

LaFarge - Carr  
Family History  
written by Sarah Ann Robinson

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## PREFACE

The LaFarge - Carr family reunion was organized by the efforts of Catherine Amanda Carr-Hebblethwaite at her home on the 40th anniversary of her marriage July 4, 1910. Robert Carr Hebblethwaite was chosen President, and Sarah A. Robinson secretary and historian. Due largely to her efforts we possess the data that tie us back to our emigrant ancestors. The reunions were held every year until about 10 years ago. This book was begun by Sarah (Stewart) Robinson in 1916. Later dates were added to it in her handwriting. After she died, Rev. Robert Carr Hebblethwaite added names, dates, etc. In 1939 he reprinted by mimeograph the genealogy and brought it up to date in his family line. In 1959 Rev. Robert C. Hebblethwaite and Shirley Long Woodward (his granddaughter) made another up to date reprint - which was given out to members of the family.

In my many years of family research in this line, I (Shirley Long Woodward) have found places, names and dates to be correct from other accepted sources. James Linkletter came from Scotland before the Revolutionary War, and he was a soldier (records in National Archives). He married Catharine Hardenbrook (record in St. George Church, Hempstead, L.I., see N.Y.G.& B., vol. 11, p.88) The Hardenbrook family has a printed genealogy by Howard S.F. Randall (also in N.Y.G.& B.) with proofs, etc. James Linkletter had 6 children by Catharine Hardenbrook (records in 1st Presby. Church, N.Y.City - see N.Y.G.& B., Vol. 5-10. Their daughter, Catherine, our line, is Vol. 7, p 37)

Benjamin LaFurge was in Rev. War (records in New Jersey Archives) We have not found proof of marriage between Ben and Catherine Linkletter other than this book. Ben LaFurge and James Linkletter are listed in 1790 census (Haverstraw, Orange Co., N.Y.) only 3 names apart. From Ben's son, James Linkletter LaFurge, on down everything can be proved by county records. I have also proved the Low, and Everett families in Ulster Co., and the Carrs and Hebblethwaites families in England and Seneca Co., N.Y.

Sarah Robinson's writing was easy to read but her spelling varied from page to page. The following copy of the LaFarge-Carr family was checked three times against the original for accuracy of names and dates. Gordon H. Woodward, husband of Shirley Long Woodward, helped with the tedious work of rechecking from the original book.

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I hereby solemnly attest, that the information given is a true copy as taken from the "LaFarge-Carr" family history written 1916 by Sarah Ann Robinson. The original book is in possession of Rev. Robert Carr Hebblethwaite

Subscribed and sworn to before me this -----day of \_\_\_\_\_

A.D. 1965.



Copy of the "LaFarge-Carr" family records compiled by

Sarah Ann Robinson 1916

(This book is a hard cover record book - lined and numbered pages. Presently in possession of Rev. Robert Carr Hebblethwaite, age 94, (1965) of Auburn, New York)

Sarah Ann Robinson was great-granddaughter of Benjamin LaFarge, the first of the name mentioned in these records. Rev. Robert Carr Hebblethwaite is great-great-grandson of this Benjamin LaFarge.

PAGE 1:

Through Rev. Anson Titus, 10 Raymond Ave., West Summerville, Mass., I learned March 14, 1917, that Katie's father and mother were married in New York City. His name was James Linkletter, his wife was Catharine Heardenbrook. They had 3 sons, James, John and George - (and Kate)

James Linkletter the Immigrant was a Patriot in Revolutionary War, and died soon after, and his widow, Catherine, married a second husband by the name of Hayston or Hastings.

The Linkletter family when the British army occupied N.Y. C. moved into Orange Co. just outside the city up the Hudson River.

PAGE 2:

The Linkletters as far as is known were French. The proof the writer has of this, she has heard her grandfather James Linkletter LaFarge say his mother was a little black-eyed French woman. Her name was Katie Linkletter. Nothing is known of her birth date or marriage or death. More than that she died while living with grandfather while he lived on what is known as the Sylvanus Barden Farm previous to his purchasing the farm he owned when he died. Else on the farm which he owned when he died. She was alive when he lived on the Barden farm. He bought the farm in 1835 and I think alive yet when grandfather's youngest child, Harvey, was born Dec. 24, 1833. She is buried in the south-west corner of Sand Hill Cemetery (situated on the old turnpike road).

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There never was any marker placed at her grave, so the exact spot is not known where her grave is. Only the morning of the resurection will tell. Katie married Benjamin LaFarge, who was French Dutch and Scotch. Their children were 5 in number:

Mary LaFurge b. Apr. 7, 1784  
Charlotte LaFurge b. Apr. 23, 1786  
Rachael LaFurge b. Aug. 14, 1792  
James Linkletter LaFurge b. Feb. 16, 1788 (my grand-  
Benjaman LaFurge b. May 8, 1797 father)

PAGE 3:

I have record of Rachael marrying William Shilsun, and record of 2 children being born to them. Namely James Shilsun b. Sept. 17, 1810, and William Shilsun b. Apr. 11, 1813.

