is an Olof (no patronymic is recorded). *Svensk Hembygd-Jämtland*², a reference book on Swedish homesteads that have belonged to old families in the community for many generations, features *Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells* as one of the oldest estates in Jämtland and the very oldest in the Oviken area. The commentary indicates that the “gård has been in the family for 18 generations or since 1484.”³ Then follows a listing of the owners.

Olof was followed by a son Jacob, who was known as Jacob Olofsson in accordance with the Swedish custom of identifying son with father. His birth is indicated as about 1500. At Jacob's death the Kinderåsen home and acreage passed to his son Olof Jacobsson, circa 1540. Next in line of ownership was Olof's son, Jens Olsen, whose birth is believed to have been about 1570.

Although it is possible to trace the names of the male members of the family back to the 1400s through ownership records of Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells, it is not until the late 1600s that we learn the names of the women members. It seems that Kjeld Jenssen, who was the son of Jens Olsen, died in the mid 1600s and left no male heir. As a result Kjeld's daughter Karin, who was born about 1640, fell heir to Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells. Karin Kjeldsdotter married Lars Kristofferson, who probably came from Önsta, Oviken Parish. (The Östersund Regional Archives⁴ show several variations of her husband's name: Christophersson, Christoffersson and Christiersson.) Their son Kjel Larsson was born about the year 1670.

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Kjel Larsson is listed with a hyphenated name, Larsson-Gisselberg. It is probable that he served for a time in the army and, following the Swedish custom of the time, assumed a military name. He was married to Ingeborg Jönsdotter, of whom we have no other information. Records show that Kjel Larsson-Gisselberg died on 14 July 1749 and that Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells passed to his son Lars Kjelsson, born 25 April 1721. He married Benedikta Olofsdotter from Önsta, Oviken, in 1749; they had five sons and four daughters.

The Jämtland provincial archives record that Lars Kjelsson never recovered from a boating accident in rough waters during a severe storm. He was in the water for four hours before help arrived. According to the article, the exposure caused a lung problem and affected his mental health. He died on 29 July 1787, after having been invalided for some years with "consumption and other complications." The report indicates that Lars Kjelsson's son, a second Kjel Larsson, likened his father's tribulations to those of Job.

This Kjel Larsson, born 28 May 1754 at Kinderåsen, was married to Carin Andersdotter of the village of Börlåsen in Oviken Parish. She was the daughter of Andrew Thomasson and Elisabet Nilsson. Their son Olof Kjelsson, whose children started the family emigration from Sweden, was the father of my great-grandmother Karin Olofsdotter Olson. He was born at Kinderåsen on 28 September 1801 and was married on 26 November 1825 to Elin Nilsson, the daughter of Nils Olsson and Mareta Svensdotter of Hallom. They were the parents of six sons: Nils (1826-1899), Kjel (1828-1870), Per (1830-1902), Olof (1833-1889), and Anders (1843-1930) and five daughters: Karin (1836-1920), Marta (1839-1915), Lisbet (1841-1920), Elin (1845-1907) and Margareta (1847-1929). The sixth son Sven, born in 1850, died in infancy.

Apparently Olof Kjelsson was quite well-to-do for that time. In a legal document, which I have in my possession⁵, he directs the parceling out of considerable amounts of money and land to each of his children. The family also donated a rare 18th century tapestry to the historical-folklore collection of the *Jämtland Läns Museum*, one of Sweden's largest provincial museums with archaeological specimens dating back to the Stone and Iron ages. It is believed that the family hosted a traveling artist during the winter months and that the artist, in turn, gave them the tapestry which he had produced during the long dark days of his stay.

Per, the third oldest child of the Kjelssons, was the first of the family to emigrate. He left Sweden in 1868 and reportedly settled in Willmar, MN. If the family had contact with him after he emigrated, we have no knowledge of it.

Just one year after her older brother emigrated, Karin and her husband, Erik Olson, left Sweden for America with their three children, the oldest of whom was my grandfather. Their destination was Vail, IA, where they joined a Baptist minister and his family who had come earlier from Jämtland.⁶ In 1885 the Erik and Karin Olson family, accompanied by several young Swedish men, moved to the Dakota Territory. They established the Orleans community in

Faulk County, and Erik Olson became the postmaster of the post office, which was established when the Milwaukee Railroad came through the Swedish colony.

In 1885 Karin's older brother Olof (also listed as "Ola" and "Olen") left Sweden for Dakota with his younger sons, Sven and Nels. Three years earlier his older sons, John and Ole, had joined Karin and Erik Olson in Cherokee County, IA. Another Kjelsson relative to emigrate was Johan Johansson, son of Karin's younger sister Lisbet. Taking the name of John Wigen in America, he lived in Minnesota and later moved to Montana.

Following Olof Kjelsson's death in 1870, Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells passed to son Anders Olofsson (1843-1930) and then to Anders's only son, Olof Andersson (1883-1937). The property is now held by Hans Olsson, the great-grandson of Olof Kjelsson.

Data on the descendants of seven of Olof Kjelsson's children are presented in the following tables. Emigration brought Olof and Karin to the United States, where their descendants remain today. The descendants of Nils, Kjel, Lisbet, Anders and Margareta are in Sweden.⁷

Abbreviations

B.	= Born	S.	= Son
D.	= Died	Res.	= Resided
M.	= Married	T.	= <i>Trolovad</i> (Betrothed or a relationship other than marriage)
Dau.	= Daughter		

Table 1

Olof Kjelsson, b. in Kinderåsen, Oviken Parish (Jämt.) 28 Sept. 1801; d. 14 April 1870. Owner of Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells. M. 26 Nov. 1825 **Elin Nilsson**, b. Hallom, Oviken 13 Feb. 1806; d. 24 Oct. 1888. Children (b. in Kinderåsen):

1. **Nils Olofsson**, b. 10 Jan. 1826, see Tab. 2.
2. **Kjel Olofsson**, b. 17 Jan. 1828, see Tab. 3.
3. **Per Olofsson**, b. 28 July 1830; d. USA 8 May 1902.
4. **Olof Olofsson**, later **Olof Olen**, b. 18 Jan. 1833, see Tab 9.
5. **Karin Olofsdotter**, b. 21 April 1836, see Tab. 18.
6. **Marta Olofsdotter**, b. 5 March 1839; d. 8 Feb. 1915. M. (1) 1 April 1862 **Lars Jönsson**, b. Näs Parish (Jämt.); d. 4 Dec. 1898; (2) ca. 1900 **Erik Jönsson**, Oviken.
7. **Lisbet Olofsdotter**, b. 1 Oct. 1841, see Tab. 47.
8. **Anders Olofsson**, b. 7 Feb. 1843, see Tab. 56.
9. **Elin Olofsdotter**, b. 28 July 1845; d. 20 July 1907.
10. **Margareta (Greta) Olofsdotter**, b. 20 Oct. 1847, see Tab. 60.
11. **Sven Olofsson**, b. 14 July 1850; d. in infancy.

Table 2

Nils Olofsson, s. Olof Kjelsson (Tab.1), b. in Kinderåsen 10 Jan. 1826; d. Oviken 4 Dec. 1899. M. 21 April 1850 **Anna Andersdotter**, b. Oviken 21 May 1828; d. Oviken 3 June 1856. Sons:

1. **Anders Nilsson**, later **Anders Dillner**, b. Oviken 9 Aug. 1850; d. Oviken 26 May 1876.
2. **Olof Nilsson**, b. Oviken 6 June 1852; d. Oviken 26 Feb. 1872.

Table 3

Kjel Olofsson, s. Olof Kjelsson (Tab. 1), b. in Kinderåsen 17 Jan 1828; d. Myssjö Parish (Jämt.) 4 April 1870. M. 25 Oct. 1864 **Gölin Hansdotter**, b. Myssjö 6 Oct. 1831; d. Myssjö ca. 1900. Daughter:

Kristina Kjelsdotter, b. Myssjö 21 May 1867, see Tab. 4.

Table 4

Kristina Kjelsdotter, dau. Kjel Olofsson (Tab. 3), b. Myssjö 21 May 1867. M. 14 Oct. 1885 **Petrus Rasmundsson**, b. Näs 22 March 1861. Res. Hallom; later Lockåsen, Myssjö. Son:

Per **Robert Rasmundsson**⁸, b. 29 Oct. 1889, see Tab. 5.

Table 5

Per **Robert Rasmundsson**, s. Kristina Kjelsdotter (Tab. 4), b. Hallom 29 Oct. 1889; d. 30 Jan. 1952. M. 16 June 1916 **Anna-Märta Eriksson**, dau. Margareta Olofsdotter Andersson (Tab. 60), b. 15 April 1887; d. 6 March 1943. Res. in Lockåsen. Children:

1. Per Erik **Göte Rasmundson**, b. 19 April 1917, see Tab. 6.
2. **Ella Greta Rasmundson**, b. 16 Dec. 1918, see Tab. 7.
3. **Kjell Olov Rasmundson**, b. Myssjö 20 Feb. 1921; d. 14 May 1927.
4. **Hilma Kristina Rasmundson**, b. 19 Sept. 1923, see Tab. 8.

Table 6

Per Erik **Göte Rasmundson**, s. Robert Rasmundsson and Anna-Märta Eriksson (Tab. 5), b. Myssjö 19 April 1917. M. 30 Aug. 1953 **Margit Back**, b. 13 March 1931. Children:

1. **Kjell Göran Rasmundson**, b. 17 Nov. 1953. T. **Christina Sandberg** of Uppsala, b. 29 Oct. 1948. Child: **Marie-Louise**.
2. **Kristina Birgitta Rasmundson**, b. 19 March 1963.

Table 7

Ella Greta Rasmundson, dau. Robert Rasmundsson and Anna-Märta Eriksson (Tab. 5), b. Myssjö 16 Dec. 1918. M. 27 June 1949 **Nils Bådagård**, b. 22 Jan. 1915. Children:

1. **Ida Margaret Bådagård** (twin), b. 29 March 1950. M. 12 Sept. 1971 **Lars Anders Larsson**, b. 5 Nov. 1947. Children: **Ina Maria** and **Hanna Margareta**.
2. **Robert Bådagård** (twin), b. 29 March 1950. M. 18 May 1974 **Agneta Gustavsson**, b. 11 Nov. 1948. Children: **Emma Maria** and **Nils Jakob Robert**.
3. **Karin Elna-Mari Bådagård**, b. 26 July 1957.
4. **Nils Torbjörn Bådagård**, b. 28 March 1959.

Table 8

Hilma Kristina Rasmundson, dau. Robert Rasmundsson and Anna-Märta Eriksson (Tab. 5), b. Myssjö 19 Sept. 1923. M. 23 Sept. 1951 **Adolf Pettersson**, b. 17 June 1906. Children:

1. **Anna-Lena Pettersson**, b. 13 May 1950.
2. **Eva Emma Kristina Pettersson**, b. 13 April 1952. T. **Tommy Engstrand**, b. 19 Oct. 1949. Daughter: **Malin Kristina**.
3. **Ingrid Elisabet Pettersson**, b. 6 Nov. 1955.

Table 9

Olof Olofsson⁹, later **Olof Olen**, s. Olof Kjelsson (Tab. 1), b. in Kinderåsen 18 Jan. 1833; d. Orleans, SD 14 Aug. 1889. M. April 1859 **Beata ---** (1838-1873). Children:

1. **Johan Olofsson**, later **John Olen**, b. 3 Sept. 1860, see Tab. 10.
2. **Ole Olofsson**, later **Ole Olen**, b. 1862, see Tab. 16.
3. **Sven Olofsson**, later **Swan Olen**, b. Myrviken, Oviken 9 Nov. 1864; d. Norbeck, SD 21 March 1942.
4. **Nils Olofsson**, later **Nels Olen**, b. 25 Sept. 1866, see Tab. 17.

Table 10

Johan Olofsson, later **John Olen**, s. Olof Olofsson (Tab. 9), b. Myrviken 3 Sept. 1860; d. Faulk County, SD 29 Dec. 1941. Farmer, county commissioner. M. 21 May 1888 **Ingeborg Persdotter**, later **Emma Peterson**, b. Ljungdalen, Storsjö (Härj.) Parish (Jämt.) 14 Nov. 1851; d. Aberdeen, SD 28 Feb. 1913. Children (b. Orleans):

1. **Beda Mathilda Olen**, b. 17 June 1889, see Tab. 11.
2. **Olga Petronella Olen**, b. 25 Feb. 1891, see Tab. 12.
3. **Ella Senobia Olen**, b. 30 Oct. 1892, see Tab. 15.
4. **Effie Ingalia Olen**, b. 5 Aug. 1894. Res. in South Dakota; later in Colorado.
5. **George Lawrence Olen**, b. 21 Feb. 1898; d. 20 May 1977. Faulk County Auditor. M. (1) 22 March 1923 **Cecile Steen**, d. 1954; (2) 8 July 1958 **Beatrice Toohey**, d. 19 Oct. 1978.

Table 11

Beda Mathilda Olen, dau. John Olen (Tab. 10), b. Orleans, SD 17 June 1889. M. 2 Nov. 1910 **Edwin Dahlgren**, b. 18 June 1883; d. 1962. Res. Bend, OR. Sons (b. in South Dakota):

1. **Donovan John Dahlgren**, b. 1 Dec. 1911. Teacher. M. **Eunice Hoiem**. School librarian. Res. Sweet Home, OR. Children: **Dennis** and **Darlene**.
2. **Arthur George Dahlgren**, b. 7 Aug. 1917. M. **Gladys Spear**. Res. Bend, OR. One adopted son.

Table 12

Olga Petronella Olen, dau. John Olen (Tab. 10), b. Orleans, SD 25 Feb. 1891. M. 1 May 1911 **Soren E. Hansen**, b. 27 Oct. 1885; d. 6 Nov. 1960. Farmer, carpenter. Res. Loyalton, SD; later Aurora, CO. Children (b. in South Dakota):

1. **Murrel Soren Hansen**, b. 2 Nov. 1912; d. 29 Aug. 1965. Teacher, instructor at Univ. of Idaho. M. Rathdrum, ID 8 June 1942 **Sarah B. Wenz**. Res. Rathdrum; later Moscow, ID.
2. **Agnes Olivia Hansen**, b. 28 March 1917, see Tab. 13.
3. **John Gordon Hansen**, b. 9 March 1921, see Tab. 14.

Table 13

Agnes Olivia Hansen, dau. Olga Olen Hansen (Tab. 12), b. Loyalton, SD 28 March 1917. Registered nurse. M. Idaho 5 Jan. 1942 **Ray Harry Simmons**, b. 18

Aug. 1912. Owner of mechanical construction company. Res. Denver, CO and Florence, AZ. Children:

1. **Richard James Simmons**, b. 13 Feb. 1945.
2. **Patricia Rae Simmons**, b. 12 Feb. 1949. M. **William Shaffer**.

Table 14

John Gordon Hansen, s. **Olga Olen Hansen** (Tab. 12), b. near Loyalton, SD 9 March 1921; d. 31 May 1971. US Navy Lieut. Commander; later flight instructor. M. 14 April 1945 **Phoebe Jane Hahn**, b. 17 Aug. 1920. Res. Aurora, CO. Children:

1. **Gerald Gordon Hansen**, b. 15 Jan. 1946.
2. **Michelle Irene Hansen**, b. 27 June 1948.
3. **Jeffrey Edward Hansen**, b. 14 Dec. 1949.

Table 15

Ella Senobia Olen, dau. **John Olen** (Tab. 10), b. Orleans, SD 30 Oct. 1892; d. 30 Sept. 1972. M. 3 May 1922 **Walfred Wahlen**, b. Millard, SD 12 June 1893; d. 1982. Farmer. Res. Faulk County, SD; later Lodi, CA. Children (b. Millard, SD):

1. **Russell L. Wahlen**, b. 4 Feb. 1923. Farmer, highway department employee. M. 31 Jan. 1947 **Rosalie Anderson**, b. Lebanon, SD 22 Feb. 1926. Res. Faulkton, SD. Five children.
2. **Katherine O. Wahlen**, b. 25 July 1924. M. (1) **Milton Ryan**, deceased; (2) **Kenneth Stickler**. Res. Minneapolis, MN. Six children.
3. **Lester Willard Wahlen**, b. 19 July 1927. M. **Violet Fieckert**. Res. Lodi, CA. Four children.
4. **Virgil Wahlen**, b. 18 Aug. 1933. M., five children. Res. Lodi, CA.
5. **Enid Louise Wahlen** (twin), b. 15 June 1935. M. **Dean Bosch**. Res. Lodi, CA. Two sons.
6. **Lyla Ann Wahlen** (twin), b. 15 June 1935; d. in infancy.

