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To my wife  
Marie  
in appreciation  
for her help  
in putting together  
this family history

## INTRODUCTION

From the reading of many genealogies I am inclined to believe they are often undertaken with the hope, if not the expectation, of finding at the end some personage of great distinction who, it is expected, will shed lustre on those that come after. To some a feeling of disappointment may come if such an end is not accomplished. But to me there is a greater satisfaction in finding myself descended from a sturdy New England settler with no vices recorded against him, than could possibly come from the fact that some titled profligate was responsible for my being. Some reader may think, "Sour grapes" as they read this, but I am sure all will agree with me that character is of greater importance than an empty title. Happy should they be who find in their ancestry the graces of title and honor combined and happy too should they be who, after the search is over, can find nothing among their gleanings more degrading than a long line of honest men and women, who have acted well the minor parts in life's great drama.

Several years ago I began making notes of such mention of the Van Alstynes - Van Alstines. Becoming interested, I succeeded in exciting a like interest in a few others who kindly sent me records of their own families, and as much as they knew of the families of others.

An opportunity to have these notes printed came suddenly and unexpectedly, consequently the record, as well as the biographical notes have been hurriedly written from such material as was at hand, and without the means of verification, which I would have had, if more time could have been given to their preparation.

So without further apology I will proceed to say that these notes, being the result of much letter writing and some personal inquiry along the line of my ancestor Jan Martense Van Alstine, are

now brought together in the following pages for the purpose of showing how little I have learned and how much I would be glad to learn concerning them.

For the benefit of those who are not families with Dutch names, I have added a list of Dutch Christian names with their English equivalents taken in part from the "New York Genealogical and Biographical Record," and partly from Riker's Annals of Newton, L. I. While most of the names in this record are found in every day use, there are some that are not, and without this translation, would be oftener read than pronounced:

The termination "je" changes a masculine name into feminine. The termination "se" or "son" means son of, as Martense, son of Marten, etc. "K" interchanges with "C" and names begin with either indifferently.

Aaghje	Agatha
Aaltje )	Adeline
Alida )	Arthur
Aarent, Aart	Adelaide
Adela	Adrian
Adriaen )	Adriana
Arie )	Eve or Eva
Adriaantje	Aletta
Aefje	Eve
Aeltie	Agnes
Aetje )	Letitia
Agntelje )	Andrew
Angenietie	
Aletta	
Andries	
Anitze )	
Annaetje )	
Annatje )	
Annitje )	Ann, Anna
Anneken )	Hannah or Nancy
Annetie )	
Antie )	
Antje )	
Aarent	Aaron
Arnout	Arnold
Artje	Female for Arthur
Baertje	Bertha
Balt	Balthager

Barber	Barbara
Barent	Bernard
Bartel	Bartholomew
Bartje	Bertha
Bastiaan	Sebastian
Batje, Betie	Elizabeth
Beletze)	
Belitje )	Isabella
Bella )	
Bell	Arabella
Betje	Betty
Boredewyn	Baldwin
Breghe )	
Bregje )	Bridget
Brechje )	
Carel	Charles
Catrina )	Catherine
Catryntie )	
Christiaan	Christian
Christoffel	Christopher
Christyntje	Christiana
Claas, Claes	Nicholas
Claesjie	female for Nicholas
Claartje, Claertje	Clara
Cornelis	Cornelius
Daam	Adam
Denys	Dionysius
Diedrik, Doris	Theodore
Derrick, Dirck, Dirk	Richard
Dirckje	female for Richard
Dirkje	Dorothy
Diewertje	Deborah
Dries	Andrew
Effie, Efje	Eve or Eva
Elsje, Elsie	Alice
Emmetje	Emma
Engeltze	Angelica
Epje	Egbert
Ernst	Ernest
Evert	Everad
Eytie	Ida
Femmetje	Euphemia
Femmetie	Phebe
Filips, Flip	Philip
Floris	Florence
Floortze	Flora

Frans	Francis
Fytie	Sophia
Geertruyd )	Gertrude
Geertje, Giertje )	
Gertruyd )	Gertrude or Charity
Gitty )	Dizna
Gerardientie	Grace
Geesie	Gerad or Garret
Gerret, Geridt, Gerrit	female for Garret
Gerretze	Giles
Gillis, Jellis	Michael
Giel	Godfrey or Geoffrey
Govert	Margaret
Grietze	Walter
Gualterus	William
Guilliam	Gilbert
Gysbert, Gyselbert	Jack
Hans	Johanna
Haje	Henrietta
Hendrickje, Henrica	Henry
Hendrick, Henrick	Huldah
Hillegonda	Hail
Heyltje	Hugh
Huygen	Jacoba
Jaapje )	female for James
Jakomyntje, Jabomina )	Jacob or James
Jacoba	Jane
Jacobus, Jakobus	Jacob
Jannetje, Janne	Gillius
Japik, Jaap	Gillia
Jelle	Joan
Jettje	John
Johanna, Janneken	Joiachim
Johannes, Jan	Justus
Jochem	George
Joost	Justina
Joris, Juren, Jurge	Jasper
Josyntze, Josina	Quirine
Kasper	Lawrence
Kyrn	Helen
Lawrens, Lowris	Helena or Madeline
Leena	Elinor
Leentze, Lena	Letitia
Leonora, Lenoor	Leo
Letje	Lodovicus or Lewis
Lieven, Lieve	
Lodewym, Louis	

Lotje	Charlotte
Lukan, Luytje	Luke
Lysbet, Lysje, Lysbetze	Elizabeth
Machtelt	Magdalena or Maud
Machtelde	Matilda
Margretje	Maharet
Martyntje	Martina
Maria, Mariken, )	
Marytje, Maaike, )	Mary
Maartje )	
Matthys	Matthews
Mietze, Mitze	Maria
Miewes	Bartholomew
Natze	Anna
Neeltje	Cornelia or Nelly
Niesje	Agnes
Obadja	Obadiah
Otte	Otho
Paulus	Paul
Powwel	
Paulyntje	Paulina
Phlip	Philip
Pieterje	female for Peter
Roelof	Ralph
Roosje	Rose
Rutgert	Roger
Ryhaard	Richard
Saal	Solomon
Saartje	Sarah
Sander	Alexander
Staats	Eustace
Stoffel	Christopher
Styntje	Christina
Tanneken	Ann
Teewes	Matthew
Theums, Teunis, Tunis	Anthony
Tebout	Theobald
Toontje	Antonia
Trunytze	Gertrude
Tymen	Timothy
Waltherus	Walter
Willemytze, Willemtze	Wilhemena
Wouter	Walter
Ydje	Ida
Zanneke	Susanna

## CHAPTER I

### VAN ALSTINE - VAN ALSTYNE GENEALOGY

"Our Fathers! Who they were and whence did they come? They laid the foundations on which we are building, and have made us heirs of a rich inheritance of Liberty and Peace.

"People who do not take pride in their remote ancestry will never achieve anything to be remembered by their remote descendants."

The name Holland means "Hollow Land" because it is below sea level. When a person dives into Dutch genealogy, he is groping his way in the dark. The first proposition that confronts him is the absence of surnames prior to the year 1700 about which date they began to adopt them, usually taking the name of the place they came from in Holland - hence we have the Van Dycks from the dykes and the Vanderveers from the ferry and a host of other similar surnames.

The family name of Van Alstine-Van Alstyne is derived from the Dutch, and signifies from the old or high stone. Doubtless those who first bore the name dwelt upon the top of a rocky eminence, or near to some boulder which for years had been a prominent landmark among all the families of that neighborhood.

It is claimed with reason, following the preserved records in Holland, that the family may be traced back to the year 936 at the crowning of Otho. The family name first appears under the name "Ralsko" which it bore for several centuries. Jean Ralski, who died in Flanders in 1236, had built there the Chateau de Waldstein, the name of which he took to distinguish himself from his brother, who bore that of Wartemberg.

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The family has been traced under the name Balstein in Spain, Vallenstein in France, Halsteyn in Flanders and Van Alstein in Holland. From Walstein, the name changed to Wallenstein, Walstein, Valstein and finally became Van Alstine. The early records show that it was spelled "Van Alsteyn", "Van Alstyn", "Van Alstein," and "Van Alstine;" but in 1900 these forms were reduced to Van Alstine, Van Alstyn and Van Alstyne, and one family having eliminated the prefix.

The name should be spelled with a small "v" and with an "i" in the last syllable instead of a "y". The former spells stine or stone, doubtless the "y" came from copying the old double "s" where the "i" was long like a "j" which was easily taken for a "y".

Those who located in Flanders were loyal to the church of Rome, and those living in Holland allied themselves to the Reformation of Martin Luther, and displayed the courage of their convictions.

Those who came to America have particularly demonstrated their courage and independent thought and action, and were well represented in the War of American Independence, as well as in the Civil War.

Invariably they have been men of Middle ground, neither acquiring vast riches nor suffering poverty, freed both from worries of life and cares of wealth. In the same measure, they have been prominent in politics and religion, as well as the professions.

The Province of Drenthe in Holland has furnished many families of American ancestors, and it was from this division of the Netherlands that Jan Martense, the ancestor of the Van Alstine family came. His wife Dirckje Harmense and at least two children, Herman and Abraham accompanied him. Prior to July 18, 1655 there are no reliable facts about the date they arrived in this country.

Herman, son of Jan Martense, in later years called himself Van Meppelen, that is born in

Meppel, thus indicating that Jan Martense came from Meppel in the Province of Drenthe, a city on the Havelter Aa, twenty-six miles southwest of Assen, the capital of the Province.

The name of Van Alstine first appears in 1689 on the Albany church records. Prior to that date Jan used patronymic Martense or Martensen, meaning son of Martin, and his children that of Janse or Jansen, meaning sons or children of Jan.

The banner of Holland still flew from the flag staff of the fort at New Amsterdam. The old fort was to moulder peacefully away for a few more years until 1664 when its rusty cannon was in no condition to resist a British fleet, and so the colony passed from Dutch to British rule and became New York.

The community was rejoicing in its new status, having a short time before passed from a village to a city. There had been a great celebration, and the city fathers marched to the church in solemn procession led by peg-leg Peter Stuyvesant. There to this same church on July 18, 1655 came Jan Martense and his wife Dirckje Harmense with their infant son Martin to be baptized. The sponsor for the occasion being Ytie, wife of Jacob Gerritsen Stryckers. Therefore it seems the progenitor of the family in America was Jan Martense Van Alstine, son of Martin Van Alstine of Holland.

From the time of his arrival in this country Jan was frequently called "de Wever" or "the Weaver" and as there is no record of his carrying on that occupation in this country, the usage shows that he had practiced the trade long enough in Holland to have it cling to him for life. The country of Flanders was noted for its weaving, and it has been thought that Jan's father or grandfather, if not he himself, came from there, the theory being supported by the fact that an old armorial family named Van Alstein still exists there.

From New Amsterdam Jan Martense went to Fort Orange in 1656 and immediately bought a house and lot there and continued to own same

until 1697 when he sold it to Mees Hogenboom. In October of the same year he was living in Beverwyck (Albany). The weaver of Meppel had become a trader, being found dealing in "good whole merchantable beaver skins" and other merchandise, and on the first of May 1658, buying from Pieter Lourenszen the yacht Hope. I have seen it mentioned in some accounts of our family that Jan Martense was in New Amsterdam in 1646, from the fact there being a bill of sale of a yacht from Thomas Hall and Jan Peterson to Hendrick Jensen and Jan Martense, dated December 11, 1646. A recent examination has satisfied me that Jan Martense mentioned in 1646 was the ancestor of the Schenck family of Brooklyn. Jan Martense sold the yacht Hope to David Wessells and Tunis Gray, who did not pay for it, and on May 24, 1661, Dirckje sues Wessells and Gray for 200 guilders the balance due Jan for the yacht and December 31, 1661 judgement was rendered in her favor.

Among the traders it was necessary to keep peaceful relations with the Indians and to have representatives to conduct the business during their absence. The sale of liquor to the Indians was unlawful, yet traders invariably supplied the Indians with it, and frequently were fined for their misdemeanor. Like many others Jan and his wife were fined on several occasions for selling beer to them, and once he was fined for selling brandy "after the ringing of the bell and during the sermon." "Often while Jan was away trading, important business would arise, and his wife would act as her husband's representative, as did wives of other early traders under similar circumstances. In this way she gave mortgages, made sales and bought land, always signing her name Dirckje Harmense."

Success resulted from their undertakings and on the 10th of February 1657, Andries Harpersen (Constapel) gave to Jan Martense, alias DeWever a right and title to a house bought at auction from Jurriaen Therisen (Tappen). The deed was not confirmed until the 24th of February 1660 when Andries Harpersen deeded an adjoining lot which the grantor had received from the Heer

Director General and the council of New Netherland. It was at or before the door of this house that a year after its purchase, on the 22nd of February, Jacob Teunesse de Looper drew his knife against the "mallbar" and afterward against Jan Rollofs Anneke, Jan's son whom he wounded.

Like other struggling pioneers who lived in a time when money was not always ready, Jan Martense was frequently obliged to give pledges of wheat, beaver skins, cattle, livestock or to even mortgage his own house and land, lot and garden in the Village of Beverwyck to Nicholas de Meyer and to Jan Bastiaensen Van Gudsenhooen, the former to whom he owed 576 guilders in whole merchantable beaver skins, and the latter to whom he owed 1,042 guilders, 2 stivers and 8 pennies, growing out of the receipt of invoices of goods and merchandise, which transactions show Jan Martense extensive commercial dealings. These pledges he must have met, for his Albany real estate was held until the 7th of February 1694, when he conveyed it to Meer Hogenboom for 15 pounds. The property is described as being without the north gate, bounded west by the street to Rensselear's Mill, north by the creek, east by the Marselis (Mardellus) property and south by the road to the river.

Jan soon turned his attention to farming, on the 28th of March 1662, he was found raising corn and grain in Wildwyck. Anna Bloms demanded of him 20 beaver skins and attached his corn, but he answered not to know anything about the debt and requested time until his wife arrived, assigning his grain up to that time. On the same day Herman Vedder also demanded 100 schepels of oats and seized the grain belonging to Jan Martense at the house of Andries Barensen, the parties agreed about a future settlement. The following spring Jan was back in Albany selling to the Honorable Goosen Gerritse (Van Schaick) 7 head of cattle for the sum of 580 guilders, payable in beaver skins.

There is no record of him owning land at Esopus until the 25th of April 1663, when he patented 21 morgens of land, and again on the

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11th of June 1667, when he patented land "near unto the New Village" (Hurley). The combined property was sold on the 10th of September 1684, to the heirs of Cornelius Wyncoop. On the 7th of June, just after Jan had received the first patent, the Indian on-slaught and massacre occurred at Wildwyck (Kingston). Military companies were organized and enrolled on the 12th of June. Of the second company William Jansen was made lancepesade, and among the cadets were Jan Martense (the weaver) and Arent Snyder (the tailor). It is interesting in this connection to note that Jan's son Abraham inherited his father's patriotism and became corporal in 1673, an ensign in 1689 and a captain in 1700 and also was a farmer and navigator of a vessel on the Hudson.

Doubtless, on account of the unsettled condition at Esopus, it was next heard of Jan Martense as being a tenant of Volkert Janse (Douw) and Jan Tomassen (Mingael), his brother-in-law, the ancestor of the Whitbeck family, upon the Island of Schodack. The Heer Van Rensselear, the Schout Swart, and the Secretary Van Schelluyne were upon the island on the 12th of May 1664, and for a week's time prevented Jan from plowing and sowing, the landlords, meanwhile freeing their tenants from all harm resulting from the neglect of duties. The official visit of the patroon was the outcome of a resolution passed early in that year by the council of Rensselaerwyck, annulling the purchase of the property from the Indians without the consent of the colony. When the notice of this resolution was served on the purchasers they secured a patent from Peter Stuyvesant late on November 3, 1663 and Van Rensselaer's claim was a failure. Jan Martense was released from his lease and moved back to Fort Orange.

Prior to 1671 "the weaver" had made a final moving, he and his wife located back of Kinderhook at what is known as Pompooneck. From various deeds, it was discovered that there were other Martenses, all of whose farms abutted our ancestors. They were Paulus Martense, rade-maker, and Jacob Martense, yeoman, and these

three Martenses were distinguished as follows: Jan Martense de weaver, Paulus Martense and Jacob Martense, all of whom were believed at one time to be related, but when about 1700, the Dutch began to adopt surnames, we discovered that they were not related. Our ancestor then became known as Jan Martense Van Alstijn, Paulus Martense as Van Beuthuysen and Jacob Martense was still called yeoman. Shortly afterwards Jacob Martense sold his real property to our ancestor and others and removed to Schenectady.