James Linkletter LaFurge married Mary Low. Eight children were born to them, account of which you will find on page 20.

Benjamin married Sophia, 4 children were born to them; Jane, who married Amos Parks; Henry, married ? ; George, who married Martha Almeda Vanamburg, July 5, 1855 (all dead); Ann Eliza who married Edward Burton.

It is not known who Charlotte and Mary married - sister's of Ben and James.

Benjaman, Katies husband, is buried in the little family cemetery on what was then known as the Jonas Freer farm, later known by the Alex Fish farm, later owned by the late John Andrews. Purchased by ? Cooly 106 yrs. ago - now 1916. Also Fannie Everett Low, Mary Low's mother and Sarah LaFurge and Emily LaFurge, daughter's of James and Mary Low LaFurge are buried there.

George and Almeda had one son, George Elba, who was b. Apr. 27, 1857. He was in Texas the last I heard. He married Ida Merrils.

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Mary Jane married Amos Parks and had 5 children; Benjaman; and Rosa Virginia, b. Feb. 2, 1855, m. Andrew Farren, b. Oct. 7, 1849, d. Dec. 21, 1876; Charles Edward, b. June 11, 1854, not married; Henry; Francis Elwood b. Jan. 4, 1865, married Dollie Smith Jan. 4, 1865, their children were Paul Elwood and Beulah.

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Henry married Jane Allen and had children; Mary, Libbie, and Henry. Mary married a Rick. Libbie married Gustine Hinkle.

Ann Eliza married Edward Burton and had one daughter, Francie, b. Dec. 22, 1850. She married D.E. Drake and lived in N.Y. Mr. and Mrs. Burton are both dead.

Henry LaFurge had 2 girls and a boy; Libbie, Mary and Henry Burton.

Ann Eliza LaFurge b. July 16, 1824 - d. Nov. 1, 1910.  
Edward E. Burton b. July 20, 1824 - d. Mar. 14, 1915  
Mary Christina LaFurge b. Oct. 9, 1857 (Henry's girl)

George died Monday Dec. 21, 1908. His wife, Almeda, died Dec. 7, 1915.

Rose Farren has grandfather's bro. Benjamin's bible that was on his passenger boat. His boat was the first packet boat that was run over the Erie Canal and was called the Packell and he had a passenger boat that was called the Jefferson. Benjamin was 6 ft. 3 in. tall, and had light complexion light hair and large blue eyes, a nice looking man and a very nice man and his nephew George looked like him and was like him. (see page 273)

PAGE 6 & 7:

Nothing is known of Katie Linkletter's ancestry and we have knowledge of only one brother, George, whose genealogy is given below;

George Linkletter, b. Nov. 28, 1777 mar. by Rev. James Birt, Esq., Hannah Vandervort on Dec. 19, 1801, d. Feb. 4, 1855.  
Hannah Vandervort, b. May 27, 1784, d. Nov. 16, 1856.

1. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 1, 1802, mar. Thomas Bennett, b. ? , Feb. 14, 1824, d. Jan. 14, 1833.
2. William b. Jan. 21, 1804 d. Feb. 3 or 4, 1804
3. son stillborn Dec. 4, 1805
4. Samuel, b. Apr. 24, 1806, m. Emily Randall, Dec. 29, 1832
5. John, b. Apr. 16, 1808, mar. Sarah Onderdonk, B. March 24, 1811 at Warwick, Orange Co., N.Y. on Mar. 7, 1838, d. Oct. 23, 1879, Woodland, Mich. Sarah d. Mar. 5, 1887, Phelps, N.Y.
6. Sarah, b. June 4, 1810, mar. James Clisbe Feb. 25, 1835, d. Mar. 23, 1837
7. James, b. Apr. 17, 1812, mar. Mary Jane Holstead Jan. 15, 1838, d. Jan. 17, 1878
8. Calvin, b. May 13, 1813, mar. Eunice Randall Nov. 2, 1836

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9. Phebe b. Nov. 24, 1814, mar. Joseph Clisbe Dec. 3, 1835,  
d. Mar. 29, 1849
10. Catherine (twin) b. Nov. 24, 1814, mar. Robert Tidner Dec.  
21, 1833 2nd mar. Charles Abell Dec. 7, 1871, d. Apr.  
21, 1888.
11. Alfred, b. Jan. 14, 1817, mar. Miss Fannie Hastings.
12. Charlotte, b. Nov. 3, 1818, mar. Mason Beard Feb. 1, 1865,  
d. June 8, 1899.
13. Hannah, b. March 31, 1820 d. Aug. 7, 1820
14. Ann, b. Dec. 10, 1821 d. Aug. 17, 1839
15. Eleanor, b. Aug. 15, 1824, mar. James M. Carrol Nov. 11,  
1849, d. Jan. 19, 1852
16. William, b. Oct. 1, 1826, mar. Lucinda Thompson Feb. 18,  
1856, d. ?