Table 16

Ole Olofsson, later **Ole Olen**, s. **Olof Olofsson** (Tab. 9), b. Myrviken 1862; d. 1946. Farmer. M. 1893 **Martha Bodin**, b. Oviken 1862; d. 1941. Both bur. Millard (SD) Cemetery. Children (b. Orleans, SD):

1. **Oscar Olen #1**, d. at birth.
2. **Oscar Olen #2**, b. 11 May 1895; d. Minneapolis, MN 2 Dec. 1982. M. 1928 **Ingrid Sjernstrom**. Res. Minneapolis, MN. Children: **Roger, Jane** and **Dick**.

3. **John E. Olen**, b. 28 Aug. 1898; d. Wecota, SD 1985. Farmer. M. **Gladys Deloy**. Res. Wecota, SD. Four children: **David, Donald, Lance** and **Mary**.
4. **Emil Olen**, b. 24 Nov. 1899; d. Burke, SD 1 Dec. 1977. M. **Ella Loken**. Two daughters.

Table 17

Nils Olofsson, later **Nels Olen**, s. Olof Olofsson (Tab. 9), b. Myrviken 25 Sept. 1866; d. 26 Nov. 1957. M. 1893 **Karolina Swanson**, dau. Emma Peterson (Tab. 10), b. Sweden 15 Jan. 1874; d. 3 April 1958. Res. Faulk County, SD; later Oregon. Children (b. in South Dakota):

1. **Selma E. Olen**, b. 11 June 1894; d. 1954. M. **David Anderson**. One son.
2. **Edna R. Olen**, b. 24 Sept. 1896. M. **Peter VanderSterre**. Two children.
3. **Melvin E. Olen**, b. 25 June 1898. M., two children.
4. **Leonard T. Olen**, b. 4 June 1901. M. **Gail Earlie**. One child.
5. **Emma Olen**, b. 21 April 1904. M. **Nevan McCullough**.
6. **Esther Olen**, b. 16 Dec. 1907. M. **Ben Herndon**.
7. **Evelyn Olen**, b. 5 Feb. 1910. M. **Walter Anderson**.

Table 18

Karin Olofsdotter, dau. Olof Kjelsson (Tab. 1), b. in Kinderåsen 21 April 1836; d. Millard, SD 6 Jan. 1920. M. Oviken 21 Nov. 1856 **Erik Olofsson**, later **Erik Olson**, b. in Hackås Parish (Jämt.) 11 Dec. 1831; d. 24 Dec. 1913, s. Olof Hansson Wåglund¹⁰ and Maret Nilsdotter. Children:

1. **Olof Anders Eriksson**, later **Ole Andrew Olson**, b. 4 Nov. 1857, see Tab. 19.
2. **Märta Erikssdotter**, later **Martha Olson**, b. 26 July 1859, see Tab. 33.
3. **Ellen Erikssdotter**, d. in infancy.
4. **Nils Eriksson**, later **Nels Olson**, b. Oviken 1865; d. 1869; bur. Denison, IA.
5. **Ella Olson**, b. Meriden, IA March 1871; d. Cherokee County, IA 1885.
6. **Edward Nels Olson**, b. 21 June 1873, see Tab. 38.
7. **Emma Carolina Olson**, b. 30 Nov. 1876, see Tab. 42.
8. **Hilma Olson**, b. 1879; d. in infancy.

Table 19

Olof Anders Eriksson, later **Ole Andrew Olson**, s. Karin Olofsdotter Olson (Tab. 18), b. Hallom, Oviken 4 Nov. 1857; d. Millard, SD 17 Nov. 1931. Farmer. M. Faulkton, SD 3 April 1886 **Anna Erickson**, b. Jämtland 12 Feb. 1861; d. 17

Nov. 1917, dau. Erik and Anna Walton. Children (b. Orleans, SD):

1. **Ida Olson**, b. 11 Aug. 1887, see Tab. 20.
2. **Elmer Charles Olson**, b. 27 April 1888, see Tab. 21.
3. **Hiima Caroline Olson**, b. 4 Dec. 1889, see Tab. 25.
4. **Ellen Olson**, d. in infancy.
5. **Myrtle Grace Olson**, b. 15 June 1895, see Tab. 31.
6. **Luella Olson**, b. 15 April 1898, see Tab. 32.

Table 20

Ida Olson, dau. Ole Andrew Olson (Tab. 19), b. 11 Aug. 1887; d. 15 March 1920. M. **Herbert N. Mayo**. Res. in South Dakota; later in Iowa. One dau.

Helen Mayo, b. 1920. M. **Sam Talley**. Res. Harrisburg, PA. Two children.

Table 21

Elmer Charles Olson, s. Ole Andrew Olson (Tab. 19), b. Orleans, SD 27 April 1888; d. Faulkton, SD 29 Dec. 1943. Farmer. M. **Carlyle**, SD 30 Jan. 1918
Mildred N. Stevenson, b. Carlyle, SD 13 July 1896; d. Faulkton, SD 3 Jan. 1975, dau. Elmer David Stevenson and Florence Randall. Children (b. Faulk County, SD):

1. **Harold Elmer Olson**, b. 20 Jan. 1920; d. Faulkton, SD 28 May 1983. Res. on family farm, Norbeck, SD; later at Faulkton, SD.
2. **Loretta Grace Olson**, b. 15 Dec. 1921, see Tab. 22.
3. **Merritt Carroll Olson**, b. 17 April 1924. Teacher and counselor; adjunct instructor, Univ. of Alaska and Alaska Pacific Univ. Res. Anchorage, AK.
4. **Belva Joyce Olson**, b. 19 July 1926, see Tab. 23.
5. **Veva Beryl Olson**, b. 28 May 1928; d. Bellflower, CA 9 Sept. 1977. Primary School teacher in South Dakota and California. M. **Long Beach**, CA 9 Oct. 1954 **W. Edward White**, b. West Virginia Sept. 1921. Res. Long Beach, CA.
6. **Zella Cleone Olson**, b. 25 Aug. 1929, see Tab. 24.

Table 22

Loretta Grace Olson, dau. Elmer C. Olson (Tab. 21), b. Faulk County, SD 15 Dec. 1921. Elementary school teacher. M. (1) **Yuma**, AZ 19 Jan. 1945 **Albert Lee Lillicrap**, b. Nashville, TN 18 June 1925; d. 10 Jan. 1978; div.; (2) **Thomas Johnson Anderson**, b. Nashville, TN; div. Res. Anaheim, CA. Children in the

first marriage:

1. **Alvera Lee Lillicrap**, b. San Diego, CA 1 Oct. 1945; d. Garden Grove, CA 21 June 1977. Elementary school teacher. M. Las Vegas, NV 20 June 1965 **Roger Keith Luchau**, b. Orange, CA 14 Nov. 1942. Res. Fountain Valley, CA. One son: **Scott Keith Luchau**, b. 24 May 1967; college student.
2. **Sherry Lynn Lillicrap**, b. Aberdeen, SD 16 June 1949. M. (1) **Russell Sherman Marsyla**, b. South Gate, CA 25 Sept. 1948; div.; (2) Terminal Island, CA 17 June 1973 **Raymond Bruce Allison**. Res. Fountain Valley, CA. Son in the first marriage: **Douglas Cameron Marsyla**, b. 13 Feb. 1969.

Children in the second marriage (all b. in Anaheim, CA):

1. **Thomas Johnson Anderson, Jr.**, b. 24 Jan. 1963.
2. **Renea Jean Anderson**, b. 16 June 1965. M. Westminster, CA 7 Sept. 1985 **Richard E. Hammac**. Res. LaHabra, CA.
3. **Merritt William Anderson**, b. 18 April 1967.

Table 23

Belva Joyce Olson, dau. Elmer C. Olson (Tab. 21), b. Faulk County, SD 19 July 1926. M. Palm Springs, CA 16 Jan. 1956 **Eugene R. Flecky**, b. Council Bluffs, IA 13 Dec. 1923. Real estate broker. Res. Palm Desert, CA. One dau.

Joyce Elaine Flecky, b. Garden Grove, CA 5 July 1959. M. Orange, CA 23 Aug. 1986 **Marti Lynn Scott**, b. Portland, OR 4 Aug. 1960. Res. Palm Desert, CA.

Table 24

Zella Cleone Olson, dau. Elmer C. Olson (Tab. 21), b. Faulkton, SD 25 Aug. 1929; d. Longmont, CO 23 Aug. 1986. M. Rapid City, SD 1951 **David Lee Horton**; div. Children:

1. **Carol Lee Horton**, b. Rapid City, SD 5 June 1952. Realtor. Res. San Diego, CA.
2. **Randall Wade Horton**, b. Rapid City, SD 17 Dec. 1953. Res. Denver, CO.
3. **Rhyllis Jean Horton**, b. Anaheim, CA 9 Aug. 1956. M. (1) 5 April 1975 **Jerry Orback**, b. Loveland, CO 4 June 1954; div. (2) Boulder, CO 15 June 1985 **Charles L. Komarek**, b. York, NE 31 Aug. 1957. Res. Longmont, CO.

4. **Susan Elaine Horton**, b. Anaheim, CA 16 April 1959. M. 17 Sept. 1977 **Dan Carton**, b. Boulder, CO 5 May 1953. Res. Broomfield, CO. Two daughters: **Jennifer Nicole**, b. 18 Aug. 1983 and **Kristy Kay**, b. 16 Oct. 1984.

Table 25

Hilma Caroline Olson, dau. Ole Andrew Olson (Tab. 19), b. Orleans, SD 4 Dec. 1889; d. Lisbon, ND 31 March 1972. M. 3 July 1913 **Gust Alvert Alinder**, b. Athol, SD 3 March 1887; d. Lisbon, ND 29 Dec. 1961, s. Gustaf and Wilhelmina Alinder. Res. Milnor, ND; later Lisbon, ND. Children (all b. at Milnor, ND):

1. **Arnold Luverne Alinder**, b. 7 March 1914, see Tab. 26.
2. **Ellen Lucille Alinder**, b. 24 April 1916, see Tab. 27.
3. **Luella Grace Alinder**, b. 4 March 1918, see Tab. 28.
4. **Wesley Waldo Alinder**, b. 5 April 1920, see Tab. 29.
5. **Phyllis Elaine Alinder**, b. 14 May 1924, see Tab. 30.
6. **Lowell Roger Alinder**, b. 26 July 1936; d. 25 June 1958.

Table 26

Arnold Luverne Alinder, s. Hilma Olson Alinder (Tab. 25), b. Milnor, ND 7 March 1914; d. Syracuse, NY 30 Nov. 1978. M. **Mary Bernadine Plochocki**. Res. Syracuse, NY. Children:

1. **Barbara Ann Alinder**, b. 13 Aug. 1943. M. **Robert Sylvester Kaszubinski**, b. 3 Sept. 1941. One daughter: **Lisa Marie**, b. 3 March 1967.
2. **Robert Arnold Alinder**, b. 16 Jan. 1947.
3. **Susan Mary Alinder**, b. 11 July 1956.

Table 27

Ellen Lucille Alinder, dau. Hilma Olson Alinder (Tab. 25), b. Milnor, ND 24 April 1916. M. 28 Nov. 1943 **Merril Kenneth Koenecke**, b. 13 Oct. 1915. Res. Winter, ND. Children:

1. **Richard Dean Koenecke**, b. 15 April 1945. M. **Joan ---**, b. 12 April 1948. One son: **Dean**, b. 7 Nov. 1983.
2. **Carolyn Faye Koenecke**, b. 27 Jan. 1948. M. (1) **David Jerome Anderson**, b. 28 Nov. 1945; div.; (2) **Jay Cwick**. One daughter in the first marriage: **Kristi Lynn Anderson**, b. 27 March 1969.

Table 28

Luella Grace Alinder, dau. Hilma Olson Alinder (Tab. 25), b. Milnor, ND 4 March 1918; d. Escondido, CA 4 Jan. 1968. M. 1939 **Orvis Edgar Johnson**, b. DeLamere, ND 3 Sept. 1914; d. Escondido, CA 20 May 1952. Children:

1. **Dennis Warren Johnson**, b. Wahpeton, ND 13 Jan. 1940. M. 31 Dec. 1961 **Lillian Louise Nelson**, b. Escondido, CA 24 June 1943. Res. Rathdrum, ID. Children: **Lynette Denise**, b. 9 Jan. 1963; **Kimberly Marie**, b. 20 Oct. 1964; and **Dennis Warren, Jr.**, b. 26 June 1967.
2. **Leila Rochelle Johnson**, b. Wahpeton, ND 28 Aug. 1942. M. 29 Oct. 1961 **Ronald Eugene Smith**, b. Moss Point, MS 2 Feb. 1938. Res. near Parma, ID. Children: **Larry Ronald**, b. 15 July 1963; **Sherri Rochelle**, b. 23 May 1965; and **Christie Raquel**, b. 2 May 1968.
3. **Gary Ross Johnson**, d. in infancy.

Table 29

Wesley Waldo Alinder, s. Hilma Olson Alinder (Tab. 25), b. Milnor, ND 5 April 1920. Farmer (retired). M. 28 Dec. 1947 **Hilda Amelia Dorothy Dick**, b. 23 June 1921. Res. Lisbon, ND. Children:

1. **Kathryn Hilma Alinder**, b. 19 Jan. 1949. M. 12 July 1969 **James Ross Kain**, b. 17 Nov. 1946. Children: **Michelle Eillen**, b. 24 Jan. 1971; **Angela Beth**, b. 12 Aug. 1974; and **David Ross**, b. 27 Feb. 1976.
2. **Joyce Helen Alinder**, b. 26 May 1950. M. 14 April 1973 **Gary Wayne Shepp**, b. 12 June 1950. Children: **Laura Marie**, b. 17 Sept. 1975; and **Eric Thomas**, b. 27 Sept. 1979.
3. **Wesley Bruce Alinder**, b. 15 Jan. 1955. M. 4 Oct. 1975 **Lorna Mary Nicolia**, b. 29 Oct. 1955. Children: **Sarah Elizabeth**, b. 14 July 1976; **Wesley Laurence**, b. 5 Dec. 1978; and **Dana Marie**, b. Dec. 1981.
4. **Thomas Gust Alinder**, b. 9 May 1960.

Table 30

Phyllis Elaine Alinder, dau. Hilma Olson Alinder (Tab. 25), b. Milnor, ND 14 May 1924. M. 2 May 1943 John **Herman Urbach**, b. 3 March 1921; d. 31 July 1980. Merchant. Res. Lisbon, ND. Children:

1. **Helen Kay Urbach**, b. 16 Sept. 1943. M. 6 May 1967 **Jerry W. Humphrey**,

- b. 7 May 1942. Children: **Kori Elizabeth**, b. 25 Sept. 1969; and **Mindi Kay**, b. 12 April 1980.
2. **Herman John Urbach**, b. 24 Feb. 1944. M. 12 June 1965 **Doreen L. Peterson**, b. 10 Aug. 1946. Children: **Jeffrey James**, b. 24 May 1966; **Gregory Allen**, b. 3 March 1968; and **Kristan Lee**, b. 9 Dec. 1970.
 3. **Terry Lee Urbach**, b. 26 Sept. 1947. M. 9 Dec. 1972 **Janice Rotenberger**, b. 9 Dec. 1945. Children: **Michael Lee**, b. 18 April 1974; **Jamie Marie**, b. 2 Oct. 1976; **Rachel Ann**, b. 21 Dec. 1978; and **Todd Alan**, b. 5 March 1981.
 4. **James Albert Urbach**, b. 28 Feb. 1954; d. 21 Jan. 1965.
 5. **Paul Kevin Urbach**, b. 28 Feb. 1960. M. 16 March 1984 **Diande Kaspari**, b. 6 June 1962.