It is very evident that Jan Martense and Dirckje, his wife, were in possession of real property at Pompooneck, prior to 1664, for May 1, 1664 he mortgaged his real and personal estate and 17 hogs on his Bowery to Herman Vedder to secure the payment of 286 guilders and 11 stivers in beaver skins, at which time he owned no other real property of which we have any record except the house and lot at Fort Orange. On the 10th of February 1670 in company with Hendrick Meeusen (Vrooman) was appointed supervisor of roads.

We are all familiar with the place known as "Brown Right", but why is it so called? There was in New Amsterdam a merchant by the name of Jan Hendrick de Bruyne. He was a Huguenot and a Lutheran and withal a land shark, and among the Colonial patents he acquired was "Brown Right" in 1686 which recites an Indian deed of 1668 and September 23, 1707 he conveyed the same some 19,000 acres to Lorenze Van Alen for the consideration of L 400 and this property upon the death of Lorenze Van Alen passed on to his nine children, one of whom was the daughter of Emmetje, who married Leonard Conino, and from Conino a portion of it passed into our family. Among the other Colonial patents granted in this vicinity was one granted to Thomas Powell, by occupation a baker. He appears to have carried on his business in 1662 at which time he employed Gabriel Stridles to assist in his bakery for two years at a salary of 22 beavers (about \$70.40).

Prior to May 31, 1671 Thomas Powell died and his widow Jenneken Doncherts, intermarried with one Robert Ortier (Orchard), a master hatter,

and on May 31, 1671 Jenneken and Robert disposed of what remained of the Powell patent to Jan Martense, our ancestor and others.

May 31, 1671, Dirckje mortgaged her Bowery behind Kinderhook to Jans Bruyns. This parcel of land Jan Martense "de weaver" purchased of Robert Orchard and Janneken Donkerts, widow of Thomas Powell. This was described as "a certain parcel of land lying behind Kinderhook, adjoining to the south Dirk (Hendrickse Bye alias) DeSweed, to the west Jacob Martense and the kel and easterly a little brook dividing the same from the land of Andries Hansel Sharp" for the sum of "70 whole good merchantable beaver skins". Dirckje Harmence acknowledging her indebtedness to Mr. Jan Bruyns for that amount and promising to pay 30 next spring, 1672, and the remaining 40 beaver skins also in the spring, and in default of payment of the skins, promised to pay as interest 4 beaver skins, then she promised to give good winter wheat, at beaver and market price, therefore pledging specially her land and bowery behind Kinderhook. On both of these occasions we find Jan Martense away looking after his interests at Catskill or Albany, and his wife was acting for him. On the 25th of October 1686, Jannet Powell again deeded to "the weaver" that which on the 7th of November 1695, he conveyed to his son "Abraham Janse Martense.

In the early summer of 1671 it was recorded that milk and butter had been stolen from the farms of Eldert Gerbertsen Cruyf and Jan Martense at Catskill. As early as 1659 Cruyf had received from Jan Diridz Van Bremen a farm at Catskill, but this is the only reference that the record has of Jan's farming interests at that place.

Jan was one of the patentees named in the Dugan Charter of Kinderhook in 1686. The real property came to them by purchase and intermarriages. The early settlers lived here several years before acquiring the Indian title, and after procuring same, petitioned the Colonial Governor for a patent, setting forth that they had "seated and settled."

On the 11th of March 1686, petition was made of the Kinderhook patent, and in the name of the patentee, Jan Martense, was drawn lot No. 22 in the 1st allotment; lot No. 22 in the second allotment, lot No. 22 in the third allotment; and lot No. 22 in the fourth allotment; lot No. 21 in the fifth allotment; and lot No. 21 in the sixth allotment. On the valley land Jan sold 70 or 80 acres to Gerrit Teunise Van Vechten on the 14th of February 1687 and 80 acres to Robert Livingston on the 20th of February 1694. The names of his sons and his descendants have been mentioned from time to time in connection with the Kinderhook property.

Jan Martense's first dwelling erected prior to February 1670, must have been a rough and temporary affair, as on the 7th of February 1675, Herman Bastiaensen Vesscher was given a contract to build a house at Kinderhook for Jan Martense and later on the 14th of March 1676, he received pay for building a barn and clearing land.

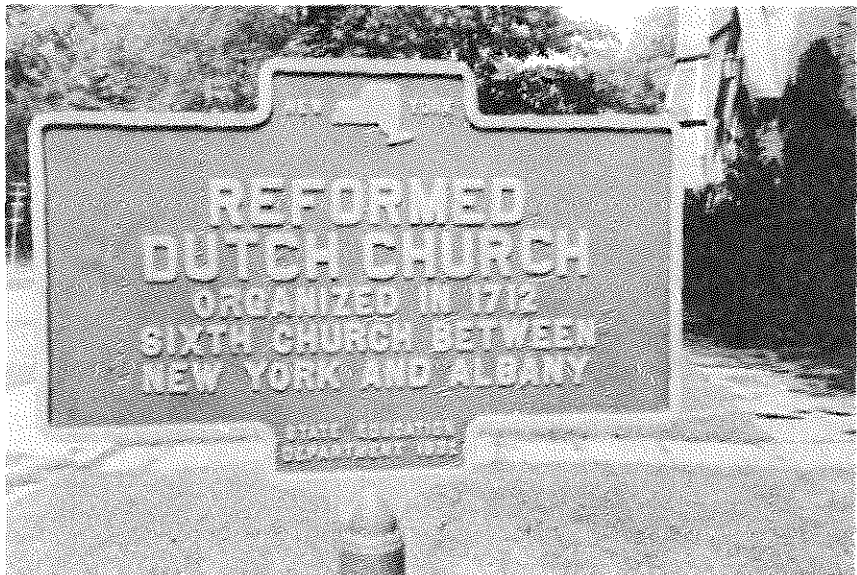
Jan Martense and his wife Dirckje had nine children. They were Jan, Herman, Abraham, Lambert, Martin, Isaac, Dorothea, Flammetje, and Teuntje. The records of the Albany Dutch Reformed Church show that in 1683 Jan Martense and his wife and all of his children, except Herman who was then living in New York, were members of the church. In the account book of the church it is found that, in September of 1682, Dirckje deWever and William Teller's wife were paid for board and care of Jan Cornelissen and again in September of 1684, Jan Martense was paid 135 guilders for three months board of fat (decke) Jan Cornelissen.

Jan Martense died about 1698 and his wife Dirckje about 1682. On the 16th of June 1697, Jan DeWever was a resident in the Rensselaerwyck colony with two children, and no women in his family. It is not clear who the two children were as all of his own children were married, possibly it means grand-children. There is no doubt that he died soon after this date, having survived his wife for several years. Tradition relates that both were buried under the Reformed Dutch Church in

14a



Church at Kinderhook, N. Y. where Jan Martense Van Alstyne  
are buried beneath





Kinderhook.

The life story of Jan Martense is traced from 1652 to 1700, beginning with his career in this country as a trader, then a small farmer, later a farm owner and finally a patentee at Kingston and Kinderhook, and if we read his simple life correctly, we note that his thrift, enterprise and industry brought him abundant success and prosperity.

#### THE VAN ALSTYNE FARM AND HOMESTEAD SUNNYSIDE AND ORCHARD HOME

A house tho but an humble cot of stones  
 Of wood and beams and piers  
 A home is made of loving deeds  
 Which stand a thousand years  
 A house tho but an humble cot  
 Within its walls may hold  
 A home of priceless beauty  
 Rich in loves eternal gold  
 The men of earth build houses  
 With pillars, walls and domes  
 The women of the earth, God knows  
 The women build the homes.

We recall no other homesteads and lands in old Kinderhook which have been quite so long owned and occupied by descendants of the original settlers as these.

In the 1660's Jan Martense Van Alstyne (DeWeever) acquired 3,000 acres of land lying in the valley two miles south of Kinderhook, some of which has been in the possession of his descendants now for almost three centuries. In succeeding generations after Jan, the ancient domain has been divided to make an inheritance for younger sons or collateral lines. Some of this land was disposed of by them; thus did a section known as "Lindenwald" become the home of President Martin Van Buren in 1835. Van Buren's grandmother was

Dirckje Van Alstyne, a grand-daughter of Jan and Dirckje Harmense. Of the original track, 600 acres are still owned by direct descendants of Jan Martense and there remain 220 acres in the old home place.

Jan Martense acquired large portions of his estate by purchase from the owners of the Niettenhook and Powell patents hitherto noted. Other portions came to him through his wife Dirckje Harmense, a daughter of an early patentee. The estate included lands now owned by Edward, son of Peter Edward: J. Spencer Hosford, son-in-law of James Van Alstyne, and Edward Payson, son of Hugh. Hugh, James and Peter E. were sons of Adam Van Alstyne. Adjacent lands now owned by Messrs Kiemer, and by the heirs of Silas Dick, also belonged to the estate. Jan Martense's homestead stood on Mr. Hosford's lowlands, a little southwest of his large hay barn. Mr. E. Van Alstyne remembers the depression where its cellar was.

Jan was succeeded as head of the family by Abraham Janse, and then in successive generations by Martin, John Martin, Adam, Peter Edward, Edward, James Edward, James Edward Jr., and Peter. John, son of Martin, married Dirckje Winne. He had two sons Abram and Adam. Martin outlived his son John, who with his wife, is buried in a plot of ground south of the dwelling of Edward, in a field set out to orchard in the fall of 1913. Up to this time this plot has been kept sacred from the plow or crops, with a large quarried stone on each corner.

Martin divided his lands between his grandsons. Adam inherited substantially what is now "Sunnyside", a portion of the corner farm and that of Jacob Masula. Adam married Maria Bain, by whom he had five children: John, who never married; Hugh married thrice to Catherine, daughter of Isaac Van Alstyne, son of John Van Alstyne (mother of his children), second to Catherine, daughter of John I. Pruyn, and third Mary Hickos; James married Ann, another daughter of Isaac Van Alstyne; Peter Edward, was also three times married, first to Elizabeth, daughter of William

B. Mesick; second to Harriet, daughter of Aaron Mynderse of Schenectady and grand-daughter of Rev. Herman Vedder for sixty years pastor of the Reformed Church of Gallatin, Columbia County; and third to Margaret Van Schaack, daughter of John Pruyn M. D.; Mary died in infancy. He was Collector of Internal Revenue for the district of which his home was a part. He engaged in milling in Valatie, thru which he lost all of his property. His creditors gave him time and with the help of his three stalwart eldest sons, from his farm he paid his obligations and left his farm free from incumbrance. He was considered one of the best farmers in the county. He kept large flocks of sheep and droves of hogs. He was noted for his executive ability. He died in 1856.

James, second son of Adam, married Ann Van Alstyne, daughter of Isaac Van Alstyne, as stated above. He had two children, Maria, wife of J. Spencer Hosford and Isaac, a young man of great promise, who was drowned on July 4, 1870.

Hosford's had three children: James Frederick, for many years an invalid; Ella Van Alstyne, married Dr. Nathan Garnsey; and Laura Augusta who married Spencer Hindes.

Edward Van Alstyne married Sarah Elizabeth, daughter of Bartholomew V. Pruyn, a captain in the Civil War. They have seven children: James Edward married to Mary Darragh Van Schaack; Elizabeth married to Harold Wilson Jr. They have four children: Elizabeth Pruyn, Jane, Edward and Harold III. The third child of Edward Van Alstyne, Annie Mynderse, married Lawrence Howard. They have five children: Edward Van Alstyne, Elizabeth W., Samuel Lawrence, William Edson and Mary Mynderse. Fourth child, Jean Pruyn; fifth child, Mary Katherine married Herbert Foster; sixth child Lewis Morrell married Edna Duff. They have a child John Pruyn; seventh child Pruyn, married Pauline Carroll. James Edward who married Mary Van Schaack, daughter of John J. Van Schaack, have six children: James Edward Jr., John Jay, Anna Elizabeth, Mary Van Schaack, David Van Schaack and Peter Edward.

## ORCHARD HOME

The dwelling on this farm as well as that at "Sunnyside" was originally on the highway between Kinderhook and Claverack. Said road coming down the hill on the Leggett farm across the flats and following the present road from Mr. Hosford's lower barns to his house, across his orchard thru the present vegetable garden at "Sunnyside", thru the fields south easterly to the creek which was bridged about opposite the farm house of Charles Frisbee. The present building is fully two hundred years old. Doubtless the bricks were burned on the farm. Remains of brick kilns are on the south-east lowlands and what is known as the "Clapp Meadow" on "Sunnyside".

Isaac married Maria Vosburg. He was the son of Abram I. and Maria Van Alen Van Alstyne. Isaac had two sons, Abram, who married Jane Van Vleeck and Barent who married Mary Suydam. The former owned the farms now in the possession of A. C. and William J. Kilmer. He, Isaac, had six daughters: Catherine, wife of Hugh Van Alstyne, Ann, wife of James Van Alstyne; Eliza, wife of Henry Snyder; Maria, Margaret and Jane. Margaret brought up the children of James Van Alstyne, his wife being forty years an invalid, and died at "Orchard Home". Jane lived with a son of Hugh until she was past ninety. Her life was full of benefactions. The brick school house at the fork of the roads north of these pillars was built by her as a gift to the neighborhood in order that the children might have educational advantages. During the summer of 1865 she taught the school without compensation. She also wished to provide a place where religious services might be held. It has well served both purposes.

Barent inherited "Orchard Home Farm". He married late in life, to Mary, daughter of Jacob Suydam. In 1864, he sold the farm to James, son of Adam. After the death of James' son Isaac, his daughter Maria and her husband J. Spencer Hosford lived with him. Mr. Hosford was a member of the well known firm of Hosford & Sons Stationers, 56 Cedar Street, New York City.

He maintained his connection with the firm for a number of years, taking no part in the farm management except that of care of the orchards, until the death of James in 1884. James was another successful farmer. He specialized in stock. His fatlings were recognized as among the best in New York markets. Sixty acres of this farm are known as the "Vly". They were purchased from a company of whom James was one, who occupied it from the heirs of John A. Van Dyck for the purposes of pressing the peat therein into bricks for fuel. This enterprise never materialized. By good drainage James put some of this land under cultivation, and thus allowed the balance to be used for pasture. He set the apple orchards now bearing on the farm and in connection with his brother Peter Edward, assisted in removing the fences and laying out the grounds as they are now. The writer would bear testimony to the more than brotherly love existing between James and Peter Edward and to the fatherly interest of his uncle James from the time of his father's death until he stood at his death bed six years later.

Mr. Hosford then assumed the management of the farm, enlarging the dairy and building up a pure bred Jersey herd, which today is the largest and probably the best of the breed in the county. He increased the orchard, planting both apple and pear. In the fall of 1912, he set the pear orchard on the south portion of the field east of the highway; the balance of this field with apples the year following. He enlarged and made more convenient the barns contemporary with the writer erecting a silo in 1888. He has done much to beautify and make the house and grounds more convenient.

## SUNNYSIDE FARM

When Hugh, son of Adam, married, the portion of his father's farm now belonging to Jacob Masula with the fields on the northeast side of the highway running between Kinderhook and Stuyvesant Falls, now a part of Hugh's son, Edward P., made the nucleus of a farm for him, which was supplemented by lands of Gilbert Clapp and others reducing the farm to practically its present boundaries.

The original house at "Sunnyside" stood seventy-five feet east of the present dwelling. The present house was built about ninety years ago, and consisted of the part, including the hall, to the east with the wing at the corner. After James, son of Adam, married, the western side was added for him. Stones, a load for two yoke of oxen were placed under the foundation next to the original structure, and instead of tying to the old side wall, a new one was built along side from the foundation to the garret. This is recorded as indicative of the substantial thorough going character of Adam. For a time James managed - and expected to become possessed of the farm. Peter Edward fourteen years younger was designed for a professional life; although he had received a classical education he insisted on following the calling of his ancestors. About this time the health of James' wife began to fail and it seemed wise for him to change his location; hence he purchased a farm in Ghent now owned by John Colburn, returning to "Orchard Home" as above stated in 1864.