PAGE 8 & 9:

Grandchildren of George and Hannah Linkletter - children of  
John and Sarah Onderdonk

1. Justis O. Linkletter, b. June 29, 1839 Almond, Alleghany  
Co., mar. Annie Brinkerhoff Onderdunk on Sept. 27, 1876.  
Annie b. Aug. 31, 1839 Manhasset, L.I. d. Feb. 7, 1885.  
Married 2nd to Catherine Elizabeth Onderdonk b. Sept. 23,  
1841 Manhasset, L.I., on Apr. 27, 1887 Brooklin.
2. Durand Linkletter b. Oct. 6, 1840 Almond, Alleghany Co.,  
mar. Emily Holmes on Feb. 19, 1881. Emily b. June 5,  
1841 Woodland, Mich., mar. in Lowell, Mich., d. Nov. 9  
1883 Woodland, Mich. Durand mar. 2nd to Sarah Onderdonk  
(b. Jan. 9, 1831, Manhasset, N.Y., d. Dec. 15, 1894,  
Woodland, Mich.) on July 14, 1887 at Manhasset.
3. Mary Linkletter, b. July 3, 1842 Almond, mar. Thomas Hill,  
(b. June 29, 1830 Phelps, d. Dec. 31, 1878 Phelps, N.Y.)  
on Feb. 19, 1867 West Sweden, N.Y., she d. Dec. 15, 1894  
Phelps, N.Y.
4. Catherine Linkletter, b. March 29, 1844 Almond, d. Sept. 29,  
1896 West Sweden, N.Y., mar. Dec. 7, 1871 North Bragan,  
N.Y. to Charles (Frederick or Fuller) Abell, b. Sept. 27  
1828, Lima, N.Y.
5. Ann Linkletter, b. May 6, 1845 Almond, N.Y., d. Aug. 24,  
1849 Almond.
6. Sarah Adell Linkletter, b. Aug. 21, 1846 Nunda, N.Y., d.  
Sept. 13, 1875 Talcottville, Ct., mar. Elijah Horatio  
Talcott, b. Sept. 13, 1847 West Sweden, N.Y., d. Sept.  
13, 1875 Talcottville, Ct., mar. on Sept. 23, 1869  
Clarendum, Fulton Co., N.Y.



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7. Anna Linkletter b. Sept. 22, 1848 Nunda, N.Y., d. Sept. 16, 1851, Nunda.

8. Hattie Linkletter b. ? d. ?

Children of Justice Linkletter and Anna Brinkerhoff.

1. George Onderdonk Linkletter, b. June 5, 1880

Justice and Elizabeth no children

Durand and Emily no children

Durand and Sarah no children

Mary and Thomas Hill 2 children

Adella Catherine Hill, b. Apr. 6, 1870

Sarah Grace Hill, b. Nov. 8, 1874

Catherine and Charles Abell 1 child

Flora Linkletter Abell, b. Feb. 13, 1874 North  
Bergan, N.Y.

Sarah and Elijah H. Talcott 1 child

Dennison Linkletter Talcott, b. Sept. 2, 1870,  
Talcottville, Ct., mar. Nov. 12, 1895 to Anna  
McCloy Steele, b. Sept. 7, 1879 Thomsonville, Ct.

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Grandchildren of George and Hannah Linkletter and children  
of Samuel Linkletter and Emily Randall.

Orson Linkletter, b. Avoca, N.Y., mar. 1859 to Sarah Rector  
of Naples, N.Y., d. Geneva Hospital, July 31, 1915 age 73 yrs.  
He had gone to Geneva to attend reunion of 126th N.Y. Vol. of  
Civil War. Taken ill with valvular heart disease. Orson had  
no children.

Samuel and Emily had other children: Amanda, George - no  
grandchildren, all dead. Still living (1917) Dr. Druand  
Linkletter of Manhasset, L.I., N.Y. and Mrs. Kate Fuller of  
Bergan, N.Y. also a nephew of theirs, George Linkletter and  
2 Miss Hills, nieces.

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Children of Elizabeth Linkletter and Thomas Bennett

Harriet Jane Bennett, b. Feb. 13, 1824 (5)

Hannah Bennett, b. May 15, 1826

George L. Bennett, b. Feb. 2, 1828

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Mary Low was the wife of James Linkletter LaFarge (b. 1788). Issic Low married Fannie Everet, relative of the Everett we read about in U.S. history but I do not know how related. Fannie Low was 84 yrs old when she died. Issic and Fannie were grandmother's father and mother. They had children: Sarah, Mary, Daniel, Isaic, and Esther.

Isaic Low married Anna York and had James, Abram, Silas (or Elias), Jane and Anna Marie.

Jane married Alfred Tubbs.

Anna not married.

Fannie Everett Low was buried in the little family cemetery on the Jonas Freer farm lately owned by John Andrews. Grandmother's father, Isaic Sn., killed himself by drinking too much cold water when overheated in harvestfield. Grandmother's mother's father, died in Ulster Co. when she was a little girl and was buried there. Nothing is known about his wife. Mary Low's father was Irish. Her mother Dutch and English; some say they were both of English descent.

Sarah Low married Abraham A. Auchmoody. She died Apr. 15, 1853 Ulster City. She had been ill about three years and died of dropsey at 7 P.M. Abraham Auchmoody was born June 5, 1780 and died Nov. 8, 1865 with paralysis or rather had had 2 shocks but died of old age. They had:

Fannie not married

Eli Auchmoody, m. ? Vanuse, dau. of Andrew Vannuse (Vannue)  
1 child.

Uriah Auchmoody, m. ? Cole, dau. of James Cole of Old  
Hurley 1853, 2 children. He mar. 2nd ? , 1 child.

Esther Auchmoody, d. 1879 age 74, m. Daniel Tobins, d. Dec.  
1865, had 13 children living 1859.

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Jane Auchmoody, mar. Isaac Deyo, 11 or 12 children, 5 living  
in 1859

Marie, mar. Isaac Terwiliger, d. 1863, 13 children

David Auchmoody, b. May 27, 1821, mar. Jane Dobbs, dau. of  
Jordan C. Dobbs, b. May 18, 1829 Had:

Augustus Auchmoody,	b. Oct. 6, 1863
Myron	" b. 1859
Abram Eli	" b. ?
Herman	" b. 1866, mar. Cora Cummings, Oct. 22, 1902, Cora, dau. of Hugh Cummings, Floyd, N.Y.
Martha	" b. 1857, mar. William Slater
Lizzie Slater	b. 1880 mar. ? Pine
Chester	"
Howard	"
Effie	" b. 1887

David Auchmoody said his father told him that his mother  
and grandmother's brothers all went west, but they spoke of  
Ontario Co. as west.

David Auchmoody d. Dec. 16, 1901  
Jane Dobbs " d. June 1915

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James Linkletter LaFurge, b. Feb. 16, 1788, d. July 20, 1874  
in town of Seneca, buried in Sand Hill Cem. Geneva, N.Y.  
Mary Low, his wife, b. Sept. 27, 1788, d. Dec. 24, 1858 in  
Seneca, buried Sand Hill Cemetery.

1. Sarah b. Aug. 30, 1811 Ulster Co., not mar. d. Apr. 13,  
1829, buried in Jonas Freer Cemetery, Belona, N.Y.
2. Benjamin, b. Aug. 6, 1813, Ulster Co., mar. Sophia Freer  
Jan. 1, 1835, d. Dec. 28, 1899, buried Mason, Mich.  
Sophia b. June 14, 1816, Gates Co., N.Y. d. Apr. 4,  
1890, buried Mason.
3. Catherine, b. Feb. 27, 1816 Ulster Co., mar. Robert Carr Feb.  
5, 1852, d. Aug. 24, 1894(2) buried Sand Hill. Robert  
Carr b. Mar. 11, 1809 Yorkshire, Eng., d. Aug. 22, 1884,  
buried Sand Hill. (Grandparents of Rev. Robert C. Hebblethwaite)
4. Esther, b. Aug. 23, 1818 Benton, Gates Co., mar. John Ellsworth  
Stewart on Nov. 11, 1848, d. Nov. 17, 1889, buried Sand  
Hill, John Stewart b. July 23, 1800, d. Dec. 15, 1852, buried  
Penn Yan Lakeview Cemetery. (parents of Sarah Ann Robinson)

5. Charlotte, b. June 21, 1820, Benton, Gates Co., m. Ralph Medhurst Oct. 17, 1838, d. Apr. 2, 1895, buried Galesburg, Ill. Ralph Medhurst b. Sept. 10, 1819, Lestershire, England, d. Oct. 23, 1902, Galesburg.
6. Emily, b. July 12, 1822 Benton, Gates Co., d. Sept. 14, 1824, buried in Jonas Freer Family Cemetery, Belton.
7. James, b. July 19, 1825, Gorham, N.Y., m. Lucy Fish Oct. 26, 1849, ~~died~~, not known, but supposed in Wisc. Old Teachers Home. Lucy died Rochester, N.Y.
8. Amanda, b. Nov. 26, 1828 Gorham, N.Y., m. Elisha Freer Oct. 10, 1850, d. Jan. 28, 1897 Eaton Rapids, Mich. Elisha b. Apr. 10, 1827, Benton, Gates Co., d. July 14, 1879 buried Eaton Rapids, Mich.
9. Harvey, b. Dec. 24, 1833 Town of Seneca on Bordon Farm, not married, d. March. 29, 1913, buried Sand Hill Cemetery.

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Children of Benjaman and Sophia Freer LaFurge

Benjaman LaFurge b. Aug. 6, 1813 New Palley, Ulster Co., N.Y., d. Dec. 28, 1898, m. Jan. 1, 1835 to Sophia Freer, b. June 14, 1816 Benton, Gates Co., N.Y., d. Apr. 4, 1890 Mason, Mich.

1. Mary E. LaFurge, b. June 24, 1836 Mich., d. Feb. 28, 1893 Chelsea, m. Nov. 3, 1853 Chelsea, Mich. to Robert Boyd, b. Dec. 20, 1820, (a widower), d. May 10, 1901.
2. Dollie Jane LaFurge, b. Apr. 20, 1838, Mich., d. March 31, 1891, Lima, Mich., m. Feb. 7, 1854 to Lucius Warner, b. 1880, d. May 1908 Coleman, Mich., buried Marion, Mich.
3. Joanna LaFurge, b. June 15, 1840, d. Oct. 2, 1906, Chelsea, Mich., m. Dec. 12, 1866 to Warren Cushman b. ? d. May 1908 in Chelsea, Mich.
4. Catherine Eliza LaFurge, b. Sept. 21, 1842, d. Dec. 2, 1910 Mason, Mich. not married.
5. George Henry LaFurge, b. March 31, 1845, d. Apr. 12, 1864, not married.
6. Charlotte A. LaFurge, b. June 6, 1847, d. ? m. Frank Lester on Feb. 20, 1867. Frank b. Oct. 14, 1844, d. ?
7. Harriet C. LaFurge, b. Jan. 10, 1851, d. Feb. 25, 1874, Lima, Mich., m. Jan. 13, 1869 to Socrates Collins.

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8. Henrietta LaFurge, b. Dec. 1855, d. ? m. Nov. 3, 1874  
to Socrates Collins (as his 2nd wife)
9. William Ralph LaFurge, b. Nov. 6, 1862, mar. May Lester.
10. Twin boys - no record of them.

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Grandchildren of Benjamin and Sophia Freer LaFurge

1. Child of Mary LaFurge and Robert Boyd died when born
2. Dollie LaFurge and Lester Warner

1. Sharlie Adelbert b. May 31, 1855 Lima, Mich., m.  
Apr. 16, 1879 to Mina E. Curtis.
2. Anna Jane b. Jan. 18, 1857 Lima, Mich., m. Nov.  
16, 1880 to John L. Seymour
3. Sarah Anne, b. July 10, 1859, Lima, d. Sept. 4,  
1892, Mason, Mich., m. Feb. 22, 1857 to John  
s. Coy
4. George Benjamin, b. July 2, 1861 Lima, m. March  
4, 1890 to Rosa Blood.
5. Hattie Sophia, b. May 4, 1864, Lima, M. Nov. 16,  
1880 to George E. Acker
6. Horace Dennison, b. Aug. 24, 1866, Lima, d. Dec.  
19, 1892, m. Sarah Slaight, m. 2nd Laura Cooper  
on Feb. 22, 1927 (?)
- 7/ Mary E., b. Dec. 11, 1867 Lima, Mich.
8. Robert E., b. June 24, 1870, d. Aug. 13, 1871, Lima
9. Eddie L., b. June 29, 1872
10. Laura B., b. May 12, 1874, m. Mar. 16, 1899 to  
Clarence Beers
11. Carl, b. ? m. 1901 Maude Palmer
12. Nellie, b. Feb. 25, 1876, m. Mar. 27, 1901 to  
George Kilby
13. Warren Carlus, b. Sept. 20, 1880



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Catherine Amanda Carr, b. Dec. 16, 1852, Seneca, N.Y., in the Rice house, d. June 19, 1912, mar. Charles Hebblethwaite, b. Dec. 22, 1844, Rillington, England, d. July 23, 1913 Geneva, N.Y., mar. on July 4, 1870 Geneva.

Robert Carr Hebblethwaite,	b. May 3, 1871 Geneva
Catherine Amanda	" b. Aug. 2, 1873
Charles William	" b. Sept. 28, 1880
Anna Mary	" b. Nov. 20, 1882
Arthur Carr	" b. Feb. 11, 1885
Sarah Charlotte	" b. June 20, 1887

girl b & d.	1875
boy "	1877
boy "	1889

James LaFurge Carr, b. Sept. 23, 1854 Seneca, N.Y., in Rice house, d. Jan. 31, 1893, Clyde, N.Y., mar. Dec. 24, 1878 Clyde, to Kate Haskins Clarke, b. July 12, 1859.

James Earnest Carr,	b. Dec. 20, 1879 Seneca, N.Y.
Carrie Delia Carr	b. Sept. 1882
Albert Ray Carr	b. Aug. 19, 1884
Nellie Enna Carr	b. July 29, 1888
Charles George Carr	b. May 27, 1893 Clyde, N.Y.

Sarah Jane Carr, b. Apr. 3, 1856, Seneca, N.Y., in Rice house mar. Jan. 2, 1878 to William Fothergill, b. Oct. 13, 1851 Oaks Corners, N.Y., son of William and Alice Burton Fothergill of Geneva.

Alice Burton Fothergill,	b. Oct. 19, 1878 Geneva
John William Fothergill,	b. Mar. 14, 1881, d. 1909
Max Elmer Fothergill,	b. Apr. 15, 1894

Charlotte Eliza Carr, b. Apr. 16, 1858, Seneca, N.Y., in Rice house, d. Apr. 11, 1915 Phelps, N.Y., mar. Nov. 13, 1876, Oaks Corners, N.Y. to William Cairns, b. Nov. 29, 1850 Scotland, d. Jan. 10, 1924

James Harvey Cairns,	b. Nov. 18, 1880
John William Cairns,	b. Aug. 25, 1881
Arthur Neville Cairns,	b. Dec. 13, 1886
Anstyss Sarah Cairns,	b. July 11, 1895
Elmer Robert Cairns,	b. May 22, 1897
Isabel Amanda Cairns,	b. Nov. 12, 1899

PAGES 38 - 73 -Grandchildren and great-grandchildren of James LaFurge and Mary Low. This data was copied into a genealogy published 1939 by Rev. Robert Carr Hebblethwaite and not recopied here!! (note by Shirley Long Woodward, granddaughter of Rev. Robert C. Hebblethwaite, 1959)

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James LaFurge mar. Lucy Fish                      son of William LaFurge

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Amanda LaFurge, b. Nov. 26, 1828, Gorham, N.Y., d. Jan. 28, 1897, Eaton Rapids, Mich., m. Oct. 10, 1850 to Elisha Freer, b. Apr. 10, 1827, Benton, N.Y., d. July 14, 1879, Eaton Rapids, Mich.

1. James Augustus Freer, b. Sept. 3, 1854, Lima, Mich., m. Mar. 15, 1876 Emily Minerva Vasburg, b. Aug. 20, 1859 Shawn, Mich.
2. Jonas Melville Freer, b. Oct. 19, 1855, Lima, M. Nov. 14, 1877 to Ella Platt Cook, b. June 18, 1858, Shawn, Mich.
3. Rodney A. Freer, b. Oct. 21, 1858, Lima, d. June 27, 1917 Montana hospital, buried Eaton Rapids, Mich., m. Feb. 21, 1881 to Adella May Fletcher, b. Nov. 1, 1863, Sharon, Mich., d. June 26, 1917, Montana
4. Mary Matilda Freer, b. June 30, 1866 Lima, m. Nov. 26, 1884 to Edward Welcome Gallery, b. Jan. 23, 1855, Eaton Rapids, Mich. Mary d. Feb. 17, 1920.

~~Children~~ Children of James A. Freer and Emily M. Vosburg

1. Frank Elizha Freer, b. ~~Apr.~~ 19, 1878, Shawn Mich., m. Nov. 29, 1899 to Mabel Dean Newth, b. May 19, 1878
2. Edith Irene Freer, b. Jan. 28, 1880 Shawn, m. Nov. 26, 1902 to Charles Cunch.
3. Roy Leonard Freer, b. Oct. 10, 1882 Shawn, d. Feb. 19, 1905 Fondulac, Wisc. buried Eaton Rapids, Mich. not married.
4. Myrtie Norce Freer, b. Jan. 13, 1892 Eaton Rapids, m. Sept. 8, 1909 to Donald Cupp.

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Children of Frank and Mabel Newth Freer

1. Lyle Elisha Freer b. June 11, 1902
2. Mildred Pauline Freer, b. Oct. 10, 1913

Children of Edith Freer and Charles Cunch

1. William James Cunch, b. Jan. 8, 1904



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2. Elizabeth Emily Cunch b. Jan. 1, 1908
3. Anna Irene Cunch b. Jan. 18, 1910

Children of Myrtie Freer and Donald Cupp

1. Donald James Cupp b. July 16, 1910
2. Helen Cupp b. May 5, 1912
3. boy b. June 1919

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Children of Jonas Melville Freer and Ella ~~Platt~~ Cook

1. Norma Amelia Freer, b. Oct. 10, 1879 Shawn, Mich., m  
Frank Dyer Nov. 17, 1898
2. Ina May Freer, b. Oct. 26, 1881 Cooperstown, Dakota,  
m. Otto Fenner Nov. 1899
3. Park Melville Freer, b. Oct. 1, 1883 Cooperstown, ~~Dakota~~
4. George Elisha Freer, b. Aug. 6, 1885, "
5. Ella Adelia Freer, b. Nov. 17, 1889 " m. ? Stye
6. Roland Ellsworth Freer, b. June 1899 "

Norma Freer and Frank Dyer had Raymond Howard Dyer  
b. Sept. 1899

Ina May Freer and Otto Fenner had:  
Leland Melville Fenner, b. June 1899  
Marjory Fenner  
Helen Fenner, b. May 5, 1912

Rodney Freer and Adella Fletcher ~~had~~ no children.

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Children of Mary Freer and Edward Gallery

Maude Freer Gallery, b. Feb. 10, 1888, m. Dec. 25, 1907  
to Ora Olney, b. May 15, 1883

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August 1917 Report read at reunion

Last March I received a letter from Somerville, Mass.,  
written in an unknown hand so of course I wondered who it was  
from and how they found my address so hastily tore the letter

open and discovered it was from Rev. Anson Titus a Universalist-devine who said he was trying to learn concerning the earlier generations of the Linkletter family, and from notes that had come his way he had learned I was one of that family, and that he had been employed by George O. Linkletter, a son of Justice O. Linkletter of New York City (Justice Onderdonk Linkletter was a brother of out ancestor Katie Linkletter.) and requested me to tell him all I could about the Linkletter family while he in turn has told me much that he has discovered that I did not know, so if you are interested in the genealogical research of your family, I will tell you some of the things he has written me.

He says as far back as 1714 we have Johanson Hardenbrook, then we have Gerardus Hardenbrook who died 1762. He was married to a lady whose ~~given~~ name was Susannah about 1727. One of his daughters, Catherine Hardenbrook, married James Linkletter May 7, 1761. He was my great-great-grandfather. After J. Linkletter's death his widow married a Mr Hayston or Hastings and raised more children and there she is lost to us no trace having been found of her.

Mr. Titus claims from what he has learned of the other Linkletters that James, Katie's father, emigrated from the north of Scotland and he was therefore a Scotchman. Grandfather always said that Katie, his mother was a little blackeyed French woman, so I said it seemed to me he ought to know the nationality of his own mother, and hence I differ with them on that point. They might have been French and lived and emigrated from Scotland, and yet grandfather may have been mistaken, for there are lots of people who can not tell the nationality of their parents correctly. James Linkletter and his wife Catherine Hardenbrook had three sons at least although James must have been by a former wife. The other 2 were John and George. James Jr. settled in N.Y. City in late years. John settled in the region of Haverstraw, and George must have settled in Orange Co., as he lived most of his days in Warwick, Orange Co. The latter part of his life he moved to Nunda, N.Y., where he died in 1856 age 79 years. James the emigrant had 8 daughters, Katie or Catharine, no. 1 & 2, Rachael, Caroline, Isabel, Charlotte, Sarah. Sarah and Charlotte married 2 brothers James and Benjamin Tuthill and he thinks remained in Orange Co. Rachael married George Brickle and resided in the township of Clarkstown near New City, Rockland Co. She was older than her brother George and was married not far from 1800. And Mr. Titus on a recent research has found a granddaughter of them, Mrs. Edna Brickle who teaches in High School at Nyack on the Hudson. He saw and visited with her. There was 92 yrs. difference between Rachael's and Edna's birth.

There was a James Linkletter, son of George and grandson of James the Emmigrant, born April 17, 1812, married Mary

Halstead, Jan. 15, 1838. They had one son, Charles, and 6 daughters Caroline, Sarah, Mary Ann, Phoebe, Alice and Deliah. Records suggest the Isaac Halstead married Caroline and that there were Halstead and Linkletter intermarriages later down the line, and that some of the family of Isaac and Caroline (possibly so) settled near Nunda, N.Y.

James, the son of the Immigrant James, died in N.Y. City in 1831 aged 81 years, making his birth in 1750, so James the immigrant was old enough to be a father in 1750 and not too old to be a soldier in 1777 so must have been born 1725-30. We conclude the Catherine Hardenbrook must have been his second wife for she was not married until 1761 when James was 11 years old. James the Immigrant died before 1793, and his widow remarried. James and Catherine are reported as having a daughter Catherine born 1784 making the mothers birth some where near 1760-64. While there is no record of the death of Catherine, the records say that to the same people a child Catherine was born Aug. 29, 1766 and baptized Sept. 21, 1776. This Catherine was great-grandmother to the generation of cousin Sarah and the Carr sisters, and of such of the family as went to Michigan and later, The generation known to us as the LaFarge-Carr family. She was mother to James L. LaFarge, grandfather to "Cousin Sarah", Amanda, Sarah, James, and Charlotte Carr and those west.

The Hardenbrooks of our ancestry were of Knickerbocker Dutch extraction giving the family a Dutch and French line. The Hardenbrooks settled in N.Y. City when it was known as New Amsterdam or New Netherlands, and Catherine's house was within a gunshot of the present Hall of records or City Hall and was then worth to them an estimated \$2-3,000, but now worth thousands of thousands! At the time of the Revolutionary War the British possessed the city and the family moved up to Orange Co., on the Hudson. The Immigrant James Linkletter and his son James saw military service in the Revolutionary War. They served in the same company in as Orange Co. Regiment of Militia.

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Mrs. Farren of Mason Mich. who was a daughter of Jane LaFurge Parks has her grandfathers bible (Benjamin LaFarge)- (Our grandfather's brother) that he had on his passenger boat. This boat was the first boat that ever ran on the Erie Canal and was called the Packet. He also had a passenger boat named the Jefferson. Benjamin was 6 ft. 3 in. tall, light complexion had light hair and large blue eyes. Was a nice looking man loved by everybody that knew him. His son George looked like him and was like him. George was loved in the church and out of it. He was foreman in the roundhouse of Kent Portage Co., Ohio, ten years. George Washington LaFurge died and is buried in the Cemetery in Kansas City and has a granit monument to his

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grave. He died Dec. 21, 1908. His wife Almeda died Dec. 7, 1915. They leave one son George Elba LaFurge, Sierra Blance, Texas.

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Robert Carr, son of Samuel Carr, b. March 11, 1809 Huggate, England, d. Ontario Co., Aug. 22, 1884, buried Sand Hill Cemetery.

1st wife Sarah Arnott, b. Aug. 4, 1811, Eng., d. Oct. 18, 1848 at Rawsonville, Mich.

3rd wife mar. Feb. 5, 1852 - Catherine LaFarge

John Elsworth Stewart was the son of Rebecca Els and William Stewart and grandson of Mercy Dorrance and Thomas Els. (A Scotch presbyterian minister) on his mothers side. Nothing is known of fathers side. Came from Situate Mass. or Conn. This Els preached at Situate and we supposed buried there. Rebecca was one of a family of 14.

Lucretia	m. Morrel
Sarah	m. Caren
girl	m. King

Two sons of brothers of Rebecca were captains on boats and sailed to China. John Stewart was twice married, 1st wife was Hannah Willett; had 3 daughters: Rebecca, Phoebe, Hannah. 2nd wife was Esther LaFarge. His daughter Rebecca married William Newberry of Iowa, died leaving one son 3 months old. William remarried Matie ? of Albany. He dropped dead in the street at an early age leaving 1 son, Waldo, 1 daughter Ruth in Salt Lake city Utah. His daughter Phoebe was not married. His daughter Hannah died age 5 years.

Marshall Murrays boy b. June 12, 1917, name John Raymond Murrey, (Gnotha)

Kenny Johnson girl b. near Jan. 18, 1918 name Helen Louise

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Ralph Medhurst was the son of ? and was born in Yorkshire England 1819 and came to U.S. with his parents in 1830 and located in Geneva, N.Y. He married Charlotte LaFurge 1838 and moved to Ill. and settled in Knox Co. near Galesburg in 1842. He lived to be 83 years and saw his family number 5 generations. Father of 11 children, 10 living at his death, together with 31 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

Nancy Fish was the daughter of ? and sister to Senator Asa P. Fish, wife of James LaFurge, Jr.

Gabriel Freer is Aunt Sophia's father and her mother was Elizabeth Cooley and she was granddaughter of Anthony Swarthout and Elizabeth Lockwood. The Swarthouts came from Amerdam, Holland about 1650.

Elisha Freer was the son of Jonas Freer and Sally Cooley and grandson of James Cooley and Elizabeth Swarthout and great-grandson of Preserve Cooley and Sarah Miller. During Revolutionary War Anthony Swarthout, Great-grandfather of Elisha, was drafted into the Continental Army. His eldest son took his place and served his time. This Anthony was Elisha's grandfather.



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