Table 31

Myrtle Grace Olson, dau. Ole Andrew Olson (Tab. 19), b. 15 June 1895. M. 1917 **Eric Nystrom**, b. Sweden Jan. 1893. Barber. Res. Faulkton, SD. Sons (b. in Faulkton):

1. **Kenneth Nystrom**, b. 17 April 1921.
2. **Doyle Nystrom**, b. June 1925.

Table 32

Luella Christensen, dau. Ole Andrew Olson (Tab. 19), b. 15 April 1898; d. Ellendale, ND 30 Aug. 1982. M. 12 Dec. 1925 **Peter A. Christensen**, b. in Denmark; d. Aberdeen, SD 30 April 1968. Owner of farm machinery sales business. Res. Faulkton, SD; later Ellendale, ND. Children (b. in Faulkton):

1. **Phyllis Christensen**, b. 1927. M. Ellendale, ND **Benjamin Graham**. Attorney; dec. Two children.
2. **Norman Christensen**, b. 1929; d. Wahpeton, ND 1985. Banker. M. **Ester Olson**, Waubay, SD. Res. Mandan, ND; later at Wahpeton, ND. Two sons.

Table 33

Märta Eriksdotter,¹¹ later **Martha Olson**, dau. **Karen Olofsdotter Olson** (Tab. 18), b. Hallom, Oviken 26 July 1859; d. Cherokee County, IA 18 Sept. 1904. M. Iowa 26 July 1881 **Lewis Resene**, b. Bjärme, Näs Parish (Jämt.) 10 May 1845; d. 1 March 1933. Farmer. Res. Cherokee County, IA. Children:

1. **Oscar Elof Resene**, b. 3 Oct. 1882; d. 17 Dec. 1972. M. 9 March 1910 **Edna Mortenson**, b. 15 April 1889; d. 20 July 1949. Res. Iowa.
2. **Carolina (Lena) Amanda Resene**, b. 27 Sept. 1884; d. 17 Dec. 1938. M. **Clarence Booth**, b. 30 April 1890; d. 12 Nov. 1959. Res. Cherokee County, IA.
3. **Emma Paulina Resene**, b. 18 Aug. 1886; d. Dec. 1970. M. 23 Feb. 1910 **A.C. Larson**, b. 23 July 1886. Res. Primghar, IA.
4. **Rose Ellen Resene**, b. 4 Nov. 1888, see Tab. 34.
5. **William Edwin Resene**, b. 13 Dec. 1890; d. 3 May 1918.
6. **Ethel Victoria Resene**, b. 16 April 1896, see Tab. 37.
7. **Agnes Matilda Resene**, b. 27 Aug. 1897. M. 27 Dec. 1916 **William McIntosh**, b. Cherokee County, IA 24 Jan. 1891; d. 20 Jan. 1960.
8. **Gertrude Ann Resene**, b. 12 April 1900. M. 19 April 1924 **Donald F. Crain**, b. Augusta, IL 6 March 1898.
9. **David Resene**, b. 18 Dec. 1892; d. 15 July 1893.
10. **Louella Ruth Resene**, b. 20 June 1894; d. 16 May 1895.

Table 34

Rose Ellen Resene, dau. Martha Olson Resene (Tab. 33), b. 4 Nov. 1888. M. 20 Nov. 1912 **Albert Kinzel**, b. 23 April 1893; d. 4 June 1959. Res. Cleghorn, IA. Children (b. Cherokee County, IA):

1. **Harold Lavern Kinzel**, b. 25 Dec. 1912, see Tab. 35.
2. **Maxine Bernadine Kinzel**, b. 15 Feb. 1916, see Tab. 36.

Table 35

Harold Lavern Kinzel, s. Rose Resene Kinzel (Tab. 34), b. 25 Dec. 1912. M. 15 Aug. 1935 **Verda Marie Williams**, b. 11 Nov. 1912. Res. in Des Moines, IA. Son:

Warren Lavern Kinzel, b. 22 May 1936. M. 2 June 1956 **Joyce Ann Wing**, b. 31 Oct. 1936. Res. River Falls, WI. Children: **Cindi Lynn**, **Lori Ann** and **Kristin Marie**.

Table 36

Maxine Bernadine Kinzel, dau. Rose Resene Kinzel (Tab. 34), b. 15 Feb. 1916. M. 29 Dec. 1936 **Paul Dean Grauer**, b. Marcus, IA 18 May 1913. Res. Cherokee, IA. Dau.:

Karin Kay Grauer, b. LeMars, IA 7 Aug. 1937. M. 28 Nov. 1957 **Donald Dean Shirley**, b. Belle Plaine, IA 21 Dec. 1934. Res. Boone, IA. Children: **Renee Roze** and **Kevin Donald**.

Table 37

Ethel Victoria Resene, dau. Martha Olson Resene (Tab. 33), b. 16 April 1896. M. (1) 16 Aug. 1916 **Clarence Olson**, b. Iowa 23 Dec. 1893; d. 18 Sept. 1922; (2) 24 Sept. 1940 **Junius B. Brown**. Son in the first marriage:

Clarence **Duane Olson**, b. 17 May 1917; d. 7 Feb. 1958. M. **Opal Brown**; div. Children: **Vicky Jo**, **Steven Douglas** and **Jeffrey Alan**.

Table 38

Edward Nels Olson, s. Karin Olofsdotter Olson (Tab. 18), b. Meriden, IA 21 June 1873; d. Loyalton, SD 19 March 1960. Farmer, merchant, railroad employee. M. 2 Nov. 1910 **Alma Johnson**, b. Sundsvall, Sweden 25 Sept. 1893; d. Ipswich, SD 11 Sept. 1979. Res. Orleans, SD; later Loyalton, SD. Children:

1. **Irene Olson**, b. 16 Aug. 1911, see Tab. 39.
2. **Raymond Olson**, b. 3 Jan. 1914, see Tab. 40.
3. **Glen Olson**, b. 6 June 1919, see Tab. 41.
4. **Doris Olson**, b. 1932; d. at age 4 mos.

Table 39

Irene Olson, dau. Edward Nels Olson (Tab. 38), b. 16 Aug. 1911. Elementary school teacher. M. 5 June 1933 **Charles Elvin (Al) Sylte**, b. Milan, MN. Rural mail carrier; later exec. dir. ASCA program, Ipswich, SD. Children (b. Loyalton, SD):

1. **Rhyllis Sylte**, b. 1938. M. (1) **Lyle Kleffman**, Wecota, SD; d. 1977; (2) **Gary Jenkins**. Res. Aberdeen, SD. Children in the first marriage: **Delwyn**, **Darwyn** and **JoDel**.
2. **Arlene Sylte**, b. 1941. M. **Duane Holsing**. Farmer near Ipswich, SD. Children: **Kerwyn**, **Kerry**, **Jared** and **Troy**.
3. **Curtis Sylte**, b. 1948. Farmer and exec. dir. farm program in Roberts County, SD. M. **Jennell Durkee** of Volga, SD. Res. in Sisseton, SD. Children: **Chris** and **Jason**.

Table 40

Raymond Olson, s. Edward Nels Olson (Tab. 38), b. 3 Jan. 1914. Photography studio owner. M. **Dorothy Lerwick**. Res. Valley City, ND; recently moved to Twin Falls, ID. Children:

1. **Terry Olson**. M. **Sally Valdkamp**. Res. Pocatello, ID. Children: **Gregory, Donovan and Jonathon**.
2. **David Olson**. M. **Lenore Hagglund**. Res. Windsor, CO. Son: **Colin**.
3. **Corrine Olson**. Res. Bakersfield, CA.

Table 41

Glen Olson, s. Edward Nels Olson (Tab. 38), b. 6 June 1919. Employment with Boeing Aircraft, Wichita, KS; later with U.S. Postal Service. M. **Thelma Rodman** of Huron, SD. Res. Wichita, KS. Children:

1. **Harvey Olson**, M. **Shanna Austin**. Res. Salt Lake City, UT. Children: **Scott, Stacy, Heidi and Marty**.
2. **Glenda Olson**. M. **Lawrence Lerwick**. Res. Eaton, CO. Children: **Ryan, Amber, Kimberly and Chad**.

Table 42

Emma Carolina Olson,¹² dau. Karin Olofsdotter Olson (Tab. 18), b. Meriden, IA 30 Nov. 1876; d. 9 Dec. 1945. M. **Nicholas Olof Vik**, later **Nicholas Olof Wik**, b. Jämtland, Sweden 10 Jan. 1875; d. 19 April 1918, s. Nels P. Wik and Marit Olson. Farmer and merchant at Millard, SD. Children:

1. **Victor Oliver Wik**, b. 4 Feb. 1900, see Tab. 43.
2. **Lillian Carolyn Wik**, b. 30 April 1902, see Tab. 44.
3. **Elsie Evelyn Wik**, b. 10 Dec. 1903; d. Dallas, TX 4 Jan. 1980. Teacher, Faulk County (SD) Sup't. of Schools. M. 3 March 1940 **Ray M. Johnson** (1900-1980). Book publisher. Res. Chicago, IL; later Dallas, TX.
4. **Milton Livingston Wik**, b. 11 Nov. 1905, see Tab. 45.
5. **Elvera Margaret Wik**, b. 3 Oct. 1907, see Tab. 46.
6. **Reynold Millard Wik**, b. 19 Oct. 1911. Prof. Am. Hist., Mills College, Oakland, CA. M. 22 Aug. 1942 **Helen Bryan**, Librarian, Mills College. Res. Oakland, CA. Adopted son: **Dennis Peter**, b. West Berlin, Germany 12 May 1952.
7. **David Emerson Wik**, b. 18 Oct. 1911; d. 1928 while a student at South Dakota State College, Brookings.
8. **Viola Octavia Wik**, b. 7 March 1913. M. 1941 **Henry Bossman**. Res. in

- Englewood, CO. Daughters: **Luella Fern** and **Barbara Joyce**.
9. **Irvin Emmanuel Wik**, b. 17 Feb. 1915; d. 1982. M. 1938 **Marian See**. Children: **Terry, Ronald** and **Bradley**.
 10. **Harold Tennyson Wik**, b. 22 June 1916. Missionary in Malaysia for many years. M. 1952 **Lucinda White** of Australia. Res. in Roslyn, PA. Children: **Paul, Philip, Anne** and **Timothy**.
 11. **Nicholas Arvid Wik**, b. 22 May 1918. M. 1942 **Betty Sterling**. Res. in Cleveland, OH. Children: **Thomas** and **Dale**.

Table 43

Victor Oliver Wik, s. Emma Olson Wik (Tab. 42), b. 4 Feb. 1900; d. 1971. Minister. M. (1) 30 June 1933 **Virginia Ferguson** (1907-1936); (2) 17 Aug. 1940 **Irene Lyons**, b. 6 June 1899; d. 1980. Res. in Michigan; later in Iowa. Dau.:

Amaryllis Ruth Wik, b. Michigan 5 Oct. 1936. M. **Warren L. Vinz**. Son: **Allen Scott Vinz**, b. 13 Oct. 1962.

Table 44

Lillian Carolyn Wik, dau. Emma Olson Wik (Tab. 42), b. 30 April 1902; d. 8 Nov. 1984. M. 9 June 1925 **Albert O. Stewart**, b. Northville, SD 2 Oct. 1898; d. Sioux Falls, SD 1 Oct. 1970. Farmer. Res. near Norbeck, SD; later in Sioux Falls, SD. Children (b. in Faulk County, SD):

1. **Gordon Albert Stewart**, b. 22 March 1926. President of Stewart Enterprises, Sioux Falls, SD. M. 7 June 1952 **Delores Renner**. Children: **Randy, Michelle** and **Kristi**.
2. **David Wesley Stewart**, b. 28 April 1928. Assoc. with Stewart Enterprises. M. 1957 **Frances West**. Res. Sioux Falls, SD. Daughter: **Melody**.
3. **LaVonne Stewart**, b. 25 March 1929. M. 29 Oct. 1950 **Wendell Griffith**. Res. in Sioux Falls, SD. Children: **Gary, Dawn, Teresa** and **Kevin**.
4. **Betty Jane Stewart**, b. 30 May 1930. M. 23 Dec. 1950 **Myron Fillbach**, b. 1 Oct. 1930. Power advisor for rural electric program, Ipswich, SD. Children: **Myra Jane, Janet Ruth, Diane Joy** and **Jane Renee**.
5. **Roger Stewart**, b. 10 Jan. 1932. Assoc. with Stewart Enterprises. M. 21 April 1954 **Carol Fahrni**. Res. in Sioux Falls, SD. Children: **Sandra, Sharon, Scott, Douglas** and **Anne**.

Table 45

Milton Livingston Wik, s. Emma Olson Wik (Tab. 42), b. 11 Nov. 1905. Farmer. M. 14 June 1935 **Grace Riser**, b. Athol, SD 21 Nov. 1913. Res. near Wecota, SD. Children (b. in Faulk County, SD):

1. **Richard Lyle Wik**, b. 6 Nov. 1936. Book publisher. M. 17 Aug. 1958 **Jean Marie Beck** of Aberdeen, SD. Res. Bloomington, MN. Children: **Steven Lynn** and **Lori Jo**.
2. **Robert Duane Wik**, b. 30 Oct. 1940. Pharmacist. M. 8 Dec. 1962 **Vera Finney** of Faulkton, SD. Res. in Gregory, SD. Children: **Scott Allen** and **Sherri Lynn**.
3. **Marilyn Ruth Wik**, b. 25 July 1947. Teacher. M. **James Schlekeway**. Teacher and athletic coach. Res. Mission, SD. Children: **Todd** and **Tami**.

Table 46

Elvera Margaret Wik, dau. Emma Olson Wik (Tab. 42), b. 3 Oct. 1907. M. 1932 **Ivar Anderson**, b. 1903. Minister. Res. Batavia, IL. Children (b. Providence, RI):

1. **Eloise Anderson**, b. 1933. M. 17 Aug. 1957 **LeRoy Nelson**. Children: **Sonja Lynn**, **Sandra Ruth** and **Stephanie Kay**.
2. **Joanne Anderson**, b. 1935. M. 26 April 1958 **Vernon Hultgren**. Children: **Timothy**, **Tami** and **Randall**.
3. **Robert Ivar Anderson**, b. 1939. M. 30 Nov. 1963 **Glenda Jane Gilbert**. Children: **Erik Robert**, **Kurt Edward** and **Julie Marie**.

Table 47

Lisbet Olofsdotter, dau. Olof Kjelsson (Tab. 1), b. in Kinderåsen 1 Oct. 1841; d. 1920. M. 24 June 1867 **Johan Persson**, b. Berg Parish (Jämt.) 17 April 1840; d. 1922. Children (b. in Norrgården, Oviken):

1. **Per Johansson**, b. 22 March 1869, see Tab. 48.
2. **Elin Johansdotter**, b. 4 Dec. 1872; d. 20 Sept. 1962. M. ca. 1900 **Anders Vikander**, b. Oviken ca. 1870; d. 17 June 1935.
3. **Olof Johansson**, b. 27 March 1876; d. ca. 1940.
4. **Anders Johansson**, b. 20 Nov. 1878, see Tab. 52.
5. **Johan Johansson**, later **John Wigen**, b. 21 Dec. 1881; d. Billings, MT ca. 1979.

Table 48

Per Johansson, s. Lisbet Olofsdotter Persson (Tab. 47), b. 22 March 1869; d. 1951. M. 1898 **Emma Ericksson** (1872-1940), b. Oviken. Children:

1. **Lisbet Johansson**, b. 11 Aug. 1898, see Tab. 49.
2. **Erik Johansson**, b. 5 April 1900, see Tab. 50.
3. **Johan Johansson**, b. 16 Feb. 1905. M. 1942 **Karin Mannberg**, b. Berg 1908. Res. Hoverberg, Berg, Sweden.
4. **Olle Johansson**, b. 21 March 1909, see Tab. 51.

Table 49

Lisbet Johansson, dau. Per Johansson (Tab. 48), b. 11 Aug. 1898. M. 1927 **Emil Boman** of Oviken (1893-1954). Res. Botåsen, Oviken. Son:

Joel Boman, b. 1928. M. **Sonja ---**. Res. Botåsen. Childen: **Anna** and **Jan**.

Table 50

Erik Johansson, s. Per Johansson (Tab. 48), b. 5 April 1900; d. 15 April 1972. M. 1935 **Ester Johansson** of Myssjö, b. 28 May 1897. Res. Botåsen, Oviken. Son:

Sören Eriksson, b. 1941. M. **Ann-Mari ---**, b. 1949. Children: **Eleonora**, **Erik** and **Emelia**.

Table 51

Olle Johansson, s. Per Johansson (Tab. 48), b. 21 March 1909. M. **Lilly Gustafson** of Oviken, b. 23 June 1910. Res. Botåsen, Oviken. Children:

1. **Hjördis Johansson**, b. 1946.
2. **Håkan Johansson**, b. 1948.

Table 52

Anders Johansson, s. Lisbet Olofsdotter Persson (Tab. 47), b. 20 Nov. 1878; d. 24 Oct. 1964. M. 1904 **Matilda Jönsson**, b. Myssjö 31 Aug. 1879; d. 17 Dec. 1959. Children:

1. **Johan Aldberg**, b. 8 Feb. 1905; d. 12 Nov. 1975. M. (1) **Greta Flygt**, d. ca. 1940; (2) ca. 1944 **Ingegärd Lavén**. Sons: **Ernst** and **Anders**.
2. **Jöns Aldberg**, b. 12 Jan. 1908, see Tab. 53.

3. **Lisbet Aldberg**, b. 24 March 1912, see Tab. 54.
4. **Gertrud Aldberg**, b. ca. 1914, see Tab. 55.

Table 53

Jöns Aldberg, s. Anders Johansson (Tab. 52), b. 12 Jan. 1908; d. 30 March 1981. M. **Carin Neckman**, Frösö Parish (Jämt.), b. 8 March 1910. Son:

Jan Aldberg, b. 1945. M. 1966 **Margareta Carlson**, Oviken, b. ca. 1945. Daughter: **Ann-Kathrine**, b. 22 Jan. 1965.

Table 54

Lisbet Aldberg, dau. Anders Johansson (Tab. 52), b. 24 March 1912. M. **Erik Andersson**, Hackås, b. 30 Sept. 1913. Res. Norrgården, Oviken. Children:

1. **Bengt Andersson**, b. 1946. M. 1977 **Ann Christine ---** of Brunflo Parish (Jämt.). Res. Norrgården, Oviken. Children: **Anna** and **Ida**.
2. **Karin Andersson**, b. ca. 1950. T. **Örjan Engström**, Näs. Children: **Anders** and **Hans**.

Table 55

Gertrud Aldberg, dau. Anders Johansson (Tab. 52), b. ca. 1914. M. **Rune Vickström**, b. ca. 1908. Res. in Jämtland. Child:

Annika Vickström, b. ca. 1955. Res. in California.

Table 56

Anders Olofsson, s. Olof Kjelsson (Tab. 1), b. in Kinderåsen 7 Feb. 1843; d. Kinderåsen 12 May 1930. M. 27 March 1878 **Brita Jönsdotter**, b. Myssjö 1848; d. 5 April 1884. Res. Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells. Son:

Olof Andersson, b. 20 March 1883, see Tab. 57.

Table 57

Olof Andersson, s. Anders Olofsson (Tab. 56), b. Kinderåsen 20 March 1883; d. 13 Feb. 1937. M. 25 Oct. 1906 **Maria Hansson**, b. Myssjö 22 March 1883; d. 20 Feb. 1964. Res. Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells. Children:

1. **Anders Harry Olsson**, b. 2 Sept. 1907; d. 14 Nov. 1907.
2. **Nils Hagvin Olsson**, b. 25 Jan. 1909; d. 25 May 1922.

3. **Brita Ingeborg Olsson**, b. 12 Oct. 1911; d. 17 June 1977.
4. **Elin Augusta Olsson**, b. 29 Aug. 1913; d. 3 Sept. 1913.
5. **Anna Edit Olsson**, b. 8 July 1914; d. 15 Aug. 1914.
6. **Anders Vilhelm Olsson**, b. 6 April 1916; d. 18 June 1959.
7. **Maj Olava Olsson**, b. 25 Aug. 1918, see Tab. 58.
8. **Elsa Olsson** (twin), b. 24 May 1924, see Tab. 59.
9. **Hans Olsson** (twin), b. 24 May 1924. Res. Kinderåsen 2, Ol-Kjells.

Table 58

Maj Olava Olsson, dau. Olof Andersson (Tab. 57), b. Kinderåsen 25 Aug. 1918. M. 1939 **Oscar Olofsson**, b. 23 Oct. 1911. Res. Hägersten, Stockholm. Children:

1. **Kjell Olof (Olle) Oscarson**, b. 15 May 1939. M. **Ulla Britta Persson**, Berg, b. 12 Nov. 1940. Res. in Östersund where he is in business. Sons: **Pehr Olof**, b. 25 Sept. 1963, and **Jan Anders**, b. 24 Feb. 1967.
2. **Agnes Marianne Oscarson**, b. 21 April 1941. T. **Conny G. Karlsson**, Stockholm, b. 12 May 1946. Res. Stockholm. Daughter: **Karin Maria Therese**, b. 10 Nov. 1974.
3. **Karin Ingeborg Oscarson**, b. 7 Aug. 1945. Res. Stockholm.

Table 59

Elsa Olsson, dau. Olof Andersson (Tab. 57), b. Kinderåsen 24 May 1924. M. 1950 Olof **Joel Fredriksson**, b. 7 Jan. 1918. Farmer. Res. Åbbåsen, Myrviken, Oviken. Children:

1. **Kjell Fredrik Fredriksson**, b. 31 March 1951. Farmer. T. **Inger Nilsson**, b. 23 May 1953. Res. Myrviken. Dau. **Anna Maria**, b. 16 Feb. 1979.
2. **Kerstin Birgitta Fredriksson**, b. 20 Nov. 1952.
3. **Olof Stefan Fredriksson**, b. 3 Sept. 1956.
4. **Barbro Maria Fredriksson**, b. 9 May 1960.

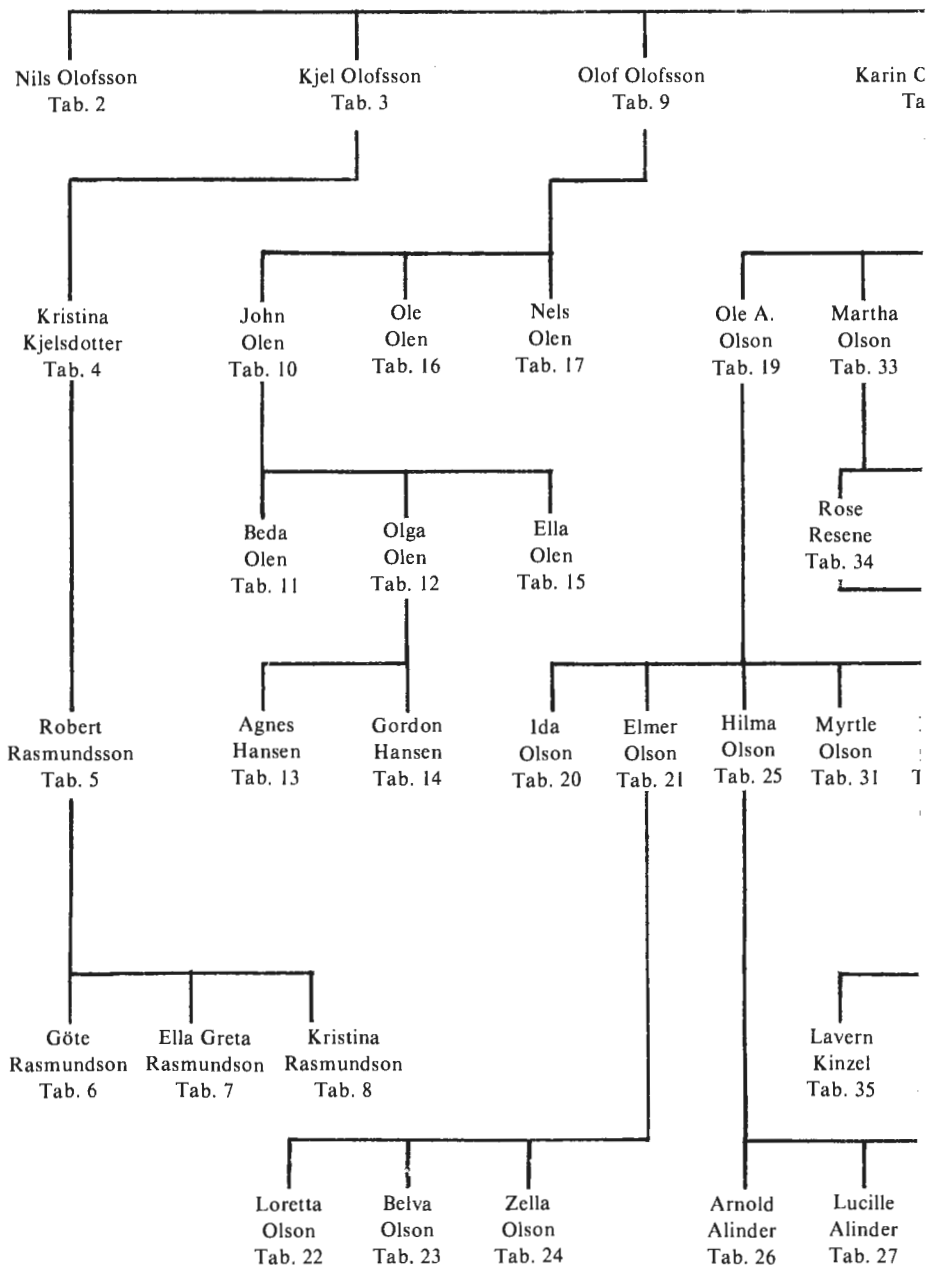
Table 60

Margareta (Greta) Olofsdotter, dau. Olof Kjelsson (Tab. 1), b. Kinderåsen, 20 Oct. 1847; d. 1929. M. 14 Oct. 1877 **Erik Andersson**, b. 9 Oct. 1851; d. 1926. Children:

1. **Kristina Eriksson**, b. 28 March 1881, see Tab. 61.
2. **Anna-Märta Eriksson**, b. 15 April 1887, see Tab. 5.
3. **Hilma Olava Eriksson**, b. 10 Oct. 1889; d. Östersund 29 Nov. 1968.
4. **Ella Kristina Eriksson**, b. 8 Jan. 1885; d. 30 Dec. 1904.

Descendants of Olof Kjelsson

Olof K.
Tab.



The Ancestors and Descendants of Olof Kjelsson

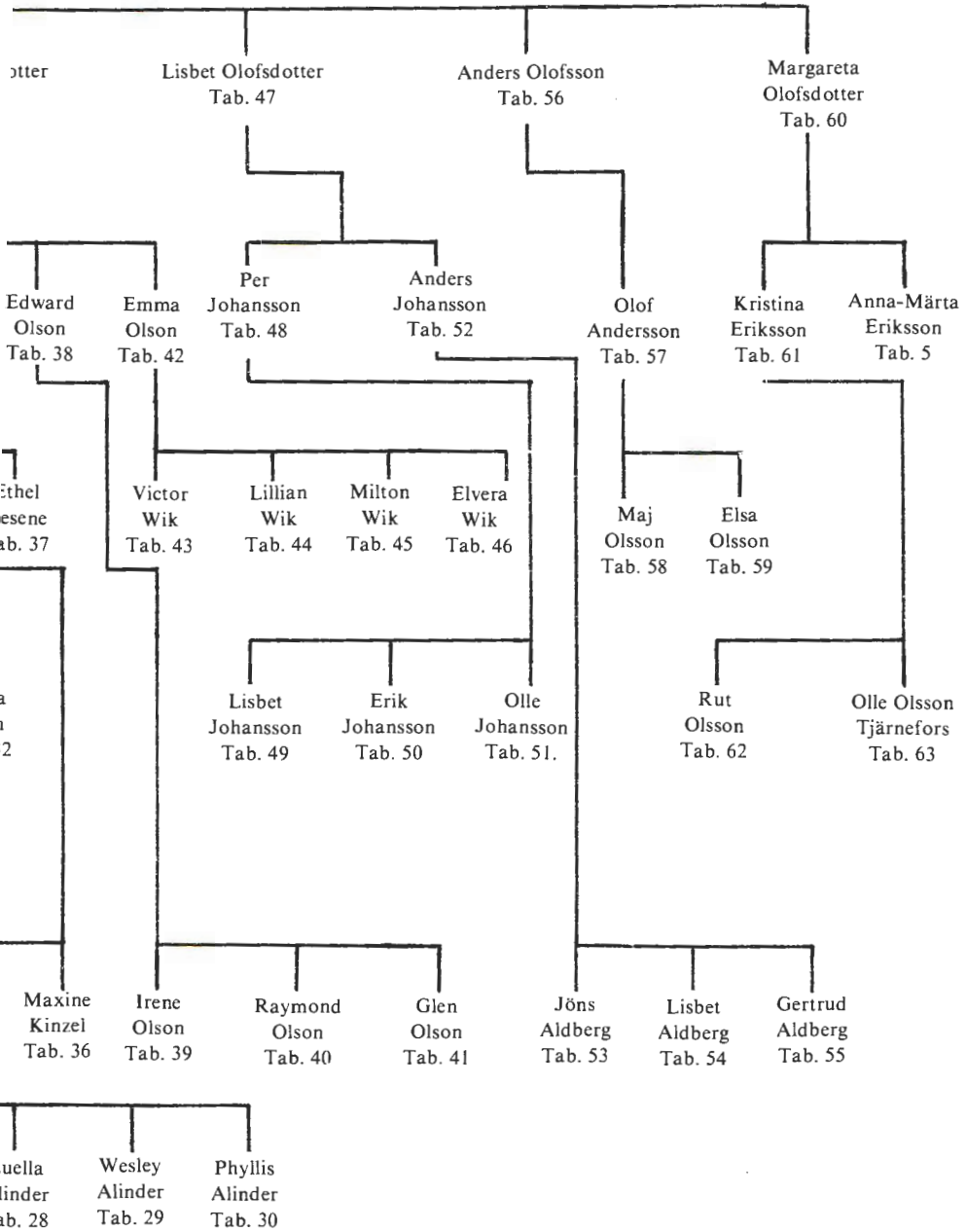


Table 61

Kristina Eriksson, dau. Margareta Olofsdotter Andersson (Tab. 60), b. 28 March 1881; d. 1946. M. 12 June 1904 **Anders Olofsson**, b. Myssjö 27 April 1876; d. 1935. Children:

1. **Rut Märta Margareta Olsson**, b. 20 July 1905, see Tab. 62.
2. **Ellen Olava Olsson**, b. 29 March 1909.
3. **Olle Olsson Tjärnefors**, b. 6 Sept. 1910, see Tab. 63.

Table 62

Rut Märta Margareta Olsson, dau. Kristina Eriksson Olofsson (Tab. 61), b. 20 July 1905; d. May 1948. M. 6 Jan. 1939 **Carl Pettersson**, Marby, b. 4 Dec. 1899; d. 1970. Res. Kläppe, Marby Parish (Jämt.). Children:

1. **Kurt J. Pettersson**, b. 10 Dec. 1939. M. 1976 **Gunnel Hedman**, Mattmar, b. 23 Aug. 1946. Res. Kläppe, Marby. Child: **Maria Kristina**, b. 21 Sept. 1976.
2. **Kjell Arne Pettersson**, b. 23 June 1941. Res. Sundsvall.
3. **Sonja Kerstin Louise Pettersson**, b. 9 March 1944. T. **Lennart Högländer**. Children: **Johanna**, b. 25 Oct. 1965, and **Jesper**, b. 22 March 1969.

Table 63

Olle Olsson Tjärnefors, s. Kristina Eriksson Olofsson (Tab. 61), b. 6 Sept. 1910. Farmer. M. 1948 **Karin M. Svensson**, b. 5 June 1915. Res. Kinderåsen. Children:

1. Sven Anders **Bertil Tjärnefors**, b. 15 June 1949. T. **Ingela G. Jonsson**, Själevad Parish (Vn.), b. 18 Sept. 1952. Res. Kinderåsen. Children: **Anders Peter**, b. 26 Sept. 1976, and **Erik Anders**, b. 27 May 1979.
2. **Ingegärd Kristina Tjärnefors**, b. 26 May 1951. M. **Tvan DoHoang**, b. Saigon, Vietnam 5 Aug. 1954. Res. in Stockholm.

¹Jämtland was ceded to Sweden in 1645 by Denmark by the Treaty of Brömsebro.

²Waldemar von Sydow and Sten Björkman, *Svensk Hembygd - Jämtland* (Uddevalla 1939).

³*Ibid.*, p. 868.

⁴*Jämtlands läns landsarkiv* (The District Archives for Jämtland), Östersund, Sweden.

⁵Olof Kjelsson's last will, dated 1865, was given me by Oscar and Maj (Olsson) Olofsson of Hägersten, Sweden.

⁶Emma Olson Wik, *Sweden to America: A Story of Pioneering on the American Frontier* (Unpublished manuscript), p. 3.

⁷Much of the information about the families in Sweden has been provided by Maj Olofsson, Hägersten, Sweden.

⁸Robert Rasmundsson married Anna-Märta Eriksson, his second cousin and the daughter of his grandfather's sister.

⁹Information on the descendants of Olof Olen (Olof Olofsson) was provided by Olga Olen Hansen, Aurora, CO.

¹⁰In the Swedish Russian War of 1808-1809 which resulted in the loss of Finland to Russia, Olof Hansson assumed the military name of Wåglund.

¹¹Maxine Kinzel Grauer, Cherokee, IA, provided information about the descendants of Martha Olson Resene.

¹²Data on the Emma Olson Wik descendants was provided by Lillian Wik Stewart, Sioux Falls, SD.

Naturalizations of Scandinavians in New York 1802-1840

Nils William Olsson

In his mammoth compilation of early New York naturalizations, published in 1981, Kenneth Scott, F.A.S.G., has accomplished a tremendous feat, extracting the names of close to 15,000 foreigners who gained U.S. citizenship in New York City during the years from 1792 to 1840.* By sorting out material from a number of sources, Dr. Scott has brought it all together in one handy volume. This vast collection provides highly useful information for the genealogist, presenting material which thus can aid those whose forebears arrived in the early part of the 19th century and who acquired U.S. citizenship in New York City during a period covering more than fifty years.

In scrutinizing this work, I was struck by the many early Scandinavians, beginning in 1802, who sought U.S. citizenship in the New York courts. With the kind permission of Dr. Scott and the publishers, I have taken the liberty of culling all individuals of Scandinavian provenance and then have attempted to further identify them. In many cases this has been possible. Yet in other cases the Anglicization of original Scandinavian names has made further identification impossible.

All of the naturalizations presented here emanate from four court jurisdictions. These are, with the abbreviations used within parentheses:

1. The Court of Common Pleas for the City and County of New York (CP).
2. Marine Court of the City of New York (MC).
3. Superior Court of the City of New York (SC).
4. District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York (USDC).

The material presented in Dr. Scott's work is based upon the examination of these court records as well as a few others, all of the material being on deposit at the Archives Branch of the Federal Archives and Records Center in Bayonne, NJ.

*Kenneth Scott, *Early New York Naturalizations*. Abstracts of Naturalization Records from Federal, State, and Local Courts, 1792-1840 (Baltimore 1981). The author is indebted to Dr. Scott for his kindness in allowing him to break out the Scandinavian names from his comprehensive list. The author is also grateful to the publishers for permission to reprint the Scandinavian entries.

In identifying these Scandinavian immigrants it should be kept in mind that early in the 19th century the political boundaries in Europe differed vastly from those of today. As a matter of fact the political and geographic changes imposed upon Scandinavia since 1809 have had a dramatic impact on these nations. A brief summary will show what these changes have meant:

Denmark - Until the Treaty of Kiel in 1814, Norway was an integral part of Denmark. In that year Norway was ceded to Sweden to form a dual monarchy, which lasted until 1905, when Norway became independent. Schleswig was a part of Denmark until 1866, when it was ceded to Germany. Holstein, though a German province, was ruled by a Danish duke, who also was King of Denmark. The Danish West Indies remained Danish until 1917 when they were sold to the U.S.

Finland - Until 1809 Finland was an integral part of Sweden. In that year it was ceded to Russia. It became independent in 1917.

Norway - Until 1814 it was a part of Denmark; after that year a partner with Sweden in a dual monarchy until 1905, when it gained its independence.

Sweden - Lost Finland to Russia in 1809 and Swedish Pomerania to Prussia in 1815. In 1878 sold the island of St. Barthélemy in the West Indies to France.

From this it can be seen that as early as the beginning of the 19th century, a Danish subject may have come from Norway, Schleswig, Holstein or the West Indies; a Russian subject may have come from Finland; a Swedish subject may have come from Finland, Norway, Swedish Pomerania or the West Indies.

The nation which received the short end of the stick in this political game of "musical chairs" was doubtless Norway. It is therefore quite certain that among all of the Danish or Swedish mariners to be found in the list, a number of them may very well be Norwegian nationals. This possibility should always be kept in mind.

So far as the identifications are concerned, there is surely much more that can be done. The author has not explored several possibilities such as census lists, estate inventories, church membership lists, cemetery records or other New York City directories beyond those of 1838 and 1850.

Readers are invited to fill in the lacunae and inform the editor of new evidence which might come to light. This material is always welcome and will be published in future issues.

Name	Occupation	Nativity	Date Naturalized	Court	Witnesses
ACHREW, Otto	- - -	Sweden	7 Feb. 1839	CP	John Brown
ADAMS, Peter	Rigger	Denmark	23 Apr. 1807	MC	James Swan, ropemaker
ADRIANSEN, Bartel	- - -	Denmark	16 Feb. 1839	CP	- - -
ANDERSON, Andrew	Rigger and stevedore	Denmark	8 Jan. 1829	MC	Samuel Mitchell, coach lamp maker, and Peter Seely, rigger and stevedore
ARNETH, Christopher	- - -	Denmark	4 Nov. 1839	CP	- - -
BAKMAN, John N. ¹	- - -	Sweden	6 Nov. 1839	CP	- - -
BERNDTSON, Eric ²	Mariner	Sweden	13 Aug. 1835	CP	John A. Sidelr, ³ guardian
BERRY, Charles	- - -	Sweden	17 Oct. 1831	CP	- - -
BIRCK, Mathias	- - -	Denmark	22 Oct. 1840	CP	William Raddy
BLACK, Frederick Christian ⁴	- - -	Denmark	20 May 1829	CP	
BODT, Charles ⁵	- - -	Denmark	7 Nov. 1837	CP	Thomas Kearney
BOSCH, Jacob ⁶	Mariner	Denmark	22 Jan. 1837	CP	- - -
BOYSEN, Andrew F.	- - -	Denmark	7 Nov. 1838	CP	Frederick Wang ⁷
BRAEM, Rudolph ⁸	- - -	Denmark	2 May 1838	CP	- - -
BREDALL, Rasmus Christian ⁹	Mariner	Norway	20 June 1828	CP	- - -
BROWN, John ¹⁰	Laborer	Norway	9 June 1828	CP	- - -
BROWN, John	- - -	Sweden	17 Nov. 1828	CP	- - -
BRUNOW, Berndt John	Mariner	Sweden	20 May 1808	CP	Joseph Hilton, mariner
CANTER, Rachel	- - -	Denmark	3 Oct. 1828	MC	Charlotte Saaportas and David G. Seixas, grocer

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CARTMEL, Robert	Merchant	Sweden	18 May 1818	CP	John Hefferman, merchant
CLARSON, Frederick ¹¹	- - -	Sweden	7 Nov. 1838	CP	F.W. Estling ¹²
CORREA, Emanuel Alvares	- - -	Denmark	31 July 1837	CP	- - -
DECKER, Augustus	Mariner	Sweden	31 Mar. 1832	MC	Thomas Taylor, rigger
EDWARDS, John	- - -	Sweden	24 Sept. 1840	CP	William D. Murphy ¹³
ELGREN, Alexander ¹⁴	- - -	Sweden	3 Apr. 1834	MC	Michael Emanuel, ¹⁵ grocer, and William Rhodes, marshal of NYC
FABER, Adamine	- - -	Denmark	13 Oct. 1840	CP	- - -
FABER, John H.	- - -	Denmark	12 Oct. 1840	CP	- - -
FLETH, John Christian	- - -	Denmark	28 May 1840	CP	Friedrick Gustof Rode ¹⁶
GADD, Lewis ¹⁷	Mariner	Sweden	9 Nov. 1836	CP	Fernando Wood ¹⁸
GERAERDT, John Peter	Merchant	Denmark	13 Feb. 1803	CP	John Grigg, ironmonger
GREEN, William Alexander	- - -	Sweden	10 Oct. 1840	CP	Henry Jenkins
GREENLEAF, John ¹⁹	Mariner	Sweden	30 Apr. 1828	CP	- - -
HAGEMAN, Nelson	- - -	Sweden	27 Apr. 1807	CP	Jacob F. Shoemaker
HARRIS, Nicholas ²⁰	- - -	Sweden and Norway	10 Apr. 1838	CP	Wilhelm Meyer
HAWKINS, Charles	- - -	Denmark	14 Nov. 1836	SC	- - -
HENDRICKSEN, William	- - -	Denmark	26 July 1839	CP	- - -
HENNINGSON, Christian August ²¹	Mariner	Denmark	-- Feb. 1827	MC	John Meyer, boardinghouse keeper

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HILLSBURGH, Charles ²²	Pewterer and plumber	Sweden	14 May 1827	MC	John J. Rogers, pewterer and plumber
HOFFSTROM, Alexander ²³	- - -	Russia	20 June 1837	CP	- - -
HOLBAERG, Reyer ²⁴	- - - Sweden	and Norway	12 Apr. 1839	CP	Reynolds Jones
HOLM, Hans Brown	Mariner	Denmark	20 Sept. 1834	CP	Robert McManus, captain of the port of Portland, ME and and John C. Nicholas, mariner
HOLMQUIST, Cornelius	- - -	Sweden	27 Oct. 1840	CP	Martin Murphy
HORN, Christian	- - -	Denmark	12 Apr. 1837	CP	Stephen Norris
JOHNSEN, John	Cartman	Denmark	8 Apr. 1807	MC	John McMannus
JOHNSON, Amund	Rigger	Denmark	22 Apr. 1807	CP	Michael Lebeth
JOHNSON, Jacob	Shipwright	Denmark	29 Apr. 1807	CP	Robert Brown, shipwright
JOHNSON, John	- - -	Sweden	6 Nov. 1838	CP	- - -
JOHNSON, John	- - -	Sweden	28 Sept. 1840	CP	Peter Johnson
JOHNSON, Martin	- - -	Sweden	6 Nov. 1838	CP	John Brown
JOHNSON, Nicholas	Mariner	Denmark	15 Oct. 1802	CP	Henry Thorne, boatbuilder
JOHNSON, Nicholas	- - -	Denmark	29 Apr. 1840	CP	John Jacobs
KAHN, Charles ^{24*}	Merchant	Sweden	20 Sept. 1832	CP	- - -
KEELER, George ²⁵	Mariner	Denmark	18 June 1827	CP	- - -
KRAG, Ludvig	Carpenter	Denmark	22 Oct. 1831	CP	- - -
KROOK, August ²⁶	Mariner	Sweden	1 Dec. 1826	MC	John Peterson, ship's carpenter

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KUEBEL, John Jacob	Mariner	Sweden	17 Jan. 1806	CP	William Jacobs, grocer
LAWSON, Henry ²⁷	- - -	Sweden	18 Aug. 1836	CP	John Lindmark ²⁸
LINDMARK, John ²⁸	Mariner	Sweden	2 May 1839	CP	James Underhill, grocer
LINN, Charles ²⁹	- - -	Finland	28 May 1840	CP	Christian Barnes ³⁰
LOWRY, William ³¹	Engineer	Sweden	14 Mar. 1835	CP	- - -
MAGNUSSON, Levi Joseph ³²	- - -	Sweden	20 May 1834	CP	- - -
MARTIN, Henry ³³	- - -	Sweden	4 Nov. 1840	CP	Emanuel Swanson ^{33*}
MILLER, Christian ³⁴	Milkman	Denmark	27 Apr. 1821	CP	- - -
MITCHELL, Henry	Rigger	Denmark	25 Apr. 1807	MC	Aspinwall Cornwell, grocer
MÖLLER, Frederick	- - -	Denmark	7 Nov. 1838	CP	Frederick Wang
MULLER, Peter ³⁵	Mariner	Denmark	24 June 1830	CP	- - -
MYERS, Cornelius	- - -	Denmark	3 Apr. 1834	MC	Constantine Price and Richard Totten ³⁶
NELSON, Andrew	- - -	Sweden	19 Oct. 1839	CP	- - -
NORDBLAD, Gustaf ³⁷	- - -	Sweden	9 Oct. 1840	CP	Joseph Reynolds
OLSEN, Andrew Julius ³⁸	- - -	Denmark	6 Nov. 1838	CP	Frederick Wang
OSTRAND, Carls	Shipwright	Sweden	1 May 1806	MC	Robert Brown, shipwright
PAUL, John	Tavernkeeper	Denmark	30 Apr. 1807	CP	Moses Brown, tavernkeeper
PAULSEN, John Christian	- - -	Denmark	7 Nov. 1838	CP	James Walters
PEDERSEN, James	Mariner	Sweden	19 Oct. 1831	CP	- - -
PETERSEN, George Christopher ³⁹	- - -	Denmark	2 Jan. 1827	MC	Francis J. Berier, teacher

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PETERSON, Hans ⁴⁰	Mariner	Sweden	8 Aug. 1827	MC	John Thompson, rigger
PETERSON, John	- - -	Sweden	15 Apr. 1807	MC	James Nott, rigger
PIHLSTROM, Adolphus Peter ⁴¹	Seaman	Sweden	24 Aug. 1816	CP	- - -
PRUDHOMME, John Francis Eugene ⁴²	Engraver	Denmark	4 Sept. 1834	CP	Augustus Gaetam, ⁴³ former dentist, and Augustus Holbert, engraver
REED, Thor	Laborer	Denmark	10 Apr. 1832	MC	George Higday and James H. Brizier
REIMER, Friedrich	Mariner	Denmark	9 Nov. 1831		Ensign Stadley, mariner
RODEN, Charles ⁴⁴	Mariner	Sweden	23 May 1811	CP	Thomas Hasam, grocer of Newark, NJ
ROSENLOR, Charles A.	- - -	Denmark	7 Nov. 1838	CP	Frederick Wang
ROSENQUEST, John ⁴⁵	- - -	Sweden	2 Apr. 1834	MC	John Jacobs and Lawrence Green
SAGO, John	Mariner	Sweden	19 Aug. 1806	CP	William Downs, shipmaster
SALBORG, Jonas M. ⁴⁶	Shipmaster	Sweden	16 July 1819	CP	- - -
SCHACK, Otto	- - -	Denmark	24 Oct. 1840	CP	John D. Jones
SMEDBERG, Charles Gustaf ⁴⁷	Merchant	Sweden	21 Nov. 1824	USDC	John B. Miller and William Renwick ⁴⁸
SMITH, Henry K.	Student at law	Denmark	23 Mar. 1831	MC	Edmund D. Barry, ⁴⁹ clergyman
SMITH, John	- - -	Denmark	9 Apr. 1839	CP	John Brown

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SMITH, Martin	Mariner	Denmark	22 June 1831	CP	- - -
SPARR, John Henry Godfrey	Farmer	Denmark	25 June 1832	CP	- - -
STEWART, William	Mariner	Sweden	19 Oct. 1831	CP	- - -
SWEDMAN, George Douglas	Mariner	Sweden and Norway	12 Oct. 1830	MC	Charles Harrington, mariner
TALIN, Wladimir Appolonius ⁵⁰	- - -	Sweden	7 Nov. 1838	SC	- - -
TAXBOLD, William	Ship's painter	Denmark	17 Apr. 1807	MC	Richard Sawyer, ship's painter
THOMPSON, John	Mariner	Sweden	21 Sept. 1808	CP	James Dupart, grocer
THOMPSON, Peter	Rigger and stevedore	Sweden	30 Mar. 1827	MC	James Weldon, ⁵¹ shipmaster
TRUMPY, John Jacob	Ship's carpenter	Sweden	14 Oct. 1831	MC	Jacob S. Bogert, printer
TYSON, Peter	Rigger	Denmark	21 May 1812	CP	Peter Stream, rigger, Adam Logan, watchmaker and Thomas Wallace, brass founder
WARBURG, Israel Marcus	Farmer	Denmark	27 Aug. 1831	CP	- - -
WARDELL, Christopher ⁵²	Fisherman	Denmark	23 Aug. 1828	MC	Jonas Beekman, ⁵³ rigger and Peter Mansfield, ⁵⁴ fisherman
WEBURGH, William	- - -	Denmark	12 Oct. 1840	CP	William O'Connor
WETHEREL, Charles	- - -	Sweden	1 June 1827	MC	Thomas Armstrong ⁵⁵
WILLIAMS, John	Mariner	Sweden	19 Oct. 1831	CP	- - -

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WILLIAMS, John	- - -	Sweden	11 Apr. 1839	CP	William Witberg ⁵⁶
WILLIAMS, Roger ⁵⁷	Grocer	Norway	21 Apr. 1821	CP	- - -
WILSON, Andrew	Mariner	Sweden	29 Apr. 1807	CP	Robert Brown, shipwright
WILSON, Andrew	Mariner	Sweden	13 Oct. 1832	CP	- - -
WILSON, John ⁵⁸	Seaman	Norway	25 Aug. 1827	CP	- - -
WITTROCK, Hans Christopher ⁵⁹	Seafarer	Denmark	30 Apr. 1819	CP	- - -
WORTMANN, Henry ⁶⁰	- - -	Denmark	2 Nov. 1840	CP	Gamaliel L. Leycraft

Notes

- ¹He is perhaps identical with Nils Johan Beckman (Bäckman), b. in Falkenberg 30 Aug. 1807, the s. of Anders Beckman, sailor, and Johanna Lindström. He left Falkenberg in 1831 and checked in at the police headquarters in Göteborg 26 Sept. The following day he departed for New York. He may also be identical with a Swede named Backman, an instrument maker, who was res. in NY in the 1850s as well as a Swede named Backman, who in 1861 was in the welcoming party for the crew of the Swedish frigate *Norrköping*, which visited NY that year. —Information courtesy Erik Wikén; Lars Johan Govenius, *Fregatten Norrköpings Expedition 1861-1862* (Göteborg 1862), p. 81; Alvar Kullgren, *Dagbok 1850-1856* (Ms. in the District Archives of Göteborg).
- ²Eric Berndtson was b. in Stockholm ca. 1815 and had emigr. from Göteborg. —*Scott*, p. 210.
- ³Probably John A. Sidell, a NY attorney affiliated with the law firm Sidell and Livingston, located at 20 Chambers Street in 1838. —Longworth's *American Almanac, New York Register and City Directory* (New York 1838), p. 572.
- ⁴Frederick C. Black, a piano maker, res. at 10 Fifth Avenue in 1838. —*Longworth*, p. 97.
- ⁵Charles Bodt res. in a boardinghouse at 73 Cherry Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 102.
- ⁶Jacob Bosch was b. in Glückstadt in Schleswig-Holstein (at that time a part of Denmark) ca. 1813 and had emigr. from Hamburg. —*Scott*, p. 210.
- ⁷Frederick Wang maintained a porterhouse or tavern at 292 Greenwich Street in 1838. His name appears as a witness on several occasions when Danish subjects were naturalized. —*Longworth*, p. 658.
- ⁸Rudolph Braem, merchant, was located at 87 Beaver Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 111.
- ⁹Rasmus Christian Bredall was b. in Tromsø, Norway ca. 1794 and had emigr. from Copenhagen. —*Scott*, p. 211.
- ¹⁰John Brown was b. in Stavanger, Norway ca. 1781 and had emigr. from Kristiansand, Norway. —*Ibid.*
- ¹¹Perhaps he is identical with Fredrik Carlson, a Swedish mariner, who res. in NY in the 1820s. He was b. ca. 1801 and departed from NY 1 July 1828 for Brazil aboard the ship *New Orleans* and returned to NY 5 Feb. 1829. —*New York Port Crew Lists*, National Archives, Washington, DC.
- ¹²Theodore William Estling (Östling) was a carver and gilder in partnership with Robert Soderbery (Söderberg) at 1 St. John's Lane. Estling res. at 250 Canal Street in 1838. Estling became a member of the Swedish Society in NY 28 Feb. 1836 and Söderberg 29 April 1841. —*Longworth*, p. 236; *Svenska Societetens arkiv* (The Archives of the Swedish Society), on deposit at the Emigrant Institute, Växjö, Sweden.
- ¹³William D. Murphy, sailmaker, had his shop at 32 Depeyster Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 467.
- ¹⁴Alexander Elgrean (sic!), a carpenter, res. at 96 Allen Street in 1838. He is identical with Alexander Elgrim (sic!), a res. at 96 Allen Street, a native of Sweden, who d. 20 Nov. 1843 at the age of 50 and probably was buried in Orange Co., NY, since his body was remanded there. —*Longworth*, p. 231; *NY City Register of Deaths*, New York City Archives.
- ¹⁵Michael Emanuel, grocer, had his shop at 146 Front Street in 1838. He res. at 77 Oliver Street. —*Longworth*, p. 234.
- ¹⁶Frederick G. Rode res. at a boardinghouse at 67 James Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 541.
- ¹⁷Lewis Gadd, a native of Sweden, d. at 9 Ninth Avenue in NY 14 Aug. 1852 from heart disease. He was 50 years old. His body was removed from the city. —*NY City Register of Deaths*.
- ¹⁸Fernando Wood, grocer, had his shop at 133 Washington Street in 1838. He res. at 136½ Chapel Street. —*Longworth*, p. 694.
- ¹⁹John Greenleaf was a native of Stockholm, b. ca. 1791 and had emigr. from Stockholm. —*Scott*, p. 234
- ²⁰Nicholas Harris' declaration of intent was dated 1836. —*Ibid.*, p. 116
- ²¹Christian August Henningson was b. in Denmark ca. 1791 and had emigr. from Gibraltar. —*Ibid.*, p. 338.
- ²²There are two references to Charles Hillsburgh's naturalization. He was naturalized in CP 20 March 1827 and in MC 14 May the same year. In 1838 he had his plumber's shop at 342 Water Street and res. at 75 Monroe Street. On 21 Aug. 1848 he visited Göteborg, staying there at Todd's Hotel. He produced his passport at the police headquarters that day, which stated that he was domiciled in New York, also that he was b. in that city. The latter statement is erroneous. —*Longworth*, p. 321; *Journal öfver Utländske Resande för åren 1848-1851* (Register of Foreign Travelers 1848-1851, *Göteborgs Poliskammare DIV:12a* in the District Archives of Göteborg; information courtesy Erik Wikén.
- ²³Alexander Hoffstrom res. in Thomaston, ME, and though a subject of Russia, was probably of Finnish origin. The name, sometimes spelled Hofström, appears in Finnish genealogical works. —*Scott*, p. 241.
- ²⁴Reyer Holbaerg had declared his intention of becoming a U.S. citizen in 1833. —*Ibid.*, p. 116.
- ^{24*}Carl Sam. Kahn, 22 years of age, clerk, rec. passport to NY in Stockholm 12 June 1818. Four years later, he arr. at age 26 from America and checked in with the police headquarters in Göteborg 23 Nov. 1822, continuing on to Stockholm. Three years later he arr. at the police headquarters in Göteborg 13 May 1825 at the age of 29, coming from Cadiz in Spain. He rec. another passport in Göteborg 28 May to Karlskrona and Stockholm. In the latter city he rec. a passport to Copenhagen 30 Aug. 1831. He may be the s. of a Jewish merchant in Stockholm, Samuel M. Kahn, who d. in 1829. —Information courtesy Erik Wikén.

- ²⁵George Keeler had come from Holstein, at that time a part of Denmark. He had emigr. from Hamburg. —*Ibid.*, p. 246.
- ²⁶August Krook was b. in Stockholm ca. 1801 and had emigr. from that city. He d. at 326 Madison Avenue in NY 14 June 1842 and was bur. in the Oliver Street Baptist Cemetery by the Rev. L. Davis. His age at the time of his death was listed as 45 years. —*Ibid.*; *NY City Register of Deaths*.
- ²⁷He is possibly identical with Henry Larson, native of Göteborg, a Swedish sailor, who in New Orleans on 12 June 1815 signed aboard the ship *Hebe* destined for Gibraltar. —*New Orleans Port Crew Manifests*, National Archives, Washington, DC.

- ²⁸John Eric Lindmark, was b. in Ekerö Parish (Stock.) 2 June 1792, the s. of Eric Lindmark, miller, and Elisabeth Björkstедt in her second marriage. Very little is known about his early life, but according to an advertisement in the *American Druggists' Circular* for June 1859, his s. William Mount Lindmark stated that his father arr. in the U.S. in 1815. From 13 Oct. 1817 to 13 Sept. 1818 he served as a seaman in the U.S. Navy, being regularly discharged from the 74-gun U.S. ship *Washington* on the latter date.

He established himself as a merchant in NY, specializing in the manufacture and sale of perfumes. In 1828 he visited Sweden and received a passport in Stockholm 17 June of that year for travel to NY. In 1838 he was established as a perfumer at 88 Chatham Street with a residence at 3 Roosevelt Street. In 1850 he was still listed as a perfumer, this time in the Merchants' Exchange and a residence at 256 Bowery. He d. in NY 24 July 1868.

In many ways Lindmark was a remarkable individual. In 1832 he wrote and published two novelettes, *The Vigilant Farmer: A Western Tale*; and *The Magic Stone: An Eastern Tale*, probably the very first Swedish American work of fiction in the U.S.

Additional information regarding this early Swedish emigrant can be found in Benson's account. —Adolph B. Benson, "John Lindmark: Versatile Swedish Immigrant in New York" in *The American Swedish Historical Museum Yearbook 1946* (Philadelphia 1946), pp. 5-22; *Svenska flottans pensionskassas verifikationer* (Swedish Passport Records); *Longworth*, p. 395; *Daggett's New York City Directory for 1850-1851*, p. 202.

- ²⁹He may be identical with Charles Linn, a Swedish Finn, whose original name was Karl Erik Engelbert Sjö Dahl, and who was b. in Pojo in the province of Nyland, Finland 13 June 1814. He became a sailor in North American waters, arr. for the first time in the U.S. in 1833 and then settled in the South, where he played a leading part in the early days of the city of Birmingham, AL.

Soon after his naturalization he returned to his native land, arr. in Stockholm 24 Aug. 1840 with a passport dated Helsingfors 30 July. He arr. in Göteborg 27 Aug. together with Emil Sjö Dahl (a brother?) and departed for Hull England the following day. When he visited Finland he carried a passport dated Åbo (Turku) 16 Sept. 1842, countersigned in Göteborg 1 Oct., stating that he was on his way to Copenhagen. He departed from Sweden via the fortress of Malmö 5 Oct. 1842 together with his wife, who if the two individuals named Charles Linn are identical, was Emile Antoinette Forss, also b. in Finland. For further information concerning Linn and his role in the building of the modern South, see Ernest J. Moyné, "Charles Linn: Finnish-Swedish Businessman, Banker, and Industrialist in Nineteenth-Century Alabama" in *The Swedish Pioneer Historical Quarterly* (now *The Swedish-American Historical Quarterly*), Vol. XXVIII, No. 2, April 1977, pp. 97-105. —Passport lists for Stockholm and Göteborg in the City Archives of Stockholm (*Stockholms Stadsarkiv*) and the District Archives of Göteborg (*Göteborgs Landsarkiv*); information courtesy Erik Wikén.

- ³⁰Christian Barnes res. at a boardinghouse at 25 Oak Street in 1838. —*Longworth*, p. 78.

- ³¹William M. Lowry, engineer, res. at 123 Cannon Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 403.

- ³²Levi Magnusson was b. in the Jewish Congregation (*Mosaiska församlingen*) in Stockholm 10 April 1810, the s. of Joseph Magnusson, a wholesale merchant, and Fredrica von Halle. As a young clerk he received a passport in Göteborg 27 May 1831 for travel to NY. There he m. Sara Corning, b. 3 Aug. 1821, and had with her two children, b. in NY—Anna Fredrika, b. 31 March 1842 and Howard Campbell, b. 7 Feb. 1845. On 2 July 1845 he returned to Sweden with his family and remained in Stockholm the next four years, during which time his American wife met and associated with many of the leading literary Swedish men and women of that day. Here a third child, Rosalie, was b.

In 1849 the Magnussons returned to the U.S. aboard the vessel *Augusta*, which arr. in NY 3 Sept. that year. Aboard the same ship was a Norwegian immigrant by the name of Gerhard Styhr Christian Hjort Paoli, who on the voyage lost his Swedish wife by death. Back in the U.S. the Magnussons at first res. in Cincinnati, where Levi Magnusson and Gerhard Paoli opened a pharmacy. After a short time the family moved to Chicago where Magnusson d. and his widow, Sara Corning Magnusson, remarried Gerhard Paoli. Levi Magnusson's s. Howard C. Magnusson became one of the founders of the Northwestern University School of Dental Surgery. —Nils William Olsson, *Swedish Passenger Arrivals in New York 1820-1850* (Stockholm and Chicago 1967), pp. 186-187; information courtesy Erik Wikén; Hans Peter Christian Hansen (who used the pseudonym Axel Fredrik), *Langt fra Danmark*, 3, 1855, p. 260; Ernst W. Olson, *History of the Swedes of Illinois 1-11* (Chicago 1908), pp. 711-713.

- ³³Henry Martin res. at 74 Henry Street in 1840. He is doubtless identical with Henrik Martin, b. in Öregrund, Sweden 15 Aug. 1807, s. of Henrik Martin, sea captain, and his first wife, Brita Christina Wising. He became a sailor and is listed in the Öregrund household examination roll as having run away from home in 1831. He d. in NY 13 Sept. 1841, at which time he was first mate aboard an American merchantman. He was m. to Christina Öberg, who with their dau. Henrietta, emigr. to America, arr. in NY 19 July 1839 aboard the vessel *Betty* from Stockholm. —Olsson, *SPANY*, pp. 30, 31; *Scott*, p. 182; information courtesy Erik Wikén.
- ³⁴Emanuel Swanson, the witness at Henry Martin's naturalization, may be identical with Emanuel Swinson, who arr. in Boston 22 July 1833 aboard the vessel *Sereno* from Göteborg. —Nils William Olsson, *Swedish Passenger Arrivals in U.S. Ports 1820-1850 (except New York)* (Stockholm and St. Paul, MN 1978) (*SPAexNY*), p. 6.
- ³⁵Christian Miller was b. in Haalborg (probably Aalborg), Denmark ca. 1792. He emigr. from Haalborg, read Aalborg. *Scott*, p. 260.
- ³⁶Peter Muller had arr. in NY from Copenhagen. —*Ibid.*, p. 262.
- ³⁷Richard Totten, carter, res. at 20 Avenue C in 1838. —*Longworth*, p. 629.
- ³⁸Bror Gustaf Nordblad was b., probably, in Söderhamn 29 March 1816, the s. of Carl Nordblad, the city physician of Söderhamn and his second wife, Anna Helena Holm. According to one source he left for America 1833 but another source fixes the date of departure from Gävle in Sweden to 28 Sept. 1835 aboard the vessel *Amalia*. When the ship was to return to Sweden, Nordblad stayed behind in NY because of illness and was not on board when the captain discharged the crew in Göteborg 22 April 1839.
- He res. in Suffield, Hartford Co., CT in 1850, when he is listed in the census as a cigar maker, married to Mary Nordblad, a native of Ireland and an eleven year-old son by the name of Charles, b. in NY. He d. in 1864. —A.J. Bruzelius and Carl Edling, *Sveriges läkare-historia. Ny följd I-II* (Stockholm 1873-1876), II, pp. 559-560; *7th U.S. Census*, CT, III, p. 193; *Avmönstringsrullor för 1839 (Crew Mustering Out Rolls) in Göteborgs Sjömanshus* (Göteborg Merchant Marine Hiring Hall) Records in the District Archives of Göteborg (*Landsarkivet*).
- ³⁹Andrew J. Olsen was listed as an upholsterer, res. at 465 Broadway in 1838. —*Longworth*, p. 483.
- ⁴⁰George Christian Petersen was b. in Helsingør, Denmark ca. 1804 and had emigr. from Göteborg. There are two entries for him—one naturalization took place in CP 19 Sept. 1825 and the other at MC 2 Jan. 1827. The earlier appearance was probably a declaration of intent. —*Scott*, pp. 270, 337.
- ⁴¹Hans Peterson was b. ca. 1789 and emigr. from East Stadt (Ystad?) in Sweden. He is possibly identical with Hans Peterson, a native of Sweden and a resident of NY who filed his intention of becoming a U.S. citizen. He was listed as being 39 years old when he signed on board the ship *Eagle* in NY 1 Oct. 1823 bound for Port au Prince, Haiti. —*Scott*, p. 343; *New York Port Crew Lists*, National Archives, Washington, DC.
- ⁴²Adolphus Peter Pihlstrom was b. in Göteborg ca. 1773 and emigr. from that city. His s. Joseph was b. in Dorchester, England and was eight years old at the time the father was naturalized. —*Scott*, p. 269.
- ⁴³John Francis Eugene Prud'homme was b. on the island of St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands 4 Oct. 1800, the s. of French parents. In 1807 he accompanied the family to the U.S., settling in New York. Early in life John Francis, the boy, was tutored in the art of engraving by his brother-in-law, Thomas Gimbrede. His skill improved and by the age of 21 he was doing his own engravings. Some of his best work was done with famous Americans as well as Europeans, including the Swedish writer Fredrika Bremer. From 1834 to 1853 Prud'homme was curator of the National Academy of Design and in 1869 he went to Washington, DC to become a designer of banknotes and securities at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, staying there until his resignation in 1885 at the age of 85 years. He d. in Georgetown, DC 27 June 1892. —*Dictionary of American Biography*, Vol. XV, p. 253.
- ⁴⁴Augustus Gaetan's (sic!) widow Susannah res. at 23 Barclay Street in 1838. —*Longworth*, p. 262.
- ⁴⁵Charles Roden was a resident of Newark, NJ at the time of his naturalization. He d. at the Park Hospital in NY 27 July 1832 and was bur. in the Potter's Field. —*Scott*, p. 57; *NY Register of Deaths*.
- ⁴⁶Probably Johannes Rosenqvist, b., probably, in Göteborg 11 March 1807, the s. of Jöns Rosenqvist, customs officer, and probably Sophia Westerberg. He left Göteborg 21 Sept. 1824 to go to sea and eventually came to America. In 1838 he was res. at 3 Pike Street in NY, listed as a rigger. —*Longworth*, p. 546; *Domkyrkoförsamlingens personalförteckning över gifta 1818-1829* (Register of Married Couples in the Cathedral Parish of Göteborg) in the District Archives of Göteborg (*Landsarkivet*).
- ⁴⁷Jonas M. Salborg was b. in Stockholm ca. 1786 and emigr. from Göteborg. He must be identical with a Swedish sailor with the same name who appears in the crew lists of both New Orleans and New York. He first appears in New Orleans 6 Aug. 1819 when he shipped aboard the *Corvo* bound for Amsterdam. He returned to Amsterdam once more on the *Corvo* 27 May 1820. On 9 April 1825 he signed on board the Java-bound vessel *London Packet* in NY. —*Scott*, p. 278; *New Orleans and New York Port Crew Lists*, National Archives, Washington, DC.

- ⁴⁷Charles Gustaf Smedberg was b. in Stockholm 27 Dec. 1781, the s. of George Magnus Smedberg, chief accountant with the Royal Swedish Iron Institute and owner of the estate of Hånö in Södermanland, and Hedvig Magdalena Schön. In 1812, during the war between the U.S. and Great Britain, young Smedberg, being a neutral, arr. in New York from Liverpool to study the iron and steel situation in the U.S. He did not return, but instead settled in NY, where he declared his intention of becoming a U.S. citizen 20 July 1816. He m. Isabella Renwick 2 Dec. 1815, with whom he had a total of thirteen children. He d. 29 Aug. 1845. He left a vast progeny. One of his latter-day descendants is Vice Admiral William Renwick Smedberg III, USN (Ret.) who at one time served as Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Personnel and Reserves. —Helen McIver, *Genealogy of the Smedberg Family* (n.p. 1923), pp. 4-5; *Stockholms Stads-Calender för året 1803* (Stockholm City Directory for 1803), p. 119; *Washington Evening Star*, 23 Feb. 1964.
- ⁴⁸William Renwick, merchant, res. at 31 Barclay Street in 1838. He may have been the father or brother of Isabella Renwick, Smedberg's wife. —*Longworth*, p. 529.
- ⁴⁹The Rev. Doctor E.D. Barry was attached to an academy at 35 Murray Street in 1838. His residence was in Jersey City, NJ. —*Ibid.*, p. 80.
- ⁵⁰Wladimir Appolonius Talén was b. in Åbo (Turku), Finland 18 April 1812, the s. of Eric Talén, engraver, and Henriette Engelbrecht. The family seems to have moved over to Stockholm soon after Wladimir's birth, for the Stockholm census of 1820 shows that the father, Eric Talén, a bronze artisan, was living in the Jacob Parish with his wife and five children, including Wladimir. In 1833 the latter res. in St. Nikolai Parish, also in Stockholm, as a journeyman carpenter. On 5 July of that year he received a passport to America. Five years later he was back in Stockholm, where he is recorded as getting another passport on 10 Aug. 1838 for travel to America. At this time his occupation is given as a ship's carpenter.
- When his father d. in 1839 and when his mother d. ten years later in 1849, both of the estate inventories list Wladimir Appolonius Talén as being in America, in the latter case his occupation is given as architect. He d. in New Orleans in 1881. —(L.M.V. Örnberg), *Svensk slägtkalender och Svenska årtal 1-XIV* (Stockholm 1885-1908), III, p. 207; *Svenska flottans pensionskassas verifikationer* (Swedish Passport Records), 1833, 1838; Parish Records of the St. Nikolai Parish; *Mantalsuppgifter för Stockholm 1820* (The Stockholm Census of 1820); *Stockholms stads bouppteckningar* (Estate Inventory Records 1839, 1849), Stockholm City Archives; Olsson, *SPæxNY*, p. 55, note 36.
- ⁵¹Mary Weldon, the widow of James Weldon, res. at 105 Henry Street in 1838. —*Longworth*, p. 669.
- ⁵²Christopher Wardell, furniture dealer, had his shop at 35 Oliver Street at the cor. of Madison Avenue in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 660.
- ⁵³Jonas Beekman, rigger, res. at 40 South Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 86.
- ⁵⁴Peter Mansfield, mariner, res. at 322 Madison Avenue in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 428.
- ⁵⁵He is possibly identical with Thomas Armstrong, clerk, who res. at 134 Reade Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 64.
- ⁵⁶William Witberg res. at a boardinghouse at 95 Roosevelt Street in 1838. —*Ibid.*, p. 692.
- ⁵⁷Roger Williams was b. in Mundel (Mandal?), Norway ca. 1783 and emigr. from Liverpool. A Roger Williams, grocer, res. at 219 Grand Street in 1838 and may be identical with him. He also witnessed the naturalization of John Wilson (see n. 58 below), who also hailed from Mandal. —*Scott*, p. 292; *Longworth*, p. 685.
- ⁵⁸John Wilson was b. in Mondel (Mandal?), Norway ca. 1803. There are two naturalizations of John Wilson, both in CP, the first 25 Aug. 1827, the second 1 Oct. 1831. It is to be assumed that the first appearance must have been a declaration of intent. —*Scott*, p. 293.
- ⁵⁹Hans Christopher Wittrock was b. in Printz, Holstein, which at this time was a part of Denmark, ca. 1791 and emigr. from Hamburg. —*Scott*, p. 291.
- ⁶⁰There are two naturalizations for Henry Wortman(n), one on 2 Nov. 1838 and the second on 2 Nov. 1840. It is to be assumed that the first appearance was when he took out his declaration of intent.

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XXIII. Lydia Laurentia Lindholm

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- I. 1. LINDHOLM, Lydia Laurentia, b. Glencoe, MN 15 Oct. 1878; m. Aberdeen, SD 6 June 1905 Simon Chester Ashley Ring; d. Sioux Falls, SD 21 July 1924.
2. LINDHOLM, Charles Philip, b. Göteborg, Sweden 8 May 1845; m. 1 May 1870; d. Minneapolis, MN 13 Dec. 1928.
3. STRÖMMERTZ, Helga Helena, b. Gränna, Sweden, 11 May 1851; d. Red Wing, MN 30 Oct. 1882.
- II. 4. LINDHOLM, Carl Gustaf, b. Lilla Kalven, Rönnäng, Stenkyrka Parish (Göt.) 29 Jan. 1809; m. Garrison Parish, Göteborg 31 Oct. 1831; d. Red Wing, MN 9 Oct. 1871.
5. ELDBÄCK, Johanna Laurentia, b. Sweden 30 Jan. 1802; d. Minnesota 1886.
6. STRÖMERTZ, Theodor, b. Gränna 17 March 1818; m. Norra Solberga Parish (Jön.) d. Colorado.
7. BECKMAN, Helena Sophia, b. Dostarp, Nässjö Parish (Jön.) 12 Dec. 1826; d. Rockford, IL 1895.
- III. 8. LINDHOLM, Jöns, b. Stenkyrka 6 April 1782.
9. LUNDGREN, Greta Hansdotter, b. Halla, Morlanda Parish (Göt.) 30 April 1783.
10. ELDBÄCK, Anders Jönsson, b. Ellebäckstorp, Östra Frölunda Parish (Älvs.) 14 Oct. 1758; m. 24 June 1795; d. Göteborg 28 March (May?) 1825.
11. LINDMAN, Maria Elisabeth, b. Tänga, Sexdrega Parish (Älvs.) 12 Feb. 1770; d. Göteborg 5 April 1850.
12. STRÖMERS, Johan, b. Gränna 1788; d. Gränna 30 May 1831.
13. BERGSTRÖM, Fredrika Lovisa, b. 1786.
14. BECKMAN, Isak Fredrik, b. Bälaryd Parish (Jön.) 13 Nov. 1793.
15. WEDUWAR, Catharina Helena, b. Norra Solberga 25 Feb. 1798.
- IV. 16. LINDHOLM, Nils, b. Rönnäng, Stenkyrka 1741; m. Göteborg 1773; d. Molnebostrand 6 March 1812.
17. HEDMAN, Britta; b. 1741; d. Göteborg 29 March 1829.
18. OLSSON, Hans.
19. GUNNARSDOTTER, Kerstin.
20. LARSSON, Jöns.
21. TORESDOTTER, Kerstin.
22. LINDMAN, b. 25 June 1732; m. Sexdrega 15 May 1768; d. 26 March 1810; lieutenant in the Älvsborg Regiment.
23. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Adelina, b. Aggarp, Kulltorp Parish (Jön.); d. Jönköping 8 March 1834.
28. BECKMAN, Isak, b. 1765; m. Torstorp, Bälaryd 1792; d. Eksjö 1820.
29. BORTEL, Brita Sophia, b. 1768; d. Hillerstorp, Bälaryd 1814.
30. WEDUWAR, Baltzar, b. Kristina Parish, Jönköping 17 Feb. 1762; d. on the Glömminge Estate in Norra Solberga between 1800 and 1820.
31. HÖK, Annette Helena, b. Kristina Parish, Jönköping 24 May 1769.

44. LINDMAN, Arvid, b. 1670; d. 1741; clergyman in Mjöbäck Parish (Älvs).
45. WEKANDER, Maria Elisabeth, b. in Sexdrega.
46. HÅRD af TORESTORP. Gert Fredrik, b. 1689; d. 1754.
47. PERESWETOFF-MORATH, Barbro Justina, b. 4 April 1710; d. 14 Aug. 1768.
56. BECKMAN, Isak.
57. KÖHLER, Catharina Christina.
58. BORTEI, Otto Fredrik.
59. PLANCK, Brita Catharina.
60. WEDUWAR, Baltzar, m. 15 Feb. 1757.
61. SELLE, Catharina, b. 6 Aug. 1738.
62. HÖK, Samuel.
63. ZIEBETH, Catharina.
- V. 90. WEKANDER, Olof, b. in Weka (Veka), Hållared Parish (Älvs.).
91. BUTHELIA, Sigrid, b. Kalv Parish (Älvs.).
92. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Gustaf Adolf, b. 1652; d. at Ekholmen in Kulltorp Parish 29 May 1724.
93. HÅRD af SEGERSTAD, Anna Catharina, b. 1657; d. at Ekholmen, Kulltorp 22 March 1724.
94. PERESWETOFF-MORATH, Alexander, d. in Viborg, Finland in Aug. 1709; lieutenant colonel.
95. STAËL von HOLSTEIN, Barbara Gustaviana, b. 14 Oct. 1668; d. 1739.
122. SELLE, Johan Christian.
182. BUTHELIUS, Gustaf Herlaci, d. Kalv Parish 16 June 1700. Clergyman in Kalv.
184. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Anders, m. 1650; page to Gustavus Adolphus, d. 1667.
185. STORE, Estrid, d. 6 Dec. 1685.
186. HÅRD af SEGERSTAD, Erik, b. 1621; m. 1648; d. 5 May 1692; chief forester.
187. KRABBE af SVANEBY, Anna, d. 1676.
188. PERESWETOFF-MORATH, Alexander, ennobled PERESWETOFF-MORATH 1652; d. 1687; colonel.
189. MÖLLER, Barbara.
190. STAËL von HOLSTEIN, Johan, b. in Livonia 1636; m. 1664; d. in April 1703; ennobled 1652; quartermaster general in the Swedish Army.
191. MÖLLER, Christina, d. 1683.
- VI. 364. BUTHELIUS, Herlacus Erici, d. 21 July 1689; clergyman in Kalv Parish. D. Kalv 21 Sept. 1689
368. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Bengt Andersson, m. after 1598; d. 1615.
369. STORE, Anna Pedersdotter, d. 1667.
370. STORE, Matts Pedersson, ennobled 1625; d. 1654.
371. UGGLA, Märta, was living 1648.
372. HÅRD af SEGERSTAD, Johan, d. at Hattsjöhult in Sandsjö Parish (Jön.) 10 Dec. 1645.
373. STORE, Elin, d. 3 Dec. 1654.
374. KRABBE af SVANEBY, Gustaf, m. before 1628; d. before 1659.
375. LILLIESTIELKE, Anna Carlsdotter, d. in the beginning of 1645.
376. PERESWETOFF-MORATH, Per Philipsson, cavalry captain; joined the army of Gustavus Adolphus.
377. AMINOFF, Agatha.
378. MÖLLER, Johan, ennobled MÖLLER, joined the Swedish Army in Riga 1621; was living 1636; m. 1620.
379. STOPIA, Catharina, lived as a widow 1637.
380. STAËL von HOLSTEIN, Matthias, d. 1650; major of Pernau.
381. STACKELBERG, Margareta.
382. MÖLLER, Arent, b. 5 Nov. 1621; ennobled 1645; d. in Utdala, Oppeby Parish (Ög.) 25 April 1692.
383. STIERNFELT, Barbro, b. 19 May 1622.
- VII. 736. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Anders Bengtsson, m. before 1576.
737. LILLIESPARRE af FYLLESKOG, Bengta Jonsdotter.
738. STORE, Peder Carlsson, d. before 23 Jan. 1598.

739. ISAKSDOTTER (halvhjort), Anna.
 740. = 738.
 741. KAGG, Elin Mattsdotter, was alive 1598 but was dead 1616.
 742. UGGLA, Claes Arvidsson, d. 1611.
 743. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Estrid Knutsdotter, d. 1594.
 744. HÅRD af SEGERSTAD, Olof, b. 13 May 1555; m. in Örebro 13 March 1586; d. 31 Oct. 1630. Governor and admiral in the Swedish Navy.
 745. VOGT von FRONHAUSEN, Catharina, b. 1553; d. 1640.
 746. STORE, Erik Pedersson, was living 1610 but was dead 1616; m. 13 Aug. 1587.
 747. CHRISTERSDOTTER (halvhjort), Margareta, bur. 15 July 1616.
 748. KRABBE af SVANEBY, Bengt, forester in Västergötland; d. 3 May 1635.
 749. ROOS af HJELMSÄTER, Anna Eriksdotter, d. 1620.
 750. LILLIESTIELKE, Carl Bengtsson, d. 1 July 1597.
 751. LENNARTSDOTTER (Forstenaslakten), Anna.
 752. PERESWETOFF, Philip, Russian boyar.
 753. KALITIN, Anna.
 754. AMINOFF, Feodor Gregorievich, d. before 23 June 1624; joined the Swedish Army; ennobled 1618.
 755. LOMAKOV, Audotia.
 756. MÖLLER, Arent, from Livonia.
 757. SLATTE, Anna.
 758. STAËL von HOLSTEIN, Hildebrand, d. 1587; Polish major.
 759. YXKULL, Anna.
 760. STACKELBERG, Johan, councillor on the island of Ösel, Esthonia.
 761. TÖRVIS, Magdalena.
 762. = 378.
 763. =379.
 764. MATTSSON, Peder, ennobled STIERNFELDT, b. Västra Husby Parish (Ög.) 24 Nov. 1568; m. in May 1604; d. 14 April 1639.
 765. SKUTHE, Anna Pedersdotter, b. in Linköping 1580; d. March 1647.
- VIII. 1,472. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Bengt.
 1,473. UDDESDOTTER, Christina.
 1,474. LILLIESPARRE af FYLLESKOG, Jöns Olofsson, d. 1570; Swedish admiral.
 1,475. GYLTA, Ingeborg Bengtsdotter, d. 12 April 1575.
 1,476. STORE, Carl Tordsson, was living 1571.
 1,477. RIBBING, Märta Knutsdotter.
 1,478. BIRGERSSON (halvhjort), Isak from Älmteryd.
 1,479. PEDERSDOTTER (Stierna), Estrid.
 1,480. = 1,476.
 1,481. = 1,477.
 1,482. NILSSON (Kagg), Matthias, mentioned 1526-1568.
 1,483. LINDORMSDOTTER (Forstenaslakten), Elin.
 1,484. CLAESSION (Uggla), Arvid, d. 1556/1557; district judge.
 1,485. MICKELSDOTTER (Svarte Skåning), Brita.
 1,486. HÅRD af TORESTORP, Knut Bengtsson, m. 1558/1572; governor and admiral.
 1,487. PEDERSDOTTER (Ulfsax), Märta.
 1,488. HÅRD af SEGERSTAD, Lars Pedersson, d. in battle at Halmstad in Nov. 1563; m. 25 Sept. 1552; colonel in the Swedish Army.
 1,489. RIBBING, Brita, b. 1530; d. 1592.
 1,490. VOGT von FRONHAUSEN, Johan, d. in the plague 1568.
 1,491. RAU von HOLZHAUSEN, Margareta, d. in the plague 1568.
 1,492. = 738.
 1,493. = 739.
 1,494. PEDERSSON (halvhjort), Christer, master of Erik XIV's kitchen.
 1,495. BUTH, Anna Brodersdotter.
 1,496. KRABBE af SVANEBY, Anders, mentioned 1539-1568; district judge.
 1,497. KNUTSDOTTER (Lilliehöök), Barbro.
 1,498. ROOS af HJELMSÄTER, Erik Gustafsson, d. 1582; chamberlain.
 1,499. SOOP, Märta Haraldsdotter, d. 1564.

- 1,500. LILLIESTIELKE, Bengt Carlsson, mentioned 1568-1599; district judge.
 1,501. OXEHUFVUD, Maria Olofsdotter, d. before Dec. 1598.
 1,502. TORSTENSSON (Forstenaslåkten), Lennart, captain, killed in battle 1564.
 1,503. ANDERSDOTTER (Ekeblad), Margareta, d. 1616.
 1,504. PERESWETOFF, Alexander, Russian boyar.
 1,505. GALITZIN, Princess Catharina.
 1,506. KALITIN, Peter Gregorievich, governor of Novgorod, Russia.
 1,507. RUBZOFF, Agatha Mikitovna.
 1,508. AMINOFF, Gregori Michailovich.
 1,509. GALITZIN, Princess Helena.
 1,510. LOMAKOV, Pahom.
 1,518. YXKULL, Conrad of Padenorm, Esthonia.
 1,519. BUTLER, Apollonia.
 1,520. STACKELBERG, Peter, b. ca. 1515; d. between 1583-1589.
 1,521. ZÖGE, Margareta.
 1,522. TÖRVIS, Claes, judge on the island of Ösel, Esthonia.
 1,523. WULF, Anna.
 1,524. = 756.
 1,525. = 757.
 1,528. PETRI, Matthias (1533-1611), clergyman in Västra Husby Parish.
 1,529. DANIELSDOTTER, Anna.
 1,530. ERIKSSON, Peder, mayor of Linköping.
 1,531. OLOFSDOTTER, Carin.
- IX. 2,944. PEDERSSON, Olof, mentioned 1491.
 2,945. LAURENSDOTTER, Gunnel.
 2,946. NILSSON, Udde, from Denmark.
 2,947. ----, Ingeborg of Häggatorp.
 2,948. SKÅNING, Olof Göransson, mentioned 1501.
 2,949. ABJÖRNSDOTTER, Bengta.
 2,950. GYLTA, Bengt, councillor, d. 1522/1523.
 2,951. BENGTS DOTTER (Lillie), Brita.
 2,952. BJÖRNSSON, Tord, mentioned 1473-1508.
 2,953. BENGTS DOTTER (Krabbe), Kerstin.
 2,954. RIBBING, Knut, mentioned 1481-1507.
 2,955. GUSTAFSDOTTER (Stierna), Kerstin.
 2,956. NILSSON, Birger, mentioned 1476-1510.
 2,957. PÅVELSDOTTER, Karin, lived 1516.
 2,958. MÅNSSON (Stierna), Peder, mentioned 1492-1518.
 2,959. DRAKE af INTORP, Estrid Arvidsdotter.
 2,960. = 2,952.
 2,961. = 2,953.
 2,962. = 2,954.
 2,963. = 2,955.
 2,964. KAGG, Nils Mattsson, mentioned 1477-1511.
 2,965. PEDERSDOTTER (Örnflycht), Anna.
 2,966. BRUNSSON, Lindorm, councillor, mentioned 1504-1520.
 2,967. SIGGESDOTTER (Sparre), Karin, b. 1471.
 2,968. UGGLA, Claes Hansson, mentioned 1508-1517.
 2,969. DRAKE af INTORP, Christina Advidsdotter, mentioned 1529.
 2,970. NILSSON (Svarte Skåning), Mickel.
 2,971. BJÖRN, Anna Josefsdotter.
 2,972. = 1,472.
 2,973. = 1,473.
 2,974. ULFSAX, Peder Jönsson, mentioned 1532-1538.
 2,975. DRAKE, Estrid.
 2,976. HÅRD, Peder, mentioned 1501-1532.
 2,977. TORDS DOTTER (Store), Carin.
 2,978. RIBBING, Nils Knutsson.

- 2,979. OLOFSDOTTER (Stenbock), Anna.
- 2,980. VOGT von FRONHAUSEN, Jorge, b. 1479; d. 1544.
- 2,981. RIEDESEL von BELLERSHEIM, Margareta.
- 2,982. RAU von HOLZHAUSEN, Heinrich, b. 1470; d. 1560.
- 2,983. von der TANN, Catharina.
- 2,984. = 1,476.
- 2,985. = 1,477.
- 2,986. = 1,478.
- 2,987. = 1,479.
- 2,988. CHRISTERSSON (halvhjort), Peder.
- 2,990. BUTH, Broder, d. 1498.
- 2,994. SVENSSON (Lilliehöök), Knut, mentioned 1527-1546.
- 2,996. ROOS af HJELMSÄTER, Gustaf Knutsson, mentioned 1527.
- 2,997. ----, Ingeborg (Skunck).
- 2,998. KNUTSSON (Soop), Harald, d. 1530.
- 2,999. HANSDOTTER (Tott), Carin, d. before July 1554.
- 3,000. CARLSSON, Carl.
- 3,002. BOSSON (Oxehufvud), Olof; d. before Aug. 1556.
- 3,003. MATTSDOTTER (Kafle), Bengta, d. before 1576.
- 3,004. BRUNSSON, (Forstenaslåkten), Torsten, mentioned 1518.
- 3,005. GUDMUNSDOTTER (Bagghufvud), Anna.
- 3,006. HANSSON (Ekeblad), Anders, d. 1543.
- 3,007. NILSDOTTER (halvmåne), Agneta, lived 1546.
- 3,008. PERESWETOFF, Peter, governor in Russia.
- 3,009. BUTURIN, Anna.
- 3,010. GALITZIN, Prince Feodor.
- 3,011. ODOJEVSKY, Princess Anna Michailovna.
- 3,016. AMINOFF, Michail Nikitich.
- 3,017. NASSOKIN, Anna.
- 3,018. GALITZIN, Prince Ivan Jurjevich.
- 3,019. ----, Audotia.
- 3,040. STACKELBERG, Peter, d. 1545.
- 3,041. BUXHOEVDEN, Anna.
- 3,056. UPPLÄNNING, Peter Mattsson, burger in Söderköping.
- 3,057. ERIKSDOTTER, Christina.
- 3,058. JONSSON (Grubbe), Daniel mayor of Norrköping.

Genealogical Queries

Queries from subscribers to *Swedish American Genealogist* will be listed here free of charge on "space available basis." The editor reserves the right to edit the question to conform to the general format.

Andersson

I am searching for the date of death of my grand-uncle Sven August Andersson, b. in Kroksmåla, Vissefjärda Parish (Kalm.) 12 June 1873. He emigr. 21 March 1896, probably to Duluth, MN, the area where his brothers Carl Johan and Peter Gustaf worked. According to our Swedish relatives he was known as August, was over two meters tall and very strong. He was "the strong man" in a travelling circus and was shot to death by his roommate in Chicago.

Anything on this unique story that can be found would be very much appreciated.

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Aronsson

When and where did the marriage of Olaus/Olof Aronsson and Anna Lovisa Petersdotter occur? Olaus was b. in Fristad Parish (Älvs.) 1815 and his wife in nearby Gingri Parish in 1822. Their first child was b. in 1844, so possibly the marriage occurred in the early 1840s.

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CANADA

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Nilsson/Björk

I want information on Carl Nilsson or Björk (his father's name), b. in Vånga Parish (Krist.) 13 Nov. 1829, who emigr. to the U.S. via Denmark 5 May 1857. A letter from relatives in the U.S. in 1907 related the rumor that Carl Nilsson/Björk had become a wealthy man trading with the Indians and that he subsequently had gone to Sheffield, England, where he d. ca. 1900.

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Larsson

Information requested on the children of my grandfather's (*morfars*) sister, Eva Charlotta (Lotta) Carlsson, dau. of Johannes Carlsson and Margareta Christina Holmström, b. in Norra Kedum Parish (Skar.) 10 Dec. 1850 and m. to Lars Johan Larsson, b. in Örslösa Parish (Skar.) 1 Sept. 1848, on 18 June 1871. She d. 19 Dec. 1884. The children were—Ulrika Charlotta, b. 15 May 1872; Ellen Christina, b. 6 Dec. 1873; Hilma, b. 7 Jan 1877; Gustaf, b. 22 Nov. 1879; Anna, b. 22 Aug. 1881 and Arvid, b. 9 June 1883. The family tradition is that the children moved to Canada. Ellen, however, d. in Öxnered, Vassända Parish (Älvs.) in 1949.

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Almgren/Almgren

I would appreciate information about Sven (Swan) Almgren, b. in Sweden 3 March 1834, d. in Rio, Knox Co., IL 30 April 1911. He was m. to Mathilda ----, b. in Sweden ca. 1829, and who d. in Rio between 1870 and 1880. Need names of parents and place of birth. They had two children—Mathilda (Tillie) Almgren, b. in Sweden 11 May 1863, who d. in Rio 6 June 1932, and m. Amos Hinchliff of Rio; and Swan (called Monie) Almgren, also b. in Sweden, about three years younger than his sister.

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Gustavsson

I am looking for descendants in the U.S. of two brothers, both b. in Söne Parish (Skar.), the sons of Gustav Johansson, b. 3 Dec. 1826—Malkus Gustavsson, b. 24 March 1853, who emigr. 25 May 1882 and Adolf Gustavsson, b. 9 June 1862, who emigr. from Rackeby Parish (Skar.) 30 April 1886. They also had a brother Alexander Gustavsson, who emigr. together with Adolf and who d. in Rockford, IL 9 Nov. 1906. Their father, a widower, emigr. to America 5 May 1891 and probably joined his sons there.

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Westin

Margareta Eriksdotter, b. in Härva, Åbygge, Hille Parish (Gävl.) 30 Sept. 1827, moved to the village of Oppala in the same parish, where she probably met Olof Westin, b. in Oppala 9 June 1828. They had a s. Olof, b. 17 June 1853. Less

than two months later the family emigr. to America 12 Aug. 1853. Margareta Erikdotter was a sister of my grandmother, Kristina Magdalena Erikdotter, who m. Johan Olof Ekström. I have not been able to pick up the trail of the Olof Westin family in America. Can anyone help me?

Leon Lungström

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Bodinson

Gustavus Adolphus Bodinson was b. in Rock Island, IL in 1877 and appears in the U.S. Census for 1900 in Kearney, NE. His parents were Andrew and Katherine Bodinson, both b. in Sweden in 1855. Can anyone tell me from which parish the Bodinson family came?

Ron Bodinson

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Eliasson/Olsson

I am seeking information on my grandparents—Anders Wilhelm Eliasson, b. in Sweden in May 1867, who emigr. 1884 and Anna Olsson, b. possibly in Hylla, Blentarp Parish (Malm.) 14 Oct. 1864, who emigr. 1890. They were m. in Afton, Washington Co., MN 11 Jan. 1896 in the Swedish Methodist Church. In 1900 he was living as a stone mason in Valley City, ND. By 1904 he was res. in Litchville, ND under the anglicized name of William Ellison/ Elliason. We have had no information on him since 1905. Any help or leads would be appreciated.

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Hedlund

My grandfather, Gustaf Herman Hedlund, was b. in Forsbacka, Valbo Parish (Gävl.) 22 June 1872, the s. of Carl Hedlund, b. in Valbo 4 May 1831, and Agneta Christina Elzvik, b. in Sundborn Parish (Kopp.) 10 April 1831. He had the following siblings—Carl Johan, b. in Sundborn (?) 27 Sept. 1855; Fredrik Wilhelm, b. in Svartnäs Parish (Kopp.) 18 July 1860 and Amanda Christina, b. in Valbo 12 Nov. 1867. For some time Carl Johan was employed in the Forsbacka Mill. In 1875 the family left Valbo for Högbo Parish (Gävl.). I would appreciate any information of Gustaf's siblings and their descendants as well as information concerning the parents.

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Olson, Martinsdotter, Christianson

I'd like information concerning Amalia (Molly) Olson, b. in Rännelien, Skee Parish (Göt.) ca. 1862, the granddau. of Kristian Olsson, b. in Rännelien ca. 1811 and his wife, Ingeborg Martinsdotter, b. in Kitteröd, also in Skee, ca. 1811. Together with another grandchild, Martin, who in the U.S. called himself Martin Johnson, also b. in Skee ca. 1866, this family group emigr. from Göteborg 6 July 1877, bound for Paxton, IL. Molly was my grandmother, who at first worked in a tile yard for an uncle and two cousins—Frank and Charles. What happened to Kristian and Ingeborg?

Olive A. Walton

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Rockefeller

I am looking for information concerning Constantia Eriksson, b. ca. 1860-1875, dau. of Magnus Eriksson, a sea captain (?), b. in Veddige Parish (Hall.) 29 March 1841 and who later res. in Göteborg. Constantia was m. to an unknown Rockefeller in Florida ca. 1880-1895. I have a delightful photo of her taken along Fifth Avenue in New York City.

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Wallén

Elof Mauritz Wallén, b. in Varberg 29 March 1840 and his brother, Carl Leonard Wallén, also b. in Varberg 21 Sept. 1843, were the sons of Anders Wallén and Thalena Persdotter. They emigr. to America in 1861 or later. I would like to know what happened to these brothers and if they left living descendants.

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Grape

Members of our Swedish family Grape are scattered all over the U.S. There may be hundreds of them. We would be pleased to hear from them. Perhaps we could organize a genealogical society. Feel free to contact me with your Grape family information.

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