

Ahnentafel of CFA Member #043
Jean Chapman Snow

1. **Jean Stuart Chapman** Chapman, Jean Stuart married, **Earl Rogers Snow, Jr.** Snow, Earl Rogers, Jr., born Mt. Vernon, Westchester County, NY, died Port Jefferson, Suffolk County, NY, buried: National Military Cem., Calverton, NY.

Parents

2. **William Daniel Chapman** Chapman, William Daniel born 25 Nov 1889, Oneonta, Otsego County, NY, married 22 Dec 1916, in New York, New York, NY, **3. Ethel May Armstrong** Armstrong, Ethel May, born 4 Mar 1895, Manhattan, New York County, New York, died 11 Jun 1976, Port Jefferson, Suffolk County, NY, buried: UNKNOWN, Carmel Valley Burial Ground, Putnam. William died 11 Feb 1963, Peekskill, Westchester County, NY, buried: UNKNOWN, Carmel Valley Burial Ground, Tompkins NY. Dad's birth certificate says 9 Otsego St, as in Oneonta Directories for 1897 and 1899-90 which give E.P.'s home at same address. Both the official NY State Certificate and Record of Marriage give residence for both bride and groom as Philmont, NY. Wm D listed as a mechanic. He lost his Chrysler business during the Depression and family moved to Lake Oscawana (originally Horton's Pond, and Long Pond, 601 acres, average depth 30') summer cottage to live.

1963, February 13, Memorial Card from services at E.N. Curry Funeral Home, officiating, Rev. A.J. Hillard. Says interment at Hillside Cemetery, but he is buried in Carmel Valley Burial Ground, a small private cemetery north of Tompkins Corners in Putnam Valley. NY State Death Certificate lists him as Retired Service Manager, Auto Agency.

Grandparents

4. **Edwin Pier Chapman** Chapman, Edwin Pier born 17 Jul 1858, Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY, married (1) 29 Jun 1881, in Cooperstown, Otsego, NY, **5. Harriet Stuart Robinson** Robinson, Harriet Stuart, born BET. 1 MAR - 30, Middlefield, Otsego County, NY, died 23 Feb 1897, Oneonta, Otsego County, NY, buried: UNKNOWN, Lakewood Cemetery, Cooperstown, New York, married (2) BET. 1897 - 190, in Cooperstown, Otsego, NY, **Myrtilla J. Philip** Philip, Myrtilla J., born 1864, Canada?, died 1955, buried: UNKNOWN, Union Cemetery, Mellenville, Columbia NY. Edwin died 24 Nov 1946, Philmont, Columbia County, NY, buried: UNKNOWN, Union Cemetery, Mellenville, Columbia NY. 1880 Census, 1 June Oneonta: Edwin Chapman 21 yrs, jeweler, b NY, M & F b NY. 1889-90 Oneonta Directory gives E.P. Chapman, h 9 Otsego, and

Bert Chapman, employed by E.P., boards 9 Otsego. 1881: Marriage Notice from Oneonta Herald & Democrat, July 1, 1881, Personals: "Our young friend, E.P. Chapman, was on Wednesday, we hear, married to Miss Hattie Robinson, of Cooperstown. Mr. Chapman is one of our busiest and most responsible business men, and that he is now married proves his good sense and judgement." 1881: From The Freeman's Journal, Cooperstown, July 2, 1881, Marriages: "In this village, June 29th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. S. G. Davis, Mr. EDWIN P. CHAPMAN of Oneonta and HATTIE S., daughter of Frank R. Robinson of Cooperstown." 1891-92 Oneonta Directory gives E.P. Chapman, 9 Otsego Hattie d 23 Feb 1897, and the 1897 Oneonta Directory gives Chapman, Edwin P., optician and jeweler, 170 Main, boards Windsor Hotel. Where were Dad and Stuart?? 1901, Nov 3, Deed: Sold house in Cooperstown, #106 Pioneer (was West St.) after mother Nancy Pier Chapman died in April 1901. The Book of Conveyances #250, p 221: By E.P. Chapman & Myrtilla, Grantor; P. Edwards, Grantee. From the newspapers: 1/22/02, Otsego Republican: "Jacob Bridger has purchased the Chapman house on Upper Pioneer St." 1/23/02, Freeman's Journal: " The house lately occupied by the late Mrs. D.W. Chapman on Pioneer St. has been sold by James J. Byard, Jr. as attorney for the First National Bank of Oneonta to Jacob Bridger of this village. Consideration \$900. He expects to make some improvements and repairs before moving in, but he has already taken possession." 1905 Oneonta-Cooperstown Directory: Jacob S. Bridger, now house #92. Ibid, 1908 now House #106. In June 1977, Eleanor & I knocked at the door, and owner Mr. Edgar R. Rummler now lived there (Mr. Rummler's great-grandfather Edward Edwards had lived next door). Mr. Rummler had bought it from his uncle and found the deed which showed that Jacob B had bought it from E.P. & Myrtilla Chapman. So they were already married by 1901. The Smith-Telfer Collection at the Carriage Museum has a photo showing changes, calling it the Bridger house. It appears on the 1868 map of Cooperstown. (We believe that this property is the one Zenas Chapman bought in 1854, described by the Book of Deeds as occupied by Rev. Aspinwall. Aspinwall was the pastor of the Universalist Church. Both Daniel W. and his son Edwin Pier were married by Universalist pastors) Death: 1946, 24 November: Obituary (from Philmont paper?) "The death of Edwin P. Chapman occurred Sunday at his home on Maple Avenue, Philmont. He had resided in Philmont for a number of years, where he had been a jeweler by trade. A highly-respected resident of that village, Mr. Chapman had been a member of the Reformed Church*, Philmont, and a member of the Philmont Lodge of Masons. He is survived by his wife; one son, William, of Putnam County; a daughter**, Mrs. William Allen, of Bridgeport, CT and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late home. Interment will take place in Union Cemetery, Mellenville." (cemetery on Rte. 217) *J.

Addison McIntosh, Pastor, Second Reformed Church of Claverack,
Philmont, NY, 12565. ** stepdaughter

Great Grandparents

8. **Daniel W. Chapman**Chapman, Daniel W. born 1 Jun 1817, Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY, married (1) 23 Jul 1840, in Cooperstown, Otsego, NY, Fanny BeadleBeadle, Fanny, born 20 Jun 1820, died 7 Jan 1845, married (2) 16 Mar 1847, in Cooperstown, Otsego, NY, **9. Nancy Pier**Pier, Nancy, born 21 Aug 1819, Pierstown, Otsego County, NY, died 20 Apr 1901, Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY. Daniel died 16 Apr 1873, Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY, buried: UNKNOWN, Pierstown Road Cemetery, Cooperstown, NY. Is his name Daniel Westcott Chapman? The Daniel may come from Zenas' great-uncle, Aaron's brother, b 1720. His first wife, Fanny Beadle (m. 23 July 1840 when D.W. was 23 and Fanny 20), died 7 Jan 1845, perhaps in childbirth as there is a small stone, beside hers, face down with only D.W.Chapman on it. Daniel's large stone is near, saying "Died Apr 15, 1873, Age 55." D.W. He died Apr 16 (Chapman Family Bible and Lakewood Cemetery Record of Interments, 1856-1900) of paralysis and is buried in the cemetery on Route 80, on the road from Cooperstown to Pierstown, just past Leatherstocking Farm (in 1977). His tombstone is in front of those of Abigail and David Pier

1865 Otsego Census, 9 June p 25 (?): Value house: \$1200, D. W. 48, m 2x, Teamster, owner of land; Nancy 45, mother of 3, Francis 14, Edwin P. 6. 1870 Otsego Census, 6 July p 3: D.W. 53, Teamster Value house: \$2000, Personal \$800; Nancy 50, Keeping House; Francis 19 apprentice on Sash & Blind; Edwin 11, Attending School. 1875 Otsego Census, 24 June p 55: wood house, Value \$1000, Personal \$498; Nancy 55, Housekeeping; Edwin 16, jeweler's apprentice.

Great Great Grandparents

16. **Zenas Chapman**Chapman, Zenas born 23 Apr 1770, Lebanon, New London County, CT, married (1) 24 Feb 1794, in Chatham, CT, Anna RandolRandol, Anna, born 15 Sep 1772, died AFT. 1803, Prob Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY, married (2) 24 Jan 1812, in By William Lathrop, Justice of the NY, **17. Penelope Westcott**Westcott, Penelope, born 3 Apr 1778, Cranston, Providence Co., RI, died 1862, Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY. Zenas died 8 Jun 1855, Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY. Occupation: Blacksmith, source: article from Freeman's Journal, in possession of Jean Snow. First wife: Anna Randol. They were married in Chatham Congregational Church in the Town of Middletown (on the CT River), in Portland Township. It is S of Hartford, 14 mi directly W of Colchester. Lebanon is 7 mi NE of

Colchester. Anna d. betw 1803-1812 Second wife: Penelope Westcott (from whom descent). Is there a fourth child from this marriage, an Emeline? We have no Bible records to show it, but it is odd that the 1825 Census says there were 2 girls under 16! One would have been Nancy, age 13, but who was the other??

1797, 6 Mar, CT deed: Zenas bought for 55 pounds a dwelling house with barn and blacksmith's shop in Lebanon (Zenas 27 yrs, married 3 yrs, Charles & Jabez born). From Otsego County Clerk's Office, Cooperstown, Bks. of Deeds: 1797, Apr. 26: Liber E p 141: Rich'd Cary of Springfield, Grantor: Zenas Chapman of Otsego, Grantee. For 70 Pounds 18 shillings, Lot 52, 44 acres in Lows Patent on W side of Otsego Lake in Lows Patent, recorded March 29, 1803. 1801, Tax Assessment Roll Otsego: Zenas for House & Farm, Real Estate Value 80, Personal Estate 150, Tax .21 1802, 10 Feb, CT deed: He sold the Lebanon property for 80 pounds. He must have moved to Cooperstown abt 1801 (see obituary) for though the Lebanon Annual Town Meeting Records for 1801 show him appointed as a Surveyor of Highways and collector of the highway tax, the 19 Jan 1802 Town Meeting records show him excused from serving. 1803, Mar 29, Liber E, p 141: Zenas sold 20 1/2 acres to Eleazar Hail & Joel Metcalf for \$250, but reserved the privilege of passing from the NE corner of said Chapman East lot to the NE of his West lot on the line between Hail & Metcalf. 1807, 6 Feb: Liber H p 243: Zenas bought Lot #4, 7 acres for \$50 from Croghan's Patent 1807, 11 Aug: Liber H p 504: 1 acre 30 rods for \$14.34 in corner of ABNER PIER'S land 1808, 25 Apr: Liber I p 455: 23 3/4 acres for \$250 in Croghan's Patent 1810, 17 Jul: Liber P p 264: Sam'l Symonds & Zenas Chapman bought 2 lots in town of Otsego, the first piece beginning at the highway & running W to the 12,000 acres, then northerly to a stake, then E to the highway; then on said Highway to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres of land. The second piece beginning in the middle of the above highway, running E to a stake near an Oak tree corner of Levi Pearce's land; then S to a stake and stones; then W to above mentioned highway to beginning. containing 5 acres. 1812, 28 Aug: Liber P p 70: Yeoman (as he is now called) Zenas bought for \$530, 33 1/4 acres in Fly Creek, part of Croghan's Patent, Lot #4, next to ABNER PIER. 1821, 9 Nov: Liber CC, p 506: for \$300 got 27 acres more or less (this was between Zenas and the trustees of Isaac Cooper's estate: something about Wm. Cooper had deeded 1793 to Ira Tanner. 1821 Liber DD p 255: Zenas deeded to Jabez 1 acre in Fly Creek for \$20 (Jabez was 25 - would this have been upon his marriage?) 1825 Census: Zenas, 55, 2 males Randall 11, Daniel 8, 5 Females: Penelope 47, Nancy 13, probably Lucy 24, Jerusha 76 (d 1839), (not Katherine 22; she married 1821. Cld it have been Dorcas Westcott who lived with them in 1860??) 1 male voter, 1 unmarried female 16-45 (a helper or Lucy??), 1 female under 16 Nancy, 1 marriage where female resided during year preceding

(Lucy m Zera Tanner 17 Mar 1825) 1839 Letter re Heirs of Jerusha Chapman (mentions siblings Tracy, Ezekiel, Nancy, Abel). See CHAP/NY/III/ 7-b 1850 Census: Farmer, 80, living w Penelope, 72 and Randal 34, Emmi, Emiline, John, Avander M. 1854, 18 May: Book 100, p 351: Zenas & Penelope paid \$1000 for lot & house W side of West St (now Pioneer) occupied by Rev Aspinwall, pastor of Universalist Church (pastor from Apr 1851-Apr 1854). 1854, 1 Jul: Zenas' will proved Aug 2 1855. The Probate mentions: Penelope, Jabez and Daniel, Emeline Bliss, w of Seth, Lucy Fay w of John, and Mary Vibber, w of Israel, all of Otsego, Anna Westcott residing at Rochester, Lucy Tanner, w of Zera residing in Cortland County and Randall, residing in Livingston County. Census 1855: retired, land-owner, living with D.W. & Nancy, so the above must have been #106, in which Nancy Pier and Daniel W. Chapman lived. Zenas was then 84 yrs old (he d 8 Jun '55 at 85, having lived w. Penelope 43 years). Obituary in Freeman's Journal, June 15, 1855: DIED in this village on the 8th instant, Mr. ZENAS CHAPMAN, in the 86th year of his age. Mr. C. had been a resident of this town for a period of 54 years and was a most exemplary and worthy citizen.

3rd Great Grandparents

32. **Ezekiel Chapman** Chapman, Ezekiel born 26 Oct 1741, Norwich, New London County, Connecticut, married 14 Dec 1768, in Lebanon, New London County, Connecticut, **33. Jerusha Lee** Lee, Jerusha, born 26 May 1749, Prob. Lebanon, New London, Connecticut, died 17 Jun 1839, Prob. Cooperstown, Otsego County, NY. Ezekiel died 27 Aug 1821, Cooperstown, Otsego County, New York. Probably named for Aaron's older brother. Birth: baptismal record from First Congregational Church, Norwich, CT. Letter (8/1/74, from Elizabeth Knox (Sec'y & Curator of the new London Historical Society) states Aaron and Ezekiel were born in Norwich CT. Letter (7/18/74, also Knox) says New London itself, in 1708, had 249 male inhabitants. No regular census, but Norwich had 174 males (Colchester wasn't separate at that time). There were maybe half that many males in 1670. Ezekiel Chapman married Jerusha Lee Dec 14, 1768, he being "of Colchester," (also New London County, just to the west of Lebanon. Lived (from children's birth places): Lebanon in 1774; Springfield MA 1776; Westfield 1780-1785; Argyle NY 1789. 1777, 1 May, enlisted in Revolutionary War for 3 yrs, was an armorer, had a pension. 1790 Census: Which one? Ezekiel Chatman, Argyle, WA County NY with 2M 16+ (Zenas 21, Tracy 16) 2 M5-16 (Chas. Lee 14, Warham, 7) 3 F (Jerusha 41, Nancy 10 and ??) OR Ezekiel Chapman in Athens, Windham Co VT with 5 M under 16 (Tracy, Chas Lee, Warham, Abel, Ezekiel L. 2 F (Jerusha, Nancy). Ezekiel's occupation blacksmith: Freeman's Journal article. Tax Assessment in Worcester, Otsego Co NY, for

House & Farm: 1799 Real Estate Value 1250, Personal Estate 30, Tax 1.28 1800 Real Estate " 1250 Personal 54 Tax 4.10 1801 Real Estate " 1250 " 60 Tax 2.62 1802 Real Estate " 1000 " 40 Tax .99 1801, 1818: Listed in American State Papers, Miscellaneous, Vol 1, p. 428: Patent Listing for Daniel Pettibone, Ezekiel Chapman & Josiah Nichols, 22 Dec 1802, for Improvement in the manner of welding cast steel to iron, &c .Patent Renewal 25 Feb 1818, Miscellaneous, Vol 2, p 490. 1821, September 3, The Watch-Tower: Died In this town, on Monday the 27th ult. Mr. Ezekiel Chapman, in the 80th year of his age. [ECL has this from '77 trip]

4th Great Grandparents

64. **Aaron Chapman**Chapman, Aaron born 12 Jul 1718, Norwich, New London, CT, married 24 Jul 1739, in Norwich, New London, Connecticut, **65. Keziah Rood**Rood, Keziah, born DEC 1716, Norwich, New London, CT, died UNKNOWN. Aaron died UNKNOWN. Marriage License for Aaron & Keziah gives his parents as Joseph Chapman and Marcey ____.

When his father Joseph d in 1725, Aaron was 7 yrs old. On 25 Mar 1728, he was bound out as an apprentice blacksmith (until he was 21) to Ebenezer Lothrop and wife of Norwich (source: . His mother remarried 19 Dec 1728. See Philip Chapman Ellsworth article in Chapman Chatter, No 27, Fall 1991.

On 11 Feb 1741/42 Aaron and younger brother Daniel sold all right they had in the lands of their father Joseph in Wauwecus Hill to Benjamin Wentworth (no doubt a relative of Mercy's).

5th Great Grandparents

128. **Joseph Chapman**Chapman, Joseph born 16 Mar 1681/82, Ipswich, Essex Co, MA, married 23 Apr 1707, in Ipswich, Essex Co, MA, **129. Mercy Wentworth**Wentworth, Mercy, born 18 Jul 1686, Rowley, Essex Co, MA, died AFT. 3 JUN 1743, Colchester, New London Co, CT. Joseph died 10 Jun 1725, Norwich, New London, CT. There has long been a misconception that this Joseph was descended from William of New London. See Chapman Family Genealogy, F.W. Chapman, Hartford, 1865, p.268, which has the WRONG Joseph. It says he was a mariner.

Mather: Refugees of 1776, p.291: "Joseph removed to Norwich, Conn. where he died 10 June 1725." [perhaps the wrong Joseph again?]

But see Philip Chapman Ellsworth's meticulous research separating this Joseph from the Joseph descended from Edward of Ipswich MA

in Chapman Chatter #27, Fall 1991.

On Feb 5 1707 Joseph's intention of marriage was recorded in Ipswich (Gil Alford: Marriage date 5 Apr 1707). He and Marcy moved to New London township betw 1707 and 1714. Marcy's mother & father moved to Norwich or New London in 1707. Joseph was admitted to Norwich by public vote in 1715. Was said to be a mariner (Norwich isinland on the Thames, a navigable tidal waterway). In 1718 he joined the First Congregational Church of Norwich.

The two descending Chapman lines from Edward and William were in the Norwich-Colchester area and must have met. 1. Marcy's sister Katherine married Daniel Chapman, a son of John Chapman of Colchester and grandson of William Chapman of New London (marriage recorded in Colchester), and 2. After Joseph's death (1725), Marcy married William Chapman Junr (recorded in a Colchester land record). William was the son of John Chapman of Colchester, the eldest son of William of New London. No doubt William and Marcy met through her sister Katherine. Were there other connections between these two lines?

6th Great Grandparents

256. **Symon Chapman**Chapman, Symon born BET. 1643 - 164, Ipswich, Essex Co, MA, married 21 Mar 1665/66, in Rowley, Essex Co, MA, **257. Mary Brewer**Brewer, Mary, born 23 Sep 1648, died 23 Feb 1723/24, Ipswich, Essex Co, MA. Symon died 25 Aug 1735, Rowley, Essex Co, MA. From: Blodgette & Jewett, Early Settlers of Rowley, Massachusetts, p 72: SYMON2 CHAPMAN was a son of Edward1 and Mary (Symonds) Chapman of Ipswich, where he was born about 1643-4. He moved to Rowley and married 21 Mar., 1666, Mary, daughter of John and Mary Brewer of Ipswich. She died in Ipswich, 23 Feb., 1724. He removed to Ipswich about 1679, and died there 25 Aug., 1735.

Children of record in Rowley: 38-1. SYMON,3 b. 22 Feb., 1667; d. soon. 38-2. EDWARD, b. 12 May 1669. 38-3. JOHN, b. 3 May, 1671. 38-4. SIMON, b 25 Feb., 1672; bur 2 July, 1674. 38-5. DOROTHY, bp. 10 Oct 1675. 36-8. MARY, b 12 Mar 1677.

He had children born in Ipswich.

He lived in Rowley till abt 1679, when he returned to Ipswich (CC Bruer, Sen. of Ipswich. Symon was a carpenter and had two children named when her father made his will in 1684.

Blodgette & Jewett, Early Settlers, p 72: In a deposition, Simon

Chapman of Ipswich, aged 90 years, says that about 1679 he left Rowley, where he had for 10 years before lived in possession of the estate, formerly of Thomas Abbott, senior, homestead of 2 acres, bounded easterly by highway, southerly by Henry Ryley, westerly on a brook, northerly by Rich. Longhorne. "I improved for the term of Ten years as above said under my mother-in-law who was formerly the wife of Thomas Abbott senr. of Rowley." Sworn to at Ipswich, 1 Apr., 1734 (Essex Deeds, 66:281). Chapman Chatter #37, p 15, says he was "The oldest town-born child when he died." He was a carpenter.

7th Great Grandparents

512. **Edward Chapman** Chapman, Edward born 1617, Hull, Yorkshire, England, married (1) 1642, in Ipswich, Essex Co, MA, **513. Mary Symonds** Symonds, Mary, born 1614, died 10 Jun 1658, married (2) BET. 10 JUN 165, Dorothy Swan Abbot Abbot, Dorothy Swan, died 1710. Edward died 18 Apr 1678, Ipswich, Essex County, MA. Source: CC#37 p 15: Edward, a miller & farmer, is supposed to have landed in Boston in 1639. In 1644 he was a grantee of Ipswich MA. He was probably of the company that settled Rowley, MA. Savage: Genealogical Dictionary, p 361: "Edward, Ipswich 1642, m Mary, d of Mark Symonds, had Symonds, Nathaniel, Mary, Samuel and John. His w d 10 June 1658, and he took sec w Dorothy, wid of Thomas Abbot of Rowley, d. of Richard Swain of R. His will, of 9 Apri 1678, ment. w and the first three ch perhaps the others were dec." Immigrant Ancestors, a List of 2,500 Immigrants to America Before 1750. Extracted from Vol VII, Compendium of American Genealogy, Genealogical Publishing Co, Baltimore, 1963: p 20: Chapman, Edward (d ca 1678) from England to Boston 1639; grantee of Ipswich 1642, later at Rowley, m 1642 Mary, d 1650, dau of Mark Symonds; m 2nd Dorothy, dau Richard Swann, and widow of Thos Abbot of Rowley, MA.