Peter Edward represented the Assembly district in the north of Columbia County in the legislature in 1860. He was Collector of Internal Revenue in the twelfth district in 1867-1868. Following his father's example, with his brother James, he engaged in the milling business about this time at Stuyvesant Falls in company with Abram A. Van Alen, thereby seriously embarrassing himself financially.

As a farmer he was at least a generation

ahead of his time. He kept pure bred stock, laid tile drains, changed the course of the creek, set out extensive orchards, was one of the first along the Hudson to export apples. He added to and improved the farm buildings, the large tenant house nearest the barns formerly stood at the junction of the road between "Sunnyside" and "Orchard Home". About 1856 or 1857, it was moved to its present site, the addition to the south being added in 1875 to make room for a man who worked the farm. Peter Edward being in poor health. In 1866 he had the fences extending from the highway to his residence and that of James removed. Instead of sharp corners at the turns he laid out the present graceful curves, set the shade trees on either side of the drive, most of which came from the nursery of Henry Snyder, on the farm now owned by Datus C. Smith. He was one of the organizers of the Columbia County Agricultural Society, and when its first fair was held in Chatham in 1858, he was vice president. He died in 1876, the farm descending to his son Edward. He left two other children, Mary Mynderse, full sister of Edward (unmarried), and Harriet, daughter of Margaret Pruyn (his third wife) married to Charles Frisbee Jr. He married first Elizabeth Mesick, second Harriette Mynderse and third Margaret Pruyn.

Edward increased the orchards, setting the one north of the buildings in 1894. The pear orchard near the tenant house in 1893, the older portion of the one in the cemetery field in the fall of 1904, the balance the fall of 1913. He has fed many sheep, cattle, and swine. In 1888, he built one of the first silos in Columbia County. In 1884, he purchased the first grain binder in the county. In 1887, he went into the dairy business, which he has followed since. At the time of this writing he has a herd of pure bred and grade Guernseys.

As a farmer his ambition has been to leave his land better than when it came to him, and to make the farm and home a more desirable place in which to live. The concrete tenant house is on the site of one destroyed by fire with a large hay barn not far distant (the origin of which is a mystery) on the night of June 12, 1914, was

erected the summer following under the direction of his friend, Ellis M. Sante M. D., of Cortland, New York, who constructed these pillars as an act of friendship to Mrs. Van Alstyne. Since his majority, James Edward, his son, has been associated with him in the management of the farm. In 1912, Edward accepted the position of director of farmers institutes for the state in the Department of Agriculture, since which time James has had the active management.

Of these eight generations it can be truly said, in the words of Holy Writ: "He slept with his fathers, and his son reigned in his stead."

They have all been active in civic affairs, and loyal supporters of the Dutch Reformed Church of Kinderhook. Of them, too, it can be truly said: "There has not failed in all these generations a man to stand before Jehovah."

The writer would make the words of David his own to those who came after him: "Keep the charge of Jehovah, thy God, to walk in his ways, to keep his statutes and his commandments and his judgements, and his testimonies that thou mayest prosper in all that thou doest, that Jehovah may continue his word." "If thy children take heed to their way to walk before me in truth, with all their heart, and with all their soul, there shall not fail thee a man to till these fields and gather the fruits thereof."

The last Van Alstynes to live on "Sunnyside" and "Orchard Home" farms were the grandsons of Edward, only son of Peter Edward. They were James E. Van Alstyne Jr. and his brother Peter. In January 1965, the farm was sold to Mrs. Earl Kennett of Texas. James E. Van Alstyne Jr. continued to work for Mrs. Kennett on the farm until his death April 25, 1966.

The Two Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of the "Sunnyside" and "Orchard Home" Farm in the Van Alstyne Family at Kinderhook, New York. June 29, 1917

A unique celebration was held at "Sunnyside Farm" in Kinderhook, property of Edward Van Alstyne, June 29, 1917, when the 250th anniversary of the possession of the land by one family was observed. There were some seventy-five present members of the family represented by three generations, with other relatives by marriage, a few special friends or business connections. Professor C. S. Morgan, Dean of the Agricultural Department of Columbia University, took charge. His wife led off with America; followed by the 23rd Psalm repeated in concert, after which Mrs. Morgan led in singing a paraphrase of the Psalms in poetry by Dr. Collier. Dr. Collier led in prayer. Philip Van Alstyne of Spring Valley, New York gave a sketch of the family and Jared Van Wagener Jr. of Lawyersville, New York, dedicated a sun dial marking the event as well as the time. Dean A. R. Mann of Cornell University made the chief address of the day. In it he sketched the evolution thru the two and a half centuries and the importance to our country of permanency on the land.

Impromptu remarks were made by C. W. Burkett, editor of the American Agriculturist, Rev. Dr. E. Collier, and Edward Van Alstyne. Appropriate scripture passages, blessing the fields, and the benediction by Rev. E. C. Vanderloon, pastor of the Old Dutch Church at Kinderhook, came next. Then those present sang, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." All were then conveyed to Orchard Home, just across the orchard - the home of J. S. Hosford, son-in-law of James Van Alstyne, and the site of both the first and second homes of the family on this tract, the main portion of the present one being over two hundred years old. Here lunch was served.

Edward Van Alstyne spoke thusly: A short time ago I read in an old book of agriculture and philosophy as well as morals, this statement

which impressed me, "And Isaac digged again the wells which Abram, his father, had digged - and he called them by the names his father had called them. "

It suggests continuity of thought, action and occupancy: pride in the accomplishments of those who have pioneered the way. Obligation to continue and improve their work. In it, too, is the thought and far reaching effect of the old task repeated again and again. I like to think that the wells which time and alien hands had filled up, Isaac, with his better opportunities, in his later day, digged deeper and better than his father had done, reaching the "living water" which gave more abundant life to him and his, and to those who passed that way, including generations yet unborn. Nor should we lose sight of the respect and honor to his father in calling them by the names his father had given them.

The lessons for us today are many and obvious. To those of my generation there is doubtless uppermost the thought that for us well digging has passed, mingled with regret that our wells have not been more abundant and that we have not digged them deeper and made them more abiding. Yet, thank God, we can without egotism, and with some pardonable pride point to the testimony of these verdant fields, as did our fathers into whose labours we have entered, so have we re-digged their wells and new ones also, as evidenced in these fields and trees bearing fruit after their kind, as well as more and better flocks and herds: and in this gathering to-day we are remembering the old names.

More important is the message which we of this older generation would impress on you, our children and children's children. Remember the obligation which rests on you not to despise the old often to be repeated tasks of digging again the wells which they have preceeded us and we have digged; and that except you dig better in your day of enlarged vision you will have neglected an opportunity for service to your community and will have failed to have done proper honor to the men and women from whom has come this goodly

heritage. Nor forget the names they named, loved and made honorable.

So unique was the celebration, so unusual such a long tenure of land in this county that it is most appropriate that a complete sketch of the history of the farms whose approach these pillars guard were part of a large tract extending from what is known as Newton Hook and embracing an area between that point extending in a northeasterly direction to and including land now owned by Grant Leggett, deeded by the Indians to Hans Hendrickson by him to Jans Martense Van Alstyne de weaver in 1667. Of these lands occupied by him and his descendants are the farms of S. E. Mitchell, Elsie Dick, Jacob Masula, Edward Van Alstyne, J. Spencer Hosford, Edward P. Van Alstyne, Edward and Mary Van Alstyne (known as the Corner Farm), A. C. and W. J. Kilmer and a portion of that of Grant Leggett. To all of these portions have been added or sold off. All these farms except that of Leggett have been in the possession of a Van Alstyne in the memory of the writer.

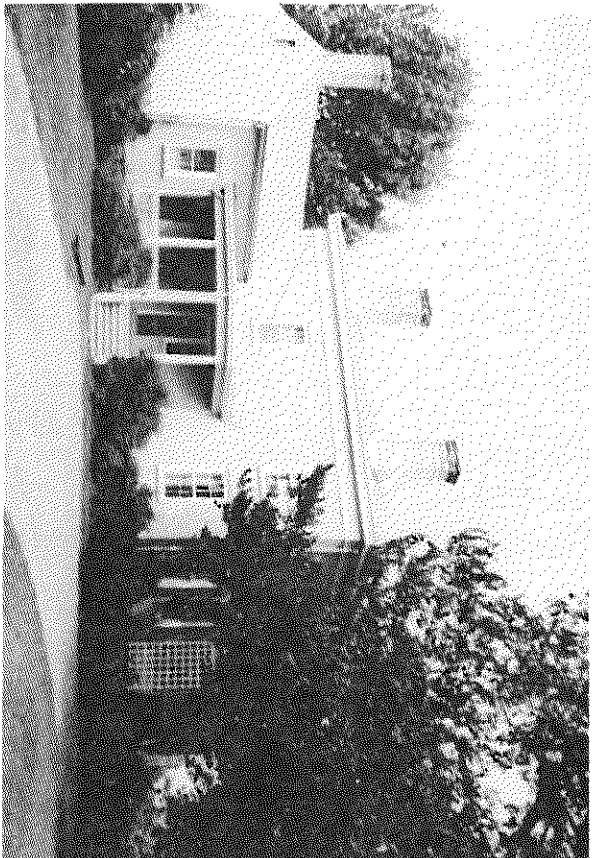
Jans Martense was the original head of the family in this country, coming from Holland in the 1650's. We know that his son Abraham Jans lived and died on what is now "Orchard Home Farm" in a house on the lowlands, not far from where a large hay barn stands at this writing. The name means Abraham, son of Jans from or of the old tower of stony field.

I wish to add that, although Abraham Van Alstine, the son-in-law of Conine, owned many hundred acres of land and was extensively engaged in farming, yet in the old deeds, or transports as such instruments were then called, he is described as a mariner, and Conine, his father-in-law, was of like pursuit, and for that purpose in 1730 erected a dock on his premises on the East side of the Hudson River at Poelsburgh which was for many years known as "Leonard Conine's landing place."

There were several forts built in this vicinity for the protection of the settlers, yet

April 10, 1748, a party of French and Indians raided here. They surprised eleven men at work, killed two of them, and made the other nine prisoners and then burned the house and barn of John Van Alstine.

During the revolution, the 7th Rensselaerwyck Regiment commanded by the Van Alstines was in active service more or less. At the Battle of Saratoga, October 7, 1777, a little after three P.M., the column of the American right composed of General Paar's brigade of New Jersey troops followed the New York Militia under General Ten Broeck, composed of the Van Alstine and Van Ness regiments and unmoved by the British artillery fire of eight pieces marched on to engage the British under General Auckland, captured the Artillery, and drove the British from their positions.



"Sunnyside"

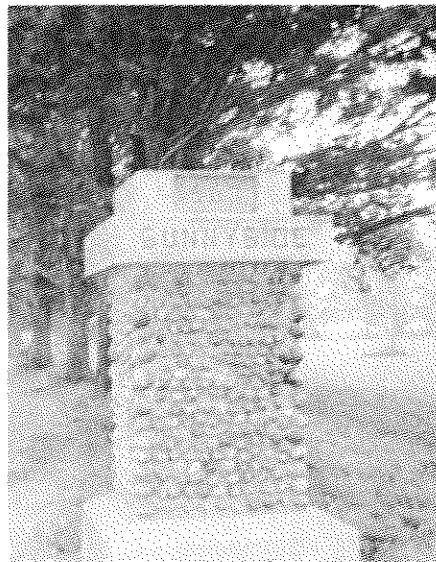


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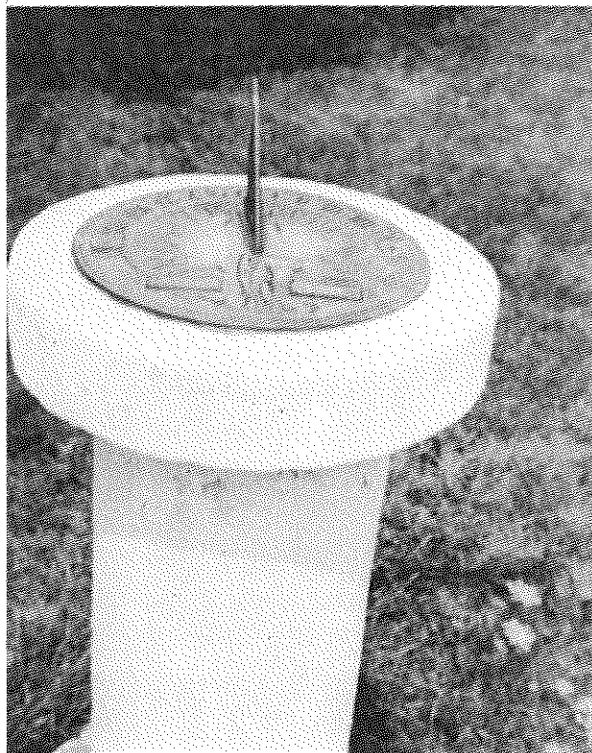
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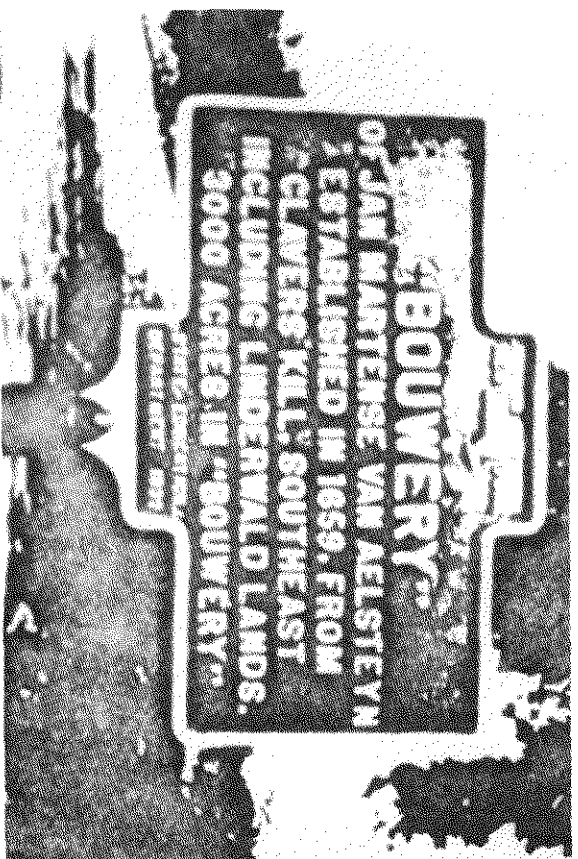
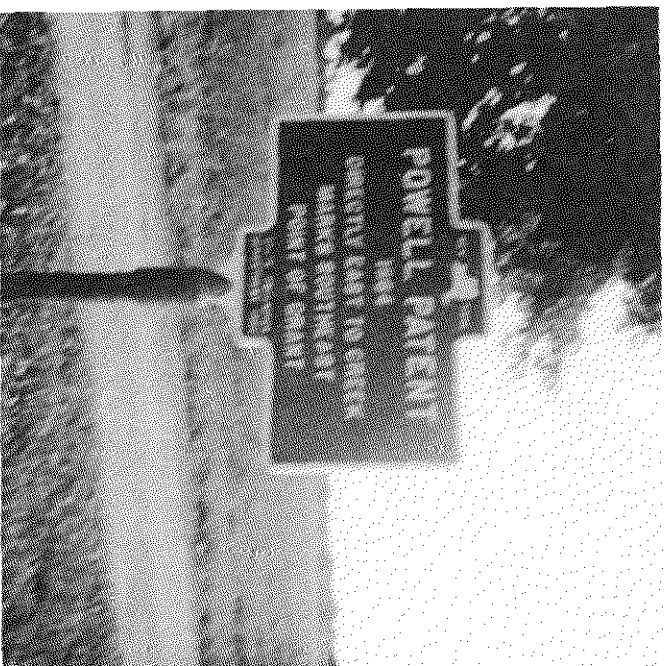


Pillars to "Orchard Home" and "Sunnyside"



Sundial dedicated at the 250th  
Anniversary of the Van Alstyne Farm







## CHAPTER 2

### JAN MARTENSE VAN ALSTYNE FAMILY

Martin Van Alstyne, of Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands, born about 1591, married about 1617.

Children:

1. Catalyntje Martense, married 1635 Cornelis Maessen Van Buren in Galderland. They came out in the ship Rensselaerswyck. In the passage out was born their first child Hendric. They had beside him, four other children, Martin, Maas, Steyntje and Tobius, all of whom were living in the Colony in 1662. They both died in 1648 and were both buried on the same day.
2. Jannetje Martense, married Jan Thomas Mingael, the ancestor of the Whitbeck family from Wedbek, Holstein.
3. Jan Martense Van Alstyne, born about 1623 in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands, married Dirckje Harmense, born about 1625, daughter of Harmen Harmense. Jan Martense came over to America in 1652 as an employee of the West India Trading Company in America. Sometime later he returned to Meppel and about 1655 returned to America with his wife Dirckje Harmense and two sons Herman and Abraham. His wife died 1682 and he died 1698.

Children:

1. Jan Janse Van Alstyne, baptized August 22, 1647 in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands.
2. Herman Janse Van Alstyne, baptized July 9, 1648 in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands, married first Brechtje Elswaert July 5, 1682. He married second Geesje Schuermans. He lived in Albany, New York.

3. Abraham Janse Van Alstyne, baptized about 1650 in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands. He married first September 8, 1684 Miss Van Nostrand, daughter of Jacob Janazen Van Nostrand. He married second January 17, 1694 Marritje Van Deusen. He lived in Kinderhook, New York.
4. Lambert Janse Van Alstyne, born about 1652 in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands. He married about 1682 Jannetje Mingael, daughter of Thomas Janse Mingael and Marritje Abrahamse Vosburgh. He died October 16, 1703. He lived in Kinderhook, Kings County, New York.
5. Martin Van Alstyne, baptized in New Amsterdam, New York, July 18, 1655, married 1678 Jannetje Cornelise Bogart. He lived in Albany and Canajoharie, New York. He died in 1765.
6. Isaac Van Alstyne, born in Albany, New York July 16, 1657, married 1st Maretie Abbedie Vosburgh October 20, 1689, married 2nd Jannetje Jochemse Van Valkenburgh February 20, 1698. He lived in Albany, then moved to Canajoharie and Schoharie, New York. He died January 4, 1746.
7. Dorothea Van Alstyne, baptized about 1659, married Jacob Abraham Vosburgh May 7, 1678. Lived in Esopus on land of Jan Martense, later moved to Linlithgo and lived there until their deaths.
8. Flammetje Van Alstyne, born in Amsterdam, New York, about 1661.
9. Teuntje Van Alstyne, born in Amsterdam, New York, about 1663.

### CHAPTER 3

#### HERMAN JANSE VAN ALSTYNE AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS

Herman Janse Van Alstyne, second son of Jan Martense Van Alstyne and his wife Dirckje Harmense was born in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands, baptized July 9, 1648, he was a rope maker by trade. He came to America with his father in the early 1650's. He lived in Amsterdam, New York and at one time called himself Herman Van Meppelen. He married 1st Brechtje Elswaert July 5, 1682. She was born about 1648, daughter of Theophilus Elswaert and Annetje Jans. Herman continued his name without the Van and called it Aalstyn and later Alston. He later moved to Albany.

##### Children:

1. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized March 27, 1683.
2. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized March 28, 1685.
3. Tryntie Van Alstyne, baptized March 13, 1687.

Herman Janse Van Alstyne, married 2nd Geesje Schuurmans, November 7, 1688. She was born about 1652.

##### Children:

1. Dirckje Van Alstyne, baptized July 28, 1689.
  2. Jeremias Van Alstyne, baptized January 4, 1691.
- I. Johannes Van Alstyne, eldest child of Herman Janse Van Alstyne and Brechtje Elswaert, baptized March 27, 1683.

2. Abraham Van Alstyne, second child of Herman Janse Van Alstyne and Brechtje Elswaert, baptized March 28, 1685, married December 7, 1707 Marretje Jans, born about 1686.

## Children:

1. Herman Van Alstyne, baptized May 8, 1709, married August 12, 1732 Jannetje Willes.

## Children:

1. Joris Van Alstyne, baptized September 5, 1736.
  2. Harmanus Van Alstyne, baptized May 11, 1738.
  3. Jannetje Van Alstyne, baptized May 27, 1744.
  4. Anna Van Alstyne, baptized May 18, 1748, married Lewis N. Dana.
2. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized February 20, 1712, married Cathalina Rapalje.

## Children:

1. Jeronimus Van Alstyne, baptized February 11, 1736, married June 7, 1759 Eyda Beekman, born about 1738, died February 21, 1804. He died August 22, 1807.

## Children:

1. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized September 10, 1760, died young.
2. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized November 10, 1762, married Margarita Leucks.

## Children:

1. Jacob Van Alstyne, baptized February 3, 1783.
2. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized December 9, 1784.
3. Jeronimus Van Alstyne, baptized April 8, 1765, married April 3, 1790 Mary Ann Campbell.
4. Carel Beekman Van Alstyne, baptized May 15, 1768.
5. Cathalina Van Alstyne, baptized January 20, 1771, married December 10, 1792 Alexander Fowler. She died August 5, 1821.

6. Thomas Van Alstyne, baptized February 21, 1773.
  7. Ruth Van Alstyne, baptized July 24, 1774.
  8. Mary Van Alstyne, baptized June 6, 1780, married 1st Peter J. Cortelyou, married 2nd Laurence Rapelye. She died March 31, 1843.
2. Marritje Van Alstyne, baptized October 15, 1738, married James Sharp.
  3. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized November 12, 1740, died young.
  4. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized August 5, 1743, died young.
  5. Hillitje Van Alstyne, baptized August 26, 1744.
  6. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized March 2, 1746, died young.
  7. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized June 21, 1747.
  8. Cathalina Van Alstyne, baptized June 5, 1751, married October 20, 1771 John Van Loon.
  9. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized January 15, 1755, married Sarah Wemple.  
Children:
    1. Annatje Van Alstyne, baptized June 11, 1786.
3. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized February 21, 1714, married September 29, 1733 Elizabeth Blom.  
Children:
    1. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized December 5, 1733.
    2. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized May 16, 1736.
    3. Marretje Van Alstyne, baptized August 5, 1739, married March 6, 1762 Benjamin Barwich.
    4. Elizabet Van Alstyne (twin), baptized April 25, 1742, married April 27, 1760 Moses Taylor.  
Children:
      1. Elizabeth Taylor, baptized January 25, 1761, died young.

2. John Taylor, baptized February 16, 1763.
  3. Sarah Taylor, baptized April 17, 1768.
  4. Elizabeth Taylor, baptized May 14, 1770.
  5. Moses Taylor, baptized September 15, 1771.
  6. James Taylor, baptized June 25, 1775.
  7. Jacob Taylor, baptized March 13, 1778.
5. Cathalina Van Alstyne (twin), baptized April 25, 1742 married March 16, 1763 James Slover, baptized April 3, 1737, died 1776, son of Jacob Slover and Sara Van der Jade.

## Children:

1. Elizabeth Slover, baptized June 8, 1763, died young.
2. Sarah Slover, baptized April 17, 1765.
3. Catherine Slover, baptized February 18, 1767, died May 7, 1844 at Newherne, North Carolina.
4. James Slover, baptized October 13, 1769, married April 10, 1797 Nancy Sears, died May 12, 1822, born and died in Newherne, North Carolina.

## Children:

1. William Lawrence Slover, baptized January 11, 1798, died March 18, 1804.
  2. Eliza Slover, baptized February 2, 1799, married May 1827 Rev. Darius. She died October 1864.
  3. George Slover, baptized February 18, 1801, died August 25, 1819.
  4. Charles Slover, baptized November 20, 1803, married December 13, 1832 Elizabeth King, daughter of Edward C. and Sarah King. He died August 9, 1892.
  5. John Slover, baptized January 12, 1806, died July 17, 1843.
5. Elizabeth Slover, baptized August 23, 1771.
6. Abraham Slover, baptized August 10, 1772, married December 25, 1791

Mary Warner. He died November 16, 1845.

Children:

1. William Beckley Slover, baptized November 12, 1792, died September 24, 1814.
2. Maria Slover, baptized December 28, 1795, married July 22, 1815 Gideon B. Fountain, son of Garret Fountain and Ann Betts of Staten Island, N. Y. She died May 15, 1862.
  1. Mary Ann Fountain, baptized January 10, 1817, married August 1835 James B. Grummon. She died November 26, 1890.
 

Children:

    1. Gideon Grummon
    2. John Ria Grummon
    3. Emily Harris Grummon
  2. Eliza Ross Fountain, baptized October 24, 1818 never married.
  3. Sarah Tyler Fountain, baptized April 25, 1820 married George Williams.
 

Children:

    1. George Fountain Williams
    2. Percy Howard Williams
    3. Ernest Williams
4. Catherine Slover, baptized April 12, 1822, married May 21, 1845 William A. Harding, she died October 8, 1868.
 

Children:

  1. Kate Fountain Harding
  2. William Augustus Harding
  3. Frank Fountain Harding
  4. Mary Harding
  5. Harry Allen Harding
  6. Frederick Harding
5. Marie Louise Slover, baptized December 9, 1824, died October 31, 1881. Unmarried.
6. Loo Baker Slover, baptized June 25, 1828, married December 25,

1837 Anna Simms. He died  
November 15, 1887.

Children:

1. Loo Howard Slover
2. Charles Slover

7. Gideon B. Slover, baptized  
November 13, 1829, died  
November 1887.
8. Emma Slover, baptized July 19,  
1837, died April 9, 1865.

3. Catharine Slover, baptized February  
11, 1797, died July 23, 1875.
4. Thomas Slover, baptized April 23,  
1799, died June 30, 1842.
5. James William Slover, baptized  
November 12, 1801.
6. Abraham Van Alstyne Slover,  
baptized June 6, 1804, died  
December 9, 1804.
7. John Slover, baptized October 4,  
1805, died October 5, 1805.
8. Abraham Van Alstyne Slover,  
baptized September 28, 1806,  
died October 18, 1877.
9. Warren Slover, baptized March 27,  
1809, died August 24, 1812.
10. Eliza Ann Slover, baptized Decem-  
ber 5, 1811, died August 12, 1867.
11. Warren Slover, baptized April 21,  
1814, died December 5, 1873.

7. Mary Slover, baptized June 8, 1774.

6. Jacob Van Alstyne, baptized June 30, 1745.

7. Marritje Van Alstyne, baptized June 7,  
1747, married ----- Sitteman March 4,  
1784.

4. Margrietje Van Alstyne, baptized April 15,  
1716, died young.
5. Bregje Van Alstyne, baptized January 21,  
1719, married June 21, 1740 Thomas Warner.

Children:

1. William Warner, baptized October 13, 1742.
2. Abraham Warner, baptized August 22, 1744.

3. Thomas Warner, Baptized September 24, 1746, married in the autumn of 1765, Magdalene Van Wyck. He died July 6, 1825.

Children:

1. Thomas Warner, baptized August 20, 1767.
2. Mary Warner, baptized December 8, 1771, married Abraham Van Alstyne Slover.
3. John Van Wyck, baptized March 27, 1774.
4. Leendert Warner, baptized May 16, 1753.
5. Jacobus Warner, baptized January 18, 1758.
6. Marritje Warner, baptized January 9, 1759.
6. Margrietje Van Alstyne, baptized February 15, 1721, married February 24, 1739 Richard Harrison.

Child:

1. Marritje Harrison, baptized July 4, 1742.
7. Michiel Van Alstyne, baptized February 22, 1723, died young.
8. Michiel Van Alstyne, baptized December 19, 1725.
3. Tryntie Van Alstyne, third child of Herman Janse Van Alstyne and Brechtje Elswaert, baptized March 13, 1687.

Herman Janse Van Alstyne married 2nd Geesje Schuurmans, November 7, 1688.

Children:

1. Dirckje Van Alstyne, baptized July 28, 1689.
2. Jeremias Van Alstyne, baptized January 4, 1691.

## CHAPTER 4

### ABRAHAM JANSE VAN ALSTYNE AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS

Abraham Janse Van Alstyne, third son of Jan Martense and Dirckje Harmense, was born in Meppel, Province of Drenthe in the Netherlands about 1650. He married 1st Miss Van Nostrand, January 15, 1684, daughter of Jacob Janazen Van Nostrand and Jannetje Van Amsterdam. He inherited the original homestead of Kinderhook, New York. In 1886 he was an ensign in Colonial Service, and was a Captain of Militia in 1714. He died just prior to 1750.

#### Children:

1. Janneke Van Alstyne, baptized March 15, 1685, died May 31, 1727.
2. Jan Van Alstyne, baptized May 22, 1687.
3. Jacob Van Alstyne, baptized September 8, 1689.

Abraham Janse Van Alstyne, married 2nd Marrietje Van Deusen, January 17, 1694, daughter of Matthew Abraham Van Deusen and Helena Robberts.

1. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized August 26, 1694.
2. Mattheus Van Alstyne, baptized June 14, 1696.
3. Dirckje Van Alstyne, baptized December 4, 1698.
4. Sander (Alexander) Van Alstyne, baptized January 5, 1701.
5. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized August 15, 1703.
6. Leena Van Alstyne, baptized November 18, 1705.
7. Isaac Van Alstyne, baptized January 28, 1708.
8. Dirckje Van Alstyne, baptized April 30, 1710.
9. Cathryntje Van Alstyne, baptized October 12, 1713.

10. Jacobus Van Alstyne, baptized April 21, 1717.
  11. Martin Van Alstyne, baptized May 3, 1719.
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1. Janneke Van Alstyne, first child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his first wife, Miss Van Nostrand, baptized March 15, 1685, died May 31, 1727.
  2. Jan Van Alstyne, second child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his first wife Miss Van Nostrand, baptized May 22, 1687, married Elizabeth \_\_\_\_\_. He died September 27, 1738.  
Children:
    1. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized April 6, 1729.
    2. Petrus Van Alstyne, baptized January 12, 1735.
  3. Jacob Van Alstyne, third child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his first wife Miss Van Nostrand, baptized September 8, 1689, married October 10, 1723 Pieterje Van Iveren, born August 22, 1703, daughter of Myndert Van Iveren and Saartje Bratt.  
Children:
    1. Jannetje Van Alstyne, baptized November 22, 1723.
    2. Rinier Van Alstyne, baptized April 4, 1725, married November 5, 1748 Cornelia Van den Bergh, born May 24, 1724, daughter of Mathias Van den Bergh and Cathalyntje Van Deusen. Rinier was born in Kinderhook, New York. He later settled near Blooming Grove, which is now Defreestville in the town of North Greenbush, New York on land bought from the Renssealears.  
Children:
      1. Jacob Van Alstyne, baptized May 28, 1749, married October 4, 1775 Annatie Lansing, born February 22, 1756. He was a Colonel in the Revolutionary War. She died February 13, 1804, and he died May 11, 1844.  
Children:
        1. Catalyntje Van Alstyne, born May 9, 1779, married June 4, 1795 Andrew Wemple. He died March 13, 1812 and she died May 23, 1859.

## Children:

1. Evert Lansing Wemple, born September 24, 1802, married Ann Nixon Hanna September 27, 1829 at Albany, New York. She died July 24, 1842.

## Children:

1. Andrew Hanna Wemple, born September 30, 1830, died December 31, 1869 at Williamsburg, N. Y.
2. James Wemple, born September 3, 1832, died January 28, 1879.
3. Evert Lansing Wemple, born May 31, 1835, Delta, Oneida County, N. Y.
4. Christopher Yates Wemple, born December 15, 1837, Utica, N. Y.
5. Frances Anna Wemple, born September 12, 1839, died September 17, 1840.
6. Lucy Ann Wemple, born August 16, 1841, Fonda, N. Y.

Evert Lansing Wemple, married second Mary Ann Suber June 7, 1846, at Canoyehorn, Montgomery County, N. Y. She died January 11, 1877.

2. Catalyntje Van Alstyne, baptized March 17, 1751, married February 15, 1768 Gerrett A. Lansing.
3. Matthew Van Alstyne, baptized June 3, 1753, married March 31, 1782 Rachel DeForest, born March 23, 1764, daughter of Martin DeForest and Tanneke Winne. He died May 29, 1821. Matthew Van Alstyne served in the Revolution as a member of the Tryon County First Regiment Militia.

## Children:

1. Marten Van Alstyne, baptized July 19, 1784, married Maria Quackenbusch. He died March 23, 1849. He enlisted in the War of 1812, but his regiment was not called into active service.

## Children:

1. Matthew M. Van Alstyne, born 1810,  
married -----

## Children:

1. Rinier Van Alstyne, born 1840
2. Eliza J. Van Alstyne (Mrs. A. Y.  
Lansing)
3. Edward M. Van Alstyne, baptized  
January 3, 1815, married Eliza-  
beth Hilton, born July 9, 1818  
and died December 13, 1895.  
He died October 11, 1882.

## Children:

1. Martin Van Alstyne, baptized  
1840, died 1915.
2. William Van Alstyne, baptized  
1843, died 1845.
3. Rebecca Van Alstyne, baptized  
1845, married Stanislaus Haines.  
She died 1937.
4. Mary Jane Van Alstyne, bap-  
tized 1848, died 1864.
5. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, baptized  
1852, married Albert Billing-  
ham. She died 1930.
6. Paul S. Forbes Van Alstyne,  
baptized 1856, died 1860.
7. Edward M. Van Alstyne, bap-  
tized May 28, 1858, married  
February 17, 1880 Carrie  
Viola Melius, born February  
7, 1860, died January 29, 1947.  
He died January 6, 1916.

## Children:

1. Howard M. Van Alstyne,  
born June 2, 1883, married  
January 1, 1921 Annie Gray  
Stewart, born May 19, 1891.

## Children:

1. Bette Jane Van Alstyne,  
born September 29, 1921.
2. Cornelia Van Alstyne, baptized February  
4, 1788, daughter of Matthew Van Alstine  
and his wife Cornelia Van den Bergh.
3. Rinier Van Alstyne, baptized about 1790,  
married Catherine Whitbeck, born 1790,

died March 28, 1880. He died August 14, 1865.

Children:

1. Matthew Van Alstyne, born December 11, 1812, married Rachel DeForest, born March 18, 1819. He died October 1886.

Children:

1. Rinier Van Alstyne, born March 22, 1845, married December 12, 1869 Alice Catherine Brownell, born December 21, 1847. He died October 30, 1877.

Children:

1. Matthew Van Alstyne, born October 9, 1870, married December 14, 1899 Adeline Yerks.

Children:

1. Wilbur Yerks Van Alstyne, born December 16, 1904.

2. Frank Pruyn Van Alstyne
3. Van Dyke Van Alstyne
4. Elizabeth Ann Van Alstyne, married Dr. TenEyck.
5. Isabella Van Alstyne

2. Catherine Van Alstyne, daughter of Rinier Van Alstyne and Catherine Whitbeck, married John K. DeForest.
3. Catalina Van Alstyne, married William Whitbeck.

4. Peter Van Alstyne, son of Matthew Van Alstyne and his wife Rachel DeForest, baptized about 1792.
5. Catherine Van Alstyne, baptized 1794, married John R. Fonda.
6. Catalina Van Alstyne, baptized 1796, married Martinus Lansing.
7. Fannatie Van Alstyne, baptized 1798.

4. Pieterje Van Alstyne, daughter of Rinier Van Alstyne and his wife Cornelia Van den Bergh, baptized August 31, 1760, married June 4, 1775 Peter DeForest.

3. Sara Van Alstyne, daughter of Jacob Van Alstyne and his wife Pieterje Van Iveren, baptized June 4, 1727, married Peter Yates, baptized January 8, 1727 and died September 6, 1807. He was the son of Christoffel Yates. Col. Peter Yates in the works extant is referred to as a "Famous" Colonel of the Revolution.

Children:

1. Christopher Peter Yates, born March 18, 1750, baptized March 29, 1750 at Albany. He died February 20, 1815. He is the author of the first Declaration for Freedom in the Colonies, the May 21, and 25th 1775 Tryon County Committee of Safety Resolution, which was over a full year before the Continent wide Declaration of Independence.
  2. Piertje (Caroline) Yates, baptized May 29, 1752.
  3. Jacob Yates, baptized March 28, 1755, married Elizabeth Van den Burgh. He died November 21, 1831 at Schagycoke, New York. He was a Captain in his father's regiment.
  4. Abraham Yates, baptized December 25, 1757, married Margaret Crandall.
  5. Cathalina Yates, baptized June 7, 1761, married John Lewis Van Antwerp.
  6. Maria Yates, baptized April 18, 1764, married Hugo Grosbeck.
  7. Hannah Yates, baptized March 2 or 4, 1767, married June 16, 1785 Phillip Van den Berg.
4. Maria Van Alstyne, daughter of Jacob Van Alstyne and his wife Pieterje Van Iveren, baptized July 27, 1729, married 1752 Anthony Egbertsz Bratt.

Abraham Janse Van Alstyne, married second Marrietje Van Deusen January 17, 1694, she was born September 23, 1674 in New Amsterdam, New York. She was the daughter of Matthew Abraham Van Deusen and Helena Robberts.

Children:

1. Johannes Van Alstyne, first child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his second wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized August 26, 1694, married August 5, 1719 Maria Staats.
2. Mattheus Van Alstyne, second child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his second wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized June 14, 1696, married first December 10, 1728 Catharina Kerfbyl, baptized March 4, 1705, daughter of Johannes Kerfbyl and Margaret Provost.

Children:

1. Johannes Kerfbyl Van Alstyne, baptized September 28, 1729.

Mattheus Van Alstyne, married second November 4, 1735 Sara Lynch, born about 1714.

Children:

1. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized October 3, 1736.
2. Helena Van Alstyne, baptized June 25, 1738, died young.
3. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized September 5, 1739.
4. Anthony Van Alstyne, baptized May 13, 1741.
5. Sara Van Alstyne, baptized September 1, 1742.
6. Mattheus Van Alstyne, baptized September 12, 1744, died young.
7. Helena Van Alstyne, baptized November 13, 1745, married George Sterling.
8. Mattheus Van Alstyne, baptized November 25, 1747.
9. Catharina Van Alstyne, baptized February 18, 1750.
10. Trijntje Van Alstyne, baptized June 24, 1752.
3. Dirckje Van Alstyne, third child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his second wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized December 4, 1698. Died young.

4. Sander (Alexander) Van Alstyne, fourth child of Abraham Janse and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized January 5, 1701, married November 2, 1733 Elbertje Van Alen, baptized February 17, 1712, daughter of Pieter Van Alen and Josina Dingman. He died November 11, 1756.

Children:

1. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized October 26, 1735, Kinderhook, married Laurens Hoes, baptized May 11, 1729.

Children:

1. Jannetje Hoes, born October 8, 1757.
2. Alexander Hoes, born June 22, 1760.
3. Johannes Hoes, born May 25, 1766.
4. Lyntje Hoes, born May 31, 1769.

2. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, baptized January 16, 1737, died young.

3. Abraham Van Alstyne, baptized September 3, 1738, Albany, New York, married 1st April 28, 1763, Engeltje Slingerland, born about 1742.

Children:

1. Cornelia Van Alstyne, baptized February 4, 1764, Coxsackie, N. Y.

Abraham Van Alstyne, married 2nd August 1771 Garretje Van Alen.

4. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, baptized May 31, 1741, Coxsackie, N. Y.

5. Peter Van Alstyne, baptized June 5, 1743, married September 24, 1769 Alida Van Alen, baptized February 10, 1749, daughter of Cornelis Van Alen and Alida Pruyn. She died about 1784 and he died 1811.

Peter Van Alstyne went to Canada, later served as a Captain in the British Army, with a Captain Dorland immediately under his command. Both of these families were dropped from membership by the Quakers. Many of the New England and some New York Loyalists were leaving and going to the maritime part of Canada. A neighbor of the Van Alstynes had been a prisoner of War at

Fort Frontenac (now Kingston) during the French Wars, and he recommended that part of the world to the others. So in the spring of 1783 about 189 people under the leadership of Captain Peter Van Alstyne (he was usually referred to as Major from here on) started out in wide flat bottomed boats up the Hudson River, up Lake Champlain, via the Richelieu River to Sorrel in Quebec. The severe winter overtook them at this point and they stayed in Sorrel all winter. In the spring they went up the St. Lawrence as far as Adolphustown on the Bay of Quinte. The fact that they chose boats and a water route, makes it sure that they were sea traders. It must have been a journey of incredible hardship. Certainly not to be contemplated by man who had young children or frail wives. Mrs. Peter Van Alstyne became ill after the Loyalists reached Sorrel, Quebec. Major Peter Van Alstyne had to leave his wife and family at Sorrel to bring his group of Loyalists to Kingston, where he received the area in which they were to settle. Then they moved on to Adolphustown Township, which had been assigned them. This was in the summer of 1784. His wife died in Sorrel, and was buried there on August 3, 1784. Major Peter Van Alstyne was the representative from Adolphustown to the first legislative meeting of the new five settlements, (of United Empire Loyalists on the Bay of Quinte). At Adolphustown there is a restored cemetery in a very beautiful setting along the water. On the one side there is a bronze plaque to the memory of Major Peter Van Alstyne and on the other side is a plaque to the memory of his loyal and courageous followers. This is the reading on the plaque in the park at Adolphustown.

#### The Loyalists Landing Place 1784

On June 16, 1784, a party of some 250 United Empire Loyalists landed from bateaux near this site and established the first permanent settlement in Adolphustown Township. They had sailed from New York in the fall of 1783 under the leadership of Major Peter Van

Alstyne (1747-1811) a loyalist of Dutch ancestry and passed the winter in Sorrel. Van Alstyne was later appointed a justice of the peace, represented this area in the first Legislative assembly of Upper Canada, and built at Glenora, the earliest grist mill in Prince Edward County.

Children: Peter Van Alstyne and his wife Alida Van Alen.

1. Alexander Van Alstyne, baptized November 11, 1770, married June 26, 1798 Ursula Allen, born about 1777 of Marysburg, Ontario, Canada.  
Children:
  1. Peter Van Alstyne, born about 1799, Sidney, Ontario, Canada, married Margaret Meyers.
  2. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born about 1801, Sidney, Ontario, Canada.
  3. Allen Van Alstyne, born about 1803, Sidney, Ontario, Canada.
2. Alida Van Alstyne, baptized March 2, 1772, Kinderhook, N. Y., married May 5, 1789 George Walter Meyers.  
Children:
  1. Peter Meyers
  2. Tobias Meyers
  3. John Meyers
  4. Rebecca Meyers
  5. Nancy Meyers
  6. Eliza Meyers
  7. Alice Meyers
  8. Mary Meyers
  9. Margaret Meyers
3. Cornelis Van Alstyne, baptized June 12, 1774, married December 29, 1801 Rachel Dunham, baptized about 1780. Rachel Dunham Van Alstyne died January 1, 1867. Cornelis Van Alstyne died 1862.  
Children:
  1. Alida Van Alstyne, born March 9, 1803, Adolphustown, Ontario, Canada, married William Scott, settled Prince Edward County.

## Children:

1. Sarah Scott
  2. Alva Scott
  3. William Scott
  4. Cynthia Scott
  5. Peter Scott
  6. Cornelius Scott
2. Sarah Van Alstyne, born June 22, 1804, Adolphustown, Ontario, Canada, married James Scott, settled Prince Edward County.  
Children:
1. Rachel Scott
  2. Maitland Scott
  3. Matilda Scott
  4. George Scott
  5. John Scott
  6. Mary Scott
  7. Cornelius Scott
  8. Peregrine Scott
3. Peter Van Alstyne, born August 30, 1806, Adolphustown, Ontario, Canada, died August 8, 1840, married first Margaret Meyers, married second Parmela Scott.  
Children: by first marriage
1. George Van Alstyne
  2. John Van Alstyne
  3. Charles Van Alstyne
  4. Clarinda Van Alstyne
4. John Van Alstyne, born August 21, 1808, Adolphustown, Ontario, Canada. Died Young.
5. Abraham Van Alstyne, born May 7, 1810, Adolphustown, Ontario, Canada, married 1842 Elizabeth Jackson, born 1819, died 1868. He died December 5, 1879.  
Children:
1. Capt. John D. Van Alstyne, born 1842, married Sarah A. Ellis 1864. Settled in Trenton.

Captain John D. Van Alstyne, son of Abraham Van Alstyne, and great-grandson of Major Peter

Van Alstyne, the pioneer, was born in Prince Edward County in 1842. His father was a shoe-maker by trade, before the advent of shoe factories and ready-made shoes, and carried on an extensive business. In 1845 he removed with his family to New Haven, New York. He was induced to make this change by John Williams, his brother-in-law, who had already settled there. After living eight years at New Haven, and doing a successful business, Abraham Van Alstyne returned to Prince Edward County, and lived there until his death. He was well known and very much respected in the community, where he had seen the county transformed from a wilderness into fruitful fields and prosperous communities. Cornelis Van Alstyne, Abraham's father, was one of the early magistrates in Athol, Prince Edward County, and Captain John D. Van Alstyne well remembers hearing his grandfather relate anecdotes of people driving with ox teams for miles to his grandfather's house to be married. At this time local preachers had no authority to perform the ceremony, and magistrates were important personages in the community; they settled the differences in the communities where they lived and were held in high respect. Captain John D. Van Alstyne recalls his frequent visits, when a boy to see his great-grandmother Ferguson, who lived to be one hundred and one years old. On these visits she would relate reminiscences of the Revolutionary War, having lived near New York during that perilous period.

Captain John D. Van Alstyne, from boyhood, yearned to follow our inland seas, and the long desired opportunity came when he was seventeen years of age, and secured the position of cook on a sailing vessel at six dollars per month. Young Van Alstyne did not know much about cooking, but the menu was a plain one and he had full confidence in his ability to succeed. He was soon sailing master of the "Gold Hunter". In 1866, he sailed on the steamer, "Maize" of Toledo, and later was captain of the "British Queen". He was three years first mate of the schooners "New Dominion" and "Union Jack", and held the position of captain on the schooners "Ontario" and "Huron" and upon the steamers "Saxon" and "Clinton". He built the

steamer "Iona" of Trenton, which he ran for eight years. He was also captain of the steamer "W. J. Carter" which sailed from Buffalo to Georgian Bay and Lake Huron ports.

As will be seen from this sketch, Captain Van Alstyne has followed the lakes for forty-five years and is familiar with the ports from Gaspe to Duluth and Chicago. Captain Van Alstyne has lived in Trenton for many years and is a sterling citizen in all that the word implies. In politics he is a Liberal.

Children:

1. Constantine Van Alstyne, born 1866, married Isabel Scott.
2. Minnie Van Alstyne, born 1872 - unmarried.
2. Henry J. Van Alstyne, born 1844, married first Annie Dennis, married second Phoebe Huyck. Settled in Arkansas. He died 1901. His first wife died 1874.  
Children: by first wife
  1. Nellie M. Van Alstyne
 Children: by second wife
  1. Frank Van Alstyne
  2. Annie Van Alstyne
3. Cornelius Van Alstyne, born 1846, died 1869 unmarried.
4. William Van Alstyne, born 1849, died 1850.
5. George A. Van Alstyne, born 1850, married Catherine Egan.  
Children:
  1. Joseph M. Van Alstyne
  2. Cecilia Van Alstyne
  3. Elizabeth Van Alstyne
  4. George Van Alstyne
  5. James R. Van Alstyne
  6. Catherine L. Van Alstyne
6. Lynus Van Alstyne, born 1852, married Elizabeth Morrison. Settled in San Francisco, California.
7. Amelia Van Alstyne, born 1854, died 1874 unmarried.

8. Emma Van Alstyne, born 1856,  
married Martin D. Lohrmen.  
Settled in Port Dalhousie.
9. Calvin Van Alstyne, born 1858,  
died 1888, unmarried.
10. Melbourn Van Alstyne, born 1861,  
married in Rochester, settled in  
San Francisco, California.
6. Lawrence Van Alstyne, born March 3,  
1812.
7. George Van Alstyne, born August 22,  
1814, married Margaret McCartney;  
settled Prince Edward County.  
Children:
  1. Clarissa Van Alstyne, born 1842,  
died 1858.
  2. Sarah E. Van Alstyne, born 1844,  
died 1845.
  3. Harriet E. Van Alstyne, born 1848,  
died 1866.
  4. Sarah E. Van Alstyne, born 1852,  
died 1878.
  5. Rachel Van Alstyne, born 1855,  
died 1875.
8. Mary Van Alstyne, married Sheldon  
Hawkins, settled Prince Edward County.  
She was born May 20, 1816, died  
August 1, 1868.  
Children:
  1. Trueman H. Hawkins
  2. Millard Hawkins
  3. Adelaide Hawkins
  4. Edward H. Hawkins
  5. ano.
9. Alexander Van Alstyne, born May 1,  
1818, married Didama Zufeldt.  
Settled Prince Edward County.  
Children:
  1. Alonzo Van Alstyne
  2. Sarah Van Alstyne
  3. Melissa Van Alstyne
  4. Celia Van Alstyne
  5. Flora Van Alstyne
  6. Thomas Van Alstyne
  7. Samuel Van Alstyne

8. Cornelius Van Alstyne
9. Sandy Van Alstyne
10. Martha Van Alstyne, born August 28, 1823.
11. Stillborn
12. William Henry Van Alstyne, born April 1, 1826, Adolphustown, Ontario, Canada, married November 27, 1858 Catherine Edmonds, born 1831, daughter of Thomas Edmonds and Sarah Starks. She died 1906 and he died February 1911.  
Children:
  1. Thomas E. Van Alstyne, born December 4, 1859, Cherry Valley, Ontario, Canada, married July 8, 1885 Agnes Allison. He died August 17, 1945.
  2. Lina Rachel Van Alstyne, born March 4, 1864, Cherry Valley, Ontario, Canada, married November 4, 1887 Royal Jones. She died September 13, 1911.
  3. William Arthur Van Alstyne, born June 22, 1870, Cherry Valley, Ontario, Canada, died February 7, 1872.
4. Elbertje Van Alstyne, daughter of Peter Van Alstyne and his wife Alida Van Alen, baptized February 2, 1777, Kinderhook, New York. Died young.
5. Abraham Van Alstyne, born about 1779, died young.
6. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized July 16, 1745, married March 5, 1774 Sara Van der Poel, baptized 1755, daughter of Johannes Van der Poel and Annatje Staats.  
Children:
  1. Alexander Van Alstyne, born November 6, 1774, married May 15, 1794 Mary Whitbeck, born April 16, 1774, died July 14, 1846. He died February 2, 1836.  
Children:
    1. Sarah Van Alstyne, born 1795, married Jacob TenEyck,
    2. Maria Van Alstyne, born 1796, married Abraham Knight.

3. Albertine Van Alstyne, born 1799
4. Jane Ann Van Alstyne, born 1801.
5. John S. Van Alstyne, born 1805, married Anna Maria Schermehorn. He died 1844, she died 1846.

## Children:

1. Alexander Van Alstyne, died young.
2. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, married B. F. Johnson.
3. Alexander Van Alstyne - unmarried.
4. Frederick Van Alstyne
5. John Schermehorn Van Alstyne, born 1834, married October 15, 1863 Ellen Folger, born 1842.

## Children:

1. Anna Folger Van Alstyne, born 1864, married Robert B. Burrill.

## Children:

1. Robert Van Alstyne Burrill.
2. John S. Van Alstyne, born 1867
3. Frederick Easton Van Alstyne, born 1870.

6. Katherine Van Alstyne, born 1809.

2. Johannes (John) Van Alstyne, born February 22, 1778, married Polly Ashley.

## Children:

1. Sarah Ann Van Alstyne, born February 12, 1812.
2. Albertine Marie Van Alstyne, born January 17, 1814, married --- Fitch.
3. William Ashley Van Alstyne, born January 29, 1816, married 1843 Widow Maria Wright, widow of Captain Wright. He died 1867.

## Children:

1. Maria Louise Van Alstyne, born 1844, died 1889, married --- Thomas.
2. Mary Ashley Van Alstyne, born 1847.
3. Albert A. Van Alstyne, born 1853.
4. Anna Van Alstyne
5. Melissa Van Alstyne
6. John, married Shirley

## Civil War Record

Pvt. William A. Van Alstyne - Com. Officer,  
 Capt. O. S. Sheldon Co. B., 16th Brig. TST -  
 Drafted August 7, 1863 for six months under order  
 of Governor. Capt. Thomas Martin, Co. B. 1st  
 Reg. TST Col. T. J. M. Richardson Comdg. Co.  
 Discharged March 16, 1864 at Camp Lubbock.

William Ashley Van Alstyne, was a director  
 and principal stockholder of the Houston and Texas  
 Railroad. There is a railroad station and town  
 named Van Alstyne.

4. Laurrett Van Alstyne, born April 12,  
 1818.
5. John Alexander Van Alstyne, born  
 June 5, 1820, Died young.
6. John Alexander Van Alstyne, born  
 March 15, 1822, married March 25,  
 1840 Mathilda James, born February  
 10, 1825.

## Children:

1. Josephine L. born 1842
2. Marietta E. Van Alstyne, born  
 August 25, 1844, married October  
 9, 1864 Francis M. Tuttle.

## Children:

1. John Van Alstyne Tuttle, born  
 June 23, 1866, married July 28,  
 1886 Della Wilcox.

## Children:

1. Zella Tuttle, born April 28,  
 1887
2. Harry Gale Tuttle, born  
 July 1, 1889.

2. Leon Gale Tuttle, born January  
 31, 1869.

3. John G. Van Alstyne, born Novem-  
 ber 16, 1847, died March 4, 1857.
4. William N. Van Alstyne, born  
 November 16, 1847, married  
 October 27, 1874 Harriet J. Stewart,  
 born January 29, 1856.

## Children:

1. Lewis Vernon Van Alstyne, born  
 April 30, 1876.

2. Floyd Van Alstyne, born  
March 2, 1879
5. Anna Belle Van Alstyne, born April  
19, 1855, married Henry Repperd,  
born March 18, 1862.  
Children:
  1. Anna Pearl Repperd, born  
August 29, 1884.
7. Mary Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born  
November 4, 1824, married James  
McIntyre.
3. Elbertje Van Alstyne, born May 26, 1782,  
married Barent Van Vleck.  
Children:
  1. -----, married Judson
4. Nicholas Van Alstyne, born        married  
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Children:
  1. Adam Van Alstyne
  2. Nicholas Van Alstyne
  3. Gitty Van Alstyne
  4. Abraham Van Alstyne, born -----  
married Elizabeth Kelly  
Children:
    1. William B. Van Alstyne, born  
January 22, 1825, married August  
11, 1847 Eleanor Cottrell, born  
January 27, 1827, daughter of Levi  
Cottrell and Alida Seward. He died  
September 10, 1873.  
Children:
      1. George B. Van Alstyne, born  
June 10, 1848, died August 11,  
1848.
      2. Frank Sylvester Van Alstyne,  
born February 26, 1854, married  
1st Mary Alice Kirkland Novem-  
ber 1, 1876, daughter of John  
Kirkland and Emma Smith. She  
was born January 9, 1853, died  
September 20, 1892.  
Children:
        1. George S. Van Alstyne, born  
August 12, 1877, died  
December 22, 1877.

2. John W. Van Alstyne, born October 4, 1878, died April 19, 1879.
3. Frank Kirkland Van Alstyne, born February 6, 1882.
4. Robert Emmett Van Alstyne, born May 11, 1889.

Frank Sylvester Van Alstyne, married 2nd Ida Rasseau, second daughter of Francis M. Rasseau and Martha J. Corey, December 7, 1893.

3. William Van Alstyne, born January 4, 1857, died March 31, 1857.
4. Ella Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born February 20, 1858, married July 17, 1879 John Schroeder, born November 6, 1852, son of Gottfried Schroeder and Fredericka Keehue.
5. Harry Seward Van Alstyne, born March 3, 1860, married October 25, 1879 Jane Dahman, daughter of William J. Dahman and Rosina Kapple.

Children:

1. William Van Alstyne, born March 17, 1880.
  2. Hazel Van Alstyne, born August 28, 1889.
  3. Esther Van Alstyne, born September 25, 1892.
  4. Harold Van Alstyne, born December 24, 1894.
6. Lettie Ann Van Alstyne, born February 17, 1863, married July 19, 1892 Walter Wynn Barnett M.D., born July 18, 1857, son of William Clarkson Barnett and Frances Marie Sullivan.
- Children:
1. William Van Alstyne Barnett, born May 30, 1893.
  2. ----- Barnett, born November 26, 1895, died November 29, 1895.

7. Perry Seth Van Alstyne, born March 2, 1865, married September 19, 1888 Anna Miller, born September 5, 1869, daughter of Christian Miller and Catherine Maustaffer.
2. Nicholas Van Alstyne, born ----- married 1851 Selma Sweet.  
Children:  
1. Orrin Chester Van Alstyne, born January 21, 1853, married Avada Earl, September 16, 1874.  
Children:  
1. Josie Van Alstyne, born 1877, died 1877.  
2. Charles E. Van Alstyne, born November 20, 1885.  
3. Philip Van Alstyne, born November 17, 1888.
2. Sarah Estelle Van Alstyne, born April 26, 1858, married March 27, 1878 John T. Holmes, born December 4, 1836, son of Jonathan Holmes and Mary Taggart.  
Children:  
1. Baby, born December 12, 1879, died same day.  
2. Jonathan Allison Holmes, born July 22, 1881.  
3. Grace V. Holmes, born March 16, 1884.  
4. Florence E. Holmes, born June 21, 1886.  
5. Hazel I. Holmes, born February 24, 1891.
3. Grace Adell Van Alstyne, born March 27, 1855, married April 29, 1872 A. Bardine Taylor, son of William Taylor. He was born April 29, 1847, died January 28, 1876.
3. Mary Ann Van Alstyne, born ----- married John Allhouse.  
Children:

1. Susan Allhouse, married John Smith
  2. William Allhouse
  3. Edward Allhouse
  4. Minnie Allhouse)
  5. Julia Allhouse ) twins
  6. John Allhouse
4. Margaret Van Alstyne, born March 20, 1820, married December 13, 1843 James Peterson, born August 29, 1819. She died July 20, 1847.  
Children:
1. Wallace, born November 8, 1844, married August 22, 1867, Carrie L. Round, born August 20, 1847.  
Children:
    1. James Floyd Peterson, born August 24, 1872.
    2. Roscoe L., born July 29, 1876.
    3. Leone Inez Peterson, born March 22, 1885, died June 17, 1894.
7. Zeyntje Van Alstyne, baptized January 17, 1747 or 1748.
8. Lawrence Van Alstyne, baptized May 6, 1750.
9. Alexander Van Alstyne, baptized January 5, 1753, Kinderhook, N. Y. married March 16, 1773 Sarah Witbeck. He died 1789.
5. Abraham Van Alstyne, fifth child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized August 15, 1703, married Wyntje Conyn (Conine) November 29, 1734 at Kinderhook, New York. She was born August 1, 1708, daughter of Leendert Phillipse de Konyn and his wife Emmetje Van Alen. Emmetje was the daughter of Everett Luykas, who came to this country with her mother in the ship (Brown Fish). The father had preceeded them about two years. Abraham Van Alstyne died 1789/90.
- Children:
1. Phillipus Van Alstyne, baptized September 16, 1735 at Kinderhook, New York. He lived at Poelsburgh, now in town of Stuyvesant. He was a Colonial of the Renssaelaerwyk

Regiment from 1775 to 1798 and with a part of his command in Tryon County, New York, at several periods during the Revolution. There were some 53 Van Alstynes serving their country as soldiers during the Revolution. He married July 8, 1761 his cousin Maritje (Mary) Van Alstyne, born March 5, 1733, daughter of his Uncle Isaac Van Alstyne and his wife Elizabeth Van Alen. Maritje died November 7, 1808. Phillipus died December 24, 1814.

Children:

1. Abraham Philip Van Alstyne, born May 16, 1762 in Poelsburgh, then moved to Kinderhook, New York, where he made his home. He married 1784 Catalyne Gardinier, born May 4, 1766, daughter of John and Cornelia (Vosburgh) Gardinier. He died June 5, 1834 and she died December 9, 1845.

Children:

1. Maria Van Alstyne, born February 20, 1785, married Jesse Van Ness.
2. Cornelia Van Alstyne, born January 15, 1792, married Peter L. Van Dyck.
3. Philip Abraham Van Alstyne, born February 20, 1799 at Poelsburgh, then moved to Kinderhook, New York, where he was a farmer. He married June 1, 1820 Alida Van der Poel, daughter of Andrew and Elizabeth (Smith) Van der Poel. She was born August 8, 1803 and died February 9, 1885. He died August 19, 1852.

Children:

1. Abraham Philip Van Alstyne, born June 4, 1821 in Poelsburgh situated in the northwestern part of the town of Stuyvesant, Columbia County, New York. He married January 15, 1844 Anna Maria Beneway, daughter of James and Maria (Morrison) Beneway. She was born May 7, 1819, died June 13, 1903. He died June 16, 1897.

Children:

1. Philip Van Alstyne, son of Philip A. Van Alstyne and Anna Maria Beneway, born April 12, 1845 at Poelsburgh in the town of Stuyvesant, New York. He was educated in district schools, Schodack Academy, Volkert Whitbeck's Classical School at Albany and Stratton's Commercial College. He studied law at Hudson, New York with Beale and Benton, admitted to the bar at New York City in 1868. He became a resident of Spring Valley, Rockland County, New York in 1887. Delegate to Democratic National Convention at Chicago, Illinois in 1892, council for the town of Ramapo and the Village of Spring Valley for several years. Member of Holland and Columbia County Societies, member of Reformed Church, in politics an independent Democrat. He married September 2, 1874 Amelia A. Haskell at Austerlitz, New York, daughter of Roger and Silence (Crowter) Haskell. She was born June 18, 1848 and died May 2, 1923. He died January 15, 1925.

## Children:

1. Anna Amelia Van Alstyne, born --- married June 14, 1900 Percival Van Orden, son of Peter S. and Mary (Hopper) Van Orden. He died February 17, 1945 and she died October 9, 1945.

## Children:

1. Mabel Van Alstyne Van Orden, born June 29, 1903, married June 14, 1930 Clayton Cook in Texas.

## Children:

1. Alan Van Orden Cook, born November 7, 1935.

2. Daisy Mabel Van Alstyne,  
born March 3, 1880, died  
April 21, 1886.
3. Edna May Van Alstyne, born  
May 16, 1889, died August 2,  
1889.

2. James Morrison Van Alstyne,  
born 1847, died 1937, married  
Jennie Hill, she died 1924.

## Children:

1. Florence Van Alstyne
2. Irene B. Van Alstyne, married  
J. Herbert Neill.

## Children:

1. Herbert Neill

3. Raymond Van Alstyne, born  
October 1887, died December  
5, 1932, married Florence  
Arbogast, born 1889, died 1960.

## Children:

1. Caryl Rae Van Alstyne,  
born 1925, married Harford  
Weld, born 1926.

## Children:

1. Karen Weld, born 1953
2. Nancy Weld, born 1955
3. Craig Weld, born 1957

2. Barbara Jane Van Alstyne,  
born 1930, married Arthur  
Woldt 1953, born 1928.

## Children:

1. Jana Woldt, born 1955
2. Wendy, born 1958

3. Elizabeth Caroline Van  
Alstyne, born June 1850,  
died December 5, 1932.

4. Eldornas Van Alstyne,  
born --- married Jennie  
Kelly. He died November  
4, 1943.

## Children:

1. Malcolm Van Alstyne
2. Warren Van Alstyne,  
married and separated.

3. Augusta Van Alstyne,  
married --- Fischer.  
Children:
  1. Harold Fischer
  2. -----
5. Mary Augusta Van Alstyne,  
born 1856, died March 1930.
2. Andrew Van der Poel Van Alstyne,  
second child of Philip Abraham Van  
Alstyne and Alida Van der Poel,  
born March 1, 1823, married Nov-  
ember 24, 1847 at Stockport, New  
York, Jemina Dudley, born April  
15, 1825. She died March 30, 1915  
at Rensselear, N. Y. She was the  
daughter of Jeremy Dudley and Sally  
B. Chapman. He died August 15,  
1879.  
Children:
  1. Caroline Alida Van Alstyne, born  
September 2, 1848, married  
Gustave Borne, she died June 24,  
1895.  
Children:
    1. Jemina Borne, born May 30,  
1877, married Burt Rogers.
    2. Dudley Borne, born August 30,  
1878, married Maude E. Tully  
June 28, 1896, died June 21,  
1969.  
Children:
      1. Maude J. Borne
  2. Dudley Van Alstyne, born August  
13, 1851, married Anna M. Allen,  
born March 26, 1856, died Febru-  
ary 21, 1930.  
Children:
    1. Milla, born August 21, 1876,  
died May 3, 1892.
    2. Anna Van Alstyne, born April  
11, 1878, married 1st Frederick  
Ham, born 1883, died January  
8, 1929. Married 2nd Howard  
Blanchard, he died January 20,  
1959. She died January 19, 1969.

## Children:

1. Frederick Dudley Ham,  
born September 26, 1910,  
married Sarah Atchison.

## Children:

1. Sarah Ham, born  
December 10, 1932.
3. Andrew Van Alstyne, born  
June 11, 1883, died 1885.
4. Allen Van Alstyne, born  
October 1885, died 1885.
5. Eva Van Alstyne, born Sep-  
tember 24, 1886, married  
John E. Clow. She died 1969.

## Children:

1. Robert Van Alstyne Clow,  
born November 26, 1905,  
married Eva Reynolds.

## Children:

1. Robert R. Van Alstyne,  
born April 23, 1935.
2. Harold Edwin Van Alstyne,  
born September 12, 1907,  
married Victoria Kawalski.

## Children:

1. Harold E. Van Alstyne  
Jr., born June 14, 1931.

6. Harry Van Alstyne, born  
December 12, 1887, married  
Margrette Walsh (separated).  
Died November 10, 1963.

## Children:

1. Isabel Van Alstyne, born  
September 25, 1916.
7. George Van Alstyne, born  
November 25, 1889, married  
Etta Jacobs. He died June 13,  
1967, she died March 3, 1969.
8. William Dudley Van Alstyne,  
born June 20, 1892, married  
Gertrude Doyle. He died  
November 1949.

## Children:

1. William Van Alstyne Jr.,  
born August 11, 1925, married Evelyn Jones, daughter of Malcolm Jones. He died March 7, 1967.  
Children:
  1. William Dudley Van Alstyne III, born December 14, 1952.
  2. Darla Van Alstyne
2. Kenneth D. Van Alstyne,  
born April 17, 1928, married Elizabeth Cross.  
Children:
  1. Jeanne Van Alstyne
  2. Sandra Van Alstyne
9. Marion Louise Van Alstyne,  
born April 1, 1894, married Warden Lynk. She died February 23, 1965.
10. Florence Irene Van Alstyne,  
born January 11, 1896, married Robert Michell.  
Children:
  1. Florence Mitchell, born June 9, 1918, married Arthur Wilson.  
Children:
    1. Marion Wilson, born July 1, 1941.
    2. Arthur Wilson, born September 5, 1943.
    3. Kathleen Wilson, born July 4, 19\_\_
    4. John Dudley Wilson, born October 9, 19\_\_
    5. Barbara Wilson, born December 2, 19\_\_
  2. Robert Mitchell, born February 22, 1920, married Eileen Adams. He died in World War II.  
Children:
    1. Robert Mitchell Jr.
    2. Steven Thomas Mitchell

3. Dudley Mitchell, born January 17, 1922, died in World War II.
  4. Regina Mitchell, born March 21, 1925, married 1st Joseph Barnwell, married 2nd Howard Lang.  
Children:
    1. Howard Lang Jr.
    - 2.
    3. Todd Lang
    - 4.
  5. Raymond Mitchell, born March 3, 1932, married Eileen -----.  
Children:
    1. Susan Mitchell, born 1954
    2. Raymond Mitchell Jr., born 1957.
11. Howard Allen Van Alstyne, born November 27, 1898, married Dorothy Raup.  
Children:
1. Dorothy A. Van Alstyne, born March 4, 1923, married Stanley F. Schufelt July 1945.  
Children:
    1. Robert Schufelt, born October 27, 1946.
    2. Janet Schufelt, born January 6, 1949.
  2. Carolyn Van Alstyne, born July 19, 1925, married Edward W. Light Jr., July 1947.  
Children:
    1. Thomas Light, born February 25, 1950.
    2. Howard Light, born June 25, 1952.
    3. Deborah Light, born September 8, 1955.
    4. Barbara Light

12. Clayton Emery Van Alstyne,  
born May 24, 1900, married  
Martha Atchison. He died  
January 5, 1960.  
Children:
  1. Clayton E. Van Alstyne,  
born February 17, 1926,  
married Ann Halloran.  
Children:
    1. Beth Van Alstyne, born  
July 5, 1953.
    2. Gregg Van Alstyne, born  
September 6, 1955.
    3. Neil Van Alstyne, born  
December 27, 1956.
    4. Mara Van Alstyne, born  
March 20, 1958.
  2. Allen Dudley Van Alstyne,  
born July 6, 1927, married  
Joan Van Deusen.  
Children:
    1. Lynda Gail Van Alstyne,  
born May 9, 1953.
    2. David Allen Van Alstyne,  
born September 13, 1955.
    3. Lori Ann Van Alstyne,  
born April 15, 1959.
    4. Dean Emerson Van Alstyne,  
born March 20, 1962.
  3. Richard Glenn Van Alstyne,  
born July 6, 1929, married  
Beverly Browne.  
Children:
    1. Richard Glenn Van Alstyne,  
born October 31, 1955.
    2. Jeffrey Lee Van Alstyne,  
born May 22, 1958.
    3. Peter Graves Van Alstyne,  
born February 26, 1960.
    4. Gary Paul Van Alstyne,  
born September 26, 1962.
    5. Thomas Jan Van Alstyne,  
born June 29, 1966.
  4. Roger Van Alstyne, born  
August 19, 1934, married  
Diana Rogger.

## Children:

1. Douglas Van Alstyne,  
born December 1959.
  2. Susan Van Alstyne, born  
December 14, 1961.
  3. Daniel Clayton Van Alstyne,  
born 1962.
3. Millie Van Alstyne, daughter of  
Andrew Van der Poel and Jemina  
Dudley, born September 22, 1853,  
married Frank Bray. She died  
March 31, 1940, he died Decem-  
ber 1, 1942.  
Children:  
1. Helen Bray  
2. Mary Bray
3. Caroline Van Alstyne, daughter of  
Philip Abraham Van Alstyne and his  
wife Alida Van der Poel, born Dec-  
ember 9, 1825, died December 3,  
1834.
4. James Van Alstyne, son of Philip  
Abraham Van Alstyne and his wife  
Alida Van der Poel, born January  
31, 1829, married November 23,  
1852, Sarah Jane Vosburgh, born  
May 28, 1829, daughter of Lambert  
Vosburgh and Cynthia Van Slyke.  
She died March 6, 1917 at 8:00  
A.M., he died January 23, 1894  
at 11:15 A.M.  
Children:  
1. Alida Ella Van Alstyne, born  
September 27, 1854, died  
December 20, 1860.
- 2. Frank Bion Van Alstyne, born  
September 22, 1856, married  
Addie Fellows December 13,  
1883. She was born January  
1860 and died December 10,  
1948. He died June 25, 1938.  
Children:  
1. Alice Van Alstyne, born  
January 14, 1885, married  
January 18, 1905 Charles

Baker, son of John Baker and Marietta Travis. She was born January 22, 1874 and died January 27, 1956. He died March 16, 1926.

Children:

1. John Baker, born July 16, 1906, married Mary Miller of Schodack Landing, annuled December 1960.
2. Eleanor Elizabeth Baker, born May 9, 1912, married February 15, 1941 Walter S. Eckel.

Children:

1. Richard Baker Eckel, born October 13, 1944, married April 8, 1967 Nancy Shafer of Niver-ville, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Walter Shafer Jr.

Children:

1. Nanette Vi Eckel, born February 1969.
2. Marcia Ann Eckel, born July 3, 1970.
3. Mark Walter Eckel, born July 3, 1970.

3. Evelyn Baker, born April 20, 1920.

2. Lewis James Van Alstyne, born October 3, 1886, married May 1, 1907 Imogene Wagner, born March 1886, daughter of Elmer Wagner and Ella Snyder. She died December 29, 1953. Married 2nd November 14, 1957. He died March 5, 1970.

Children:

1. Beatrice Van Alstyne, born June 21, 1909, married 1926 Raymond Shufelt. He died 1965.

Children:

1. Ralph Shufelt, born November 11, 1926,

married May 13, 1951  
Betty Sedon.

## Children:

1. Mandy Lou Shufelt,  
born 1953
2. Alfred Thomas Shufelt,  
born June 26, 1928, mar-  
ried September 1950  
Priscilla Taber.  
Children:
  1. Sam Shufelt
  2. -----
  3. -----
3. Shirley Lois Shufelt,  
born September 20, 1933,  
married Charles Weed Jr.  
Children:
  1. Charles Weed III,  
born 1954.
  2. John Weed, born  
October 1960.
2. Doris Van Alstyne, born  
June 26, 1917, married  
June 11, 1947 Charles Peller.  
Children:
  1. Charles George Peller Jr.,  
born September 13, 1948.
  2. Charlotte Ann Peller,  
born June 1950.
  3. John Van Alstyne Peller,  
born January 18, 1953,  
died September 1954.
  4. James Wagoner Peller,  
born April 16, 1958.
3. Robert Van Alstyne, born  
November 26, 1921, mar-  
ried April 22, 1944 Dorothy  
Gibbons.  
Children:
  1. Richard Van Alstyne,  
born June 5, 1945.
  2. Patricia Ellen Van Alstyne,  
born February 1, 1958.

3. Bertha Van Alstyne, born September 1888, died August 16, 1927, drowned in Saratoga Lake.
  4. Harold Edward Van Alstyne, born January 15, 1891, married May 20, 1916 Melissa Lucky, born August 14, 1895, died July 14, 1961, daughter of Clarence Lucky and Alice George. He died May 1973.
  5. Earl Charles Van Alstyne, born December 14, 1892, married November 25, 1920 Ethel Raughtmaker, daughter of Philip Raughtmaker and Elizabeth Scott. He died November 1972.
  6. George Francis Van Alstyne, born November 14, 1897, married May 28, 1932, divorced October 1935, died August 5, 1959.
3. Sarah Birdella Van Alstyne, born October 16, 1859, died May 31, 1933.
  4. Cora Belle Van Alstyne, born May 9, 1862, died September 21, 1944.
  5. Herbert Van Alstyne, born October 12, 1864, married June 12, 1895 Luella Flansburgh, daughter of Jacob Flansburgh and Hannah Nelson. She was born February 8, 1873, died November 14, 1956 at 1:15 A.M. He died May 26, 1906.
- Children:
1. Luella Ethel Van Alstyne, born June 3, 1904, married Benjamin Franklin Rathbun, son of William A. Rathbun and Minnie Schubert. He was born November 21, 1905, died January 1973.

6. Ada Van Alstyne, born April 10, 1868, died June 28, 1944.
5. Joseph Toombs Van Alstyne, son of Philip A. and Alida Van Alstyne, born July 31, 1836, married December 12, 1856 Margaret Ann Vosburgh, daughter of Lambert and Cynthia Van Slyck Vosburgh. She was born July 1834, died November 1912. He died May 12, 1903.  
Children:
  1. Charles Lambert Van Alstyne, born September 7, 1858, died July 9, 1928, married Anna Tobias, February 24, 1892, daughter of Belinda Niver and James S. Tobias.  
Children:
    1. Harriette Van Alstyne, born February 21, 1893, died December 1963, married June 21, 1916 Raymond Wilson. He died 1964.
    2. Jessie Van Alstyne, born October 26, 1860, died October 12, 1942.
    3. George Burns Van Alstyne, born July 20, 1863, married Lottie Murray. He died 1925 and she died 1938.  
Children:
      1. Carolyn Van Alstyne
      2. Evelyn Van Alstyne
      3. George Van Alstyne
    4. Nettie May Van Alstyne, born September 23, 1865, died January 16, 1894.
    5. William Justin Van Alstyne, born May 27, 1868, married February 25, 1891 Florence Powell, born May 24, 1870. He died January 6, 1938 and she died February 9, 1949.  
Children:

1. Verne William Van Alstyne, born January 5, 1894, died April 21, 1896.
  2. Loren King Van Alstyne, born November 8, 1897.
  3. Richard Alan Van Alstyne, born July 15, 1900, married September 17, 1924 Elizabeth Rosecrans, born September 6, 1898.  
Children:
    1. Mary Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born November 9, 1925
    2. Joyce Alma Van Alstyne, born September 24, 1927.
  4. Florence Frances Van Alstyne, born December 21, 1905, died January 10, 1964.
  5. Justin Gaynor Van Alstyne, born September 24, 1910, married June 26, 1938 Alice Lavery, born June 13, 1915.
  6. Frederick Joseph Van Alstyne, born September 28, 1870, married Mary Jones, died. He died before 1926. Two children put in a home, later adopted.
  7. Margaret Grace Van Alstyne, born September 11, 1874, married November 16, 1899 Wayland Rexford. She died December 20, 1942, he died April 13, 1943.  
Children:
    1. Frederick Rexford, born April 26, 1900.
2. Isaac P. Van Alstyne, son of Col. Phillipus Van Alstyne and his wife Maritie Van Alstyne, born October 1, 1764, married January 22, 1796 Maritje Vosburgh. He was murdered by Delaware Indians at Landing Place on Lake Erie.
  3. Wyntje Van Alstyne, born August 15, 1766, died February 1768.

4. Johannes (John) Van Alstyne, born March 2, 1770, married May 4, 1801 Elizabeth Borke (Burke). Her father Dominic Borke came over with the Hessian soldiers during the Revolution and surrendered with Burgayne and afterwards became a noted Dutch Reformed minister. His wife's name was Tabitha Chissom. John Van Alstyne died March 2, 1831.

Children:

1. Isaac Van Alstyne
2. Burke Van Alstyne
3. Maria Van Alstyne
4. David Van Alstyne, born November 9, 1815.

5. Wyntje Van Alstyne, born August 2, 1772, died in her 17th year.

2. Abraham A. Van Alstyne, second child of Abraham Van Alstyne and Wyntje Conyn, born March 4, 1739, married August 13, 1773 Catlyntje Van Ness, bapt. April 17, 1758. He died 1815. She was the daughter of John Van Ness and Sara Van Alen.

Children:

1. Abraham Van Alstyne, born December 25, 1773.
2. Immetje Van Alstyne, born February 11, 1776, married Peter Van Slyck.

Children:

1. Henry Van Slyck
2. Abraham Van Slyck

3. Sarah Van Alstyne, born September 27, 1778, died young.
4. Johannes Van Alstyne, born February 13, 1780.

5. Sarah Van Alstyne, born May 12, 1782, married 1st ----- Van Alstyne.

Children:

1. Peter Van Alstyne, married Dorcas Gardaner.

Sarah Van Alstyne, married 2nd Stephen Van Alen, born August 1, 1784, died 1856, she died 1853.

## Children:

1. Abraham Van Alen, born 1810, married 1846 Lovina Allen, born 1823. He died 1877, she died 1917, both buried in Cedervale, Onodago County, New York. They had eleven children including Phoebe, born October 31, 1861, died January 31, 1940, married September 1, 1880 Charley Van Buskirk, born March 5, 1860, died August 19, 1952.

## Children:

1. Leon M., married Margaret Dayton.

## Children:

1. John C. Van Buskirk
2. Catherine Amelia Van Alen, born 1813, died unmarried.
3. Philip Van Alen, born 1816, married Dorothy Sharp, born 1823. He died 1891, she died 1892.
4. Stephen Van Alen Jr., born 1821, died 1880. Drowned in Kinderhook Creek, robbery and murder suspected.
5. Maria Van Alen
6. Wyntje Van Alstyne, born March 15, 1789.
7. Catrina Van Alstyne, born January 28, 1791.
8. Cornelia Van Alstyne.
9. Philip Van Alstyne, born November 6, 1795, died young.
10. James Van Alstyne, born November 15, 1798.
11. Peter Van Alstyne, born May 7, 1802.
3. Leendert (Lambert) Van Alstyne, born September 18, 1743, third child of Abraham Van Alstyne and Wyntje Conyn, married December 5, 1772 Elizabeth Goes, married 2nd Hannah Sluyter.

## Children:

1. Abraham Van Alstyne, born August 15, 1773, married 1803 Mary Harrington, born June 10, 1783. He died 1823 and she died June 5, 1859.

## Children:

1. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born 1804, married February 23, 1822 Henry

Schufelt. She died January 5, 1840.

Children:

1. Abraham Schufelt, born 1824,  
died August 25, 1839.
2. Leonard Van Alstyne, born November  
3, 1806, married April 25, 1836  
Christina Clough, born April 12, 1818.  
He died July 15, 1871.

Children:

1. George Henry Van Alstyne, born  
April 8, 1837, married Maria  
Convoy, born August 7, 1837,  
daughter of John and Maria Convoy.  
She died October 21, 1908.

Children:

1. George Henry Van Alstyne Jr.,  
born May 24, 1863, married  
April 10, 1889, Toronto, Kansas,  
Delberta Edith Wilson, born July  
9, 1871, daughter of Charles  
Wilson and Dora Wooldrindee.  
He died September 18, 1935,  
she died December 31, 1959.

Children:

1. Clarence Arthur Van Alstyne,  
born April 26, 1889, married  
December 12, ---- Brecken-  
ridge. He died November 11,  
1918.
2. Elmer R. Van Alstyne, born  
May 18, 1893, married Cass  
McGovern, October 1922. He  
died February 3, 1942.
3. Harry Allen Van Alstyne,  
born August 24, 1895, married  
July 16, 1923 Mae Bowen.
4. Aline Marie Van Alstyne, born  
March 20, 1899, married July  
15, 1919 R. Wallace.
5. Lois Louise Van Alstyne, born  
July 22, 1905, married April 3,  
1926 William Rush.
6. George Albert Van Alstyne,  
born June 25, 1908, married  
----- Nickesell. He died  
July 24, 1950.

2. Edward Van Alstyne, born about 1867, married September 23, 1891 Minnie Fahrenholtz.
  3. Frank Van Alstyne, born May 8, 1872, married Jennie Wallace. He died August 21, 1954.
  4. Marie Van Alstyne, born about 1874.
  5. Henrietta Van Alstyne, born about 1876.
2. Mary E. Van Alstyne, born March 22, 1840, died July 8, 1841.
  3. Elsie Van Alstyne, born April 5, 1843, died April 18, 1843.
  4. Charles Gilbert Van Alstyne, born October 15, 1846, married November 25, 1868 Rachel Landon Huyck. She was born May 29, 1840, died 1921.  
Children:
    1. Henry Arthur Van Alstyne, born October 9, 1869, married Bertha Sloneneher, October 11, 1899. He died January 23, 1947.
    2. Jesse Herbert Van Alstyne, born November 27, 1872, married September 20, 1929 Margaret Pitkin. He died December 25, 1944.
    3. Edith Louise Van Alstyne, born August 13, 1876, married Clinton Jackson Sheldon, October 6, 1898. She died August 22, 1952.  
Children:
      1. Clinton Jackson Sheldon Jr., born July 17, 1899, married Harriet M. Jones, November 15, 1922.  
Children:
        1. Elizabeth Van Alstyne Sheldon, born July 21, 1928.
        2. Clinton Van Alstyne Sheldon, born August 20, 1938, married October 7, 1961 Janice J. Gates.  
Children:

1. Paul Thomas Sheldon,  
born June 13, 1966.
  2. Barbara Alice Sheldon,  
born November 28, 1967.
  3. John Clinton Sheldon,  
born July 31, 1972.
4. Eleanor Van Ness Van Alstyne  
Ph D M. D., born March 31, 1881,  
died September 17, 1942.
  5. Mabel Huyck Van Alstyne, born  
November 30, 1882, married  
Fred Dana Marsh. She died  
July 4, 1965.
5. Samuel H. Van Alstyne, born October  
17, 1849, married Caroline Best.  
He died April 11, 1890.  
Children:
    1. Irving Van Alstyne, married  
Anne J. Ouilhut January 4, 1905.
    2. Sarah Van Alstyne, died young
    3. Eva Van Alstyne
    4. Nelson Van Alstyne
    5. Nettie Van Alstyne
  6. Henrietta Van Alstyne, born May 27,  
1852, married July 20, 1872 George  
Loman, born September 30, 1847,  
son of Benjamin and Mary A. Loman.  
Children:
    1. Frederick Widmar Loman, born  
June 11, 1874, died August 24,  
1874.
    2. Elsie Loman, born September 9,  
1875, died September 28, 1875.
    3. Clarence R. Loman, born Septem-  
ber 9, 1877, died February 9,  
1878.
    4. Henrietta Loman, born March 17,  
1879.
    5. Charles Nelson Loman, born  
July 17, 1883.
3. Isaac Van Alstyne, son of Abraham Van  
Alstyne and his wife Mary Harrington,  
born August 26, 1809, married about  
1830 Hannah Smith, born November 17,

1812. He died September 30, 1877,  
she died August 20, 1896.

Children:

1. Peter Van Alstyne, born May 30,  
1832, married Delia May Sutherland.

Children:

1. Jane Ann Van Alstyne, born Sep-  
tember 27, 1860, married Edward  
M. Sutherland December 12, 1882,  
son of Milton and Anna Colburn  
Sutherland.

Children:

1. Fanny Kohler Sutherland, born  
March 8, 1884.
2. Frederick Milton Sutherland,  
born January 15, 1887, died  
June 9, 1889.

2. William Edward Van Alstyne,  
born February 6, 1862, married  
Mary Richards.

3. George Washington Van Alstyne,  
born February 22, 1864, died  
young.

4. James George Van Alstyne, born  
February 22, 1864, died young.

5. Carrie Van Alstyne, born Febru-  
ary 12, 1870, died May 4, 1876.

2. William Van Alstyne, born February  
16, 1834, married June 4, 1860  
Helen Marie Becker, born Novem-  
ber 10, 1841.

Children:

1. Rachel Annie Van Alstyne, born  
March 24, 1861.

2. Louis Irving Van Alstyne, born  
May 23, 1863, married February  
13, 1889 Mary Burton Vreeland,  
born January 20, 1868.

Children:

1. George Vreeland Van Alstyne,  
born November 13, 1888.

2. Gausevoort Van Alstyne, born  
September 17, 1891.

3. Emma Van Alstyne, born  
January 19, 1894.

3. Percy W. Van Alstyne, born November 28, 1870, married June 26, 1895 Sarah Currie.
4. Henry Burhaus Van Alstyne, born November 16, 1873, died January 19, 1901 with pneumonia.
5. William Becker Van Alstyne M. D., born June 20, 1878 married Delia DuCharme.  
Children:
  1. Helen Van Alstyne, born 1906.
3. Andrew Van Alstyne, born February 12, 1836, married September 4, 1867 Elsie Maria Van Alstyne, born January 17, 1848.  
Children:
  1. Clarence Van Alstyne, born July 27, 1870.
  2. Helen Louisa Van Alstyne, born May 9, 1874.
  3. Andrew Van Alstyne, born May 18, 1881.
4. Louis Van Alstyne, born June 6, 1838, married March 15, 1859 Elizabeth Lasher, born August 11, 1842.
5. Isaac Van Alstyne, born September 21, 1840, died May 9, 1842.
6. John Abraham Van Alstyne, born March 21, 1843, married July 26, 1866 Isabella Decker, born October 12, 1848.  
Children:
  1. Frederick Aaron Van Alstyne, born August 27, 1867, died March 3, 1877.
  2. Delmar John Van Alstyne, born April 18, 1871, married July 13, 1892 Margaret Ella Bond, born September 22, 1871.  
Children:
    1. Margaret Ella Van Alstyne, born May 4, 1893.
    2. Marian Isabella Van Alstyne, born August 23, 1895.

3. Albertus Isaac Van Alstyne, born November 19, 1873, died March 10, 1874.
4. Harriet Florence Van Alstyne, born December 2, 1876.
5. Edith Belle Van Alstyne, born March 17, 1879.
6. Maud Almena Van Alstyne, born February 3, 1888, died May 1, 1889.
7. Isaac Van Alstyne, born October 18, 1845, married September 18, 1883 Effie Powell, born May 13, 1864, daughter of Caleb Powell and Susan A. Turner.  
Children:
  1. Olive May Van Alstyne, born December 30, 1886.
  2. States Leonard Van Alstyne, born June 19, 1888.
8. Abraham Peter Van Alstyne, born December 2, 1847 single.
9. Mary Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born February 12, 1850, married October 20, 1869 Charles A. Chadsey, born January 10, 1846, son of Schuyler Gates Chadsey and Eliza Ann Wilbor.  
Children:
  1. Beulah Chadsey, born September 20, 1864, died March 13, 1870.
  2. Hannah Mabel Chadsey, born March 13, 1870.
10. Franklin Pearce Van Alstyne, born July 18, 1853, married January 2, 1876 Mary O'Connor, born September 9, 1856, daughter of Cornelius O'Connor and Mary Corbly.  
Children:
  1. Ida Van Alstyne, born January 6, 1876, died February 22, 1876.
  2. Nellie Babcock Van Alstyne, born December 11, 1878.
4. Jane Van Alstyne, daughter of Abraham Van Alstyne and Mary Harrington, born September 12, 1813.

5. Marietta Van Alstyne, born March 24, 1815, married William Halsapple, born 1813, died April 8, 1890.

Children:

1. Theron Halsapple, married  
Cornelia New.

Children:

1. John Halsapple  
2. William Halsapple

6. Caroline Van Alstyne, born September 24, 1816, married November 20, 1835 Peter S. Hawes, born 1816. She died July 12, 1863, he died December 21, 1887.

Children:

1. Sarah Jane Hawes, born November 12, 1836, married February 8, 1861 Joseph Snyder, born October 18, 1828.  
2. Hiram Hawes, born January 14, 1838, married May 19, 1879 Catherine N. Ness, born July 10, 1847.  
3. Margaret Ann Hawes, born November 12, 1840, married Julian Duquette.  
4. William H. Hawes, born July 20, 1843, June 16, 1871 Margaret Litterbrant, born August 14, 1850.

7. Peter Van Alstyne, born October 7, 1818, died young.

Leendert Van Alstyne, married 2nd Hannah Sluyter.

Children:

1. Richard Van Alstyne, born January 25, 1796, married December 19, 1821 Margaret Schermehorn, born November 16, 1798, died March 21, 1875. He died November 25, 1880.

Children:

1. William Leonard Van Alstyne, born October 25, 1822, married February 10, 1847 Colsanai L. Johnson at Chatham, New York, born September 28, 1823, died April 27, 1888 at Valatie, New York. He died November 1, 1892.

## Children:

1. Lester Van Alstyne, born August 28, 1848, married November 12, 1884 Sarah E. Cook, at Shepards-town, West Virginia. She died February 7, 1907 at Washington, D. C. He died December 12, 1902.
2. Richard Henry Van Alstyne, born May 23, 1851, married October 6, 1874 Eleanor Morris. She died October 10, 1902 at Troy, New York. He died July 28, 1909 at Cohoes, New York.
3. George Washington Van Alstyne, born May 19, 1854, married April 12, 1898 Estella Myra Ide at Troy, New York.

## Children:

1. Helen Simpson Van Alstyne, born February 11, 1901.
4. William Leonard Van Alstyne, born February 9, 1857, married April 24, 1895 Anna Peirsons at Troy, N. Y. She died November 1, 1892, he died July 25, 1921 at Troy, New York.
5. Alice Van Alstyne, born February 2, 1859.
6. Margaret Van Alstyne, born August 28, 1862, died March 16, 1876.
2. Hannah Marie Van Alstyne, born September 30, 1824, married March 16, 1876 Nicholas White at Chatham, New York. She died February 26, 1893.
3. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born June 12, 1827, died November 17, 1829.
4. George Van Hoesen Van Alstyne, born March 5, 1829, died October 18, 1829.
5. Margaret Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born June 4, 1831, died August 4, 1832.
6. Angelica Van Alstyne, born July 3, 1833, died April 16, 1836.

7. Infant, born June 25, 1835, died July 18, 1835.
  8. Richard B. Van Alstyne, born May 9, 1838, married October 31, 1866 at Chatham Center, New York, Anna Gertrude Vedder. He died June 25, 1884, she died December 8, 1923.
2. Isaac Leonard Van Alstyne, born July 3, 1798, married Miranda Finch. He died 1849.
4. Emmetje, fourth child of Abraham Van Alstyne and Wyntje Conyn, born October 11, 1745 at Kleine Kitt, baptized at Cox-sackie, New York, married August 12, 1768 Samuel Ten Brook a Revolutionary officer at Linelithgo.
6. Leena (Lucy) Van Alstyne, sixth child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, born November 18, 1705, married October 7, 1723 Jacobus Van Alen.

## Children:

1. Maria Van Alen, born July 3, 1737.
  2. Johannes Van Alen, born October 21, 1744
7. Isaac Van Alstyne, seventh child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, born January 28, 1708, married January 28, 1728 Elizabeth Van Alen, born April 15, 1708, daughter of Laurens Van Alen and Sarah Dingman. Their son Philip derived his Christian name from Phillipsie a part of his grandfather's name and the Christian name of Philip and Abraham have continued in the branch of the family down to the soeaker.

## Children:

1. Maritje Van Alstyne, born March 5, 1735, married Col. Philip Van Alstyne.
2. Sarah Van Alstyne, born June 20, 1736, married April 10, 1761 Robert Hoffman, son of Martinus Hoffman, born 1731.

## Children:

1. Martinus Hoffman, born May 26, 1762.
2. Elizabeth Hoffman, born October 3, 1764, married Theodorus Bagly.
3. Isaac Hoffman, born May 8, 1766.

4. Robert Hoffman, born March 1, 1769, married Catherine Hoogeman.
  5. Catrina Hoffman, born January 29, 1775.
  6. Maria Hoffman, born November 16, 1777.
3. Col. Abraham I. Van Alstyne, born June 25, 1738, married September 18, 1761 Maria Van Alen, baptized August 17, 1740, daughter of Pieter Van Alen and Anna Van Wie. He died October 29, 1808, she died March 12, 1822.

## Children:

1. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born October 30, 1762, married October 8, 1784 Peter I. Vosburgh.

## Children:

1. Abraham Vosburgh, born July 10, 1791, married Elizabeth -----

## Children:

1. Margaret Vosburgh
2. John Vosburgh

2. Johannes Vosburgh, born January 9, 1794. Single.

3. William P. Vosburgh, born 1802, married Maria Fredenburgh. He died March 1856.

## Children:

1. Abraham Vosburgh, married widow of Peter Dunspaugh.
2. Catherine Vosburgh, married Frederick Mesick.

## Children:

1. Peter Mesick
2. Frederick Mesick

3. Elizabeth Vosburgh, married Sylvester Garner

## Children:

1. Anna Garner
2. ----- Garner

4. Benjamin Vosburgh, born March 15, 1838.

5. Peter Martin Vosburgh, died young.

6. Anna F. Vosburgh, married Jeremiah Garner.

7. Agnes Martin Vosburgh, died young.

## 8. John Vosburgh

2. Pieter Van Alstyne, born November 25, 1764, married August 28, 1802 Angelica Van Slyck, born 1772. He died February 21, 1836, she died August 20, 1838.

## Children:

1. John P. Van Alstyne, born October 15, 1806, died February 28, 1807.
2. Abraham Van Alstyne, born March 27, 1809, died January 8, 1811.
3. Abraham Peter Van Alstyne, born November 19, 1811, died March 24, 1878, married April 30, 1835 Louisa Smith Thompson, born September 5, 1813, died October 16, 1857.

## Children:

1. Helen B. Van Alstyne, born March 22, 1836, died September 19, 1836.
2. Angelica Van Alstyne, born February 28, 1838, married November 2, 1859 John Thomas Hoag, born June 3, 1836. She died May 24, 1878.

## Children:

1. Jane Louise Hoag, born October 13, 1861.
2. Samuel Wilbur Hoag, born February 27, 1864, married February 10, 1890 Laura Antonette Patterson, born September 5, 1870.

## Children:

1. Wilbur Van Alstyne Hoag, born June 25, 1892.
3. Cornelia Hoag, born January 27, 1872.
4. Sophia Beach Hoag, born September 1, 1873.
5. Harriet Heath Hoag, born November 30, 1876.
3. Peter Van Alstyne, born April 9, 1839, died June 27, 1862. Killed at battle of Gaines Mills.
4. Mary Louise Van Alstyne, born November 27, 1840, died March 15, 1843.

5. Helen Van Alstyne, born December 2, 1842, married September 18, 1864 Felix Sipple, born February 12, 1835 in Germany.

## Children:

1. William Benedict Sipple, born November 22, 1866, married September 26, 1889 Appolonia F. Kempf, born November 20, 1867.

## Children:

1. Louis Felix Sipple, born September 18, 1890.
  2. Helen Rose Sipple, born March 4, 1892
2. Frank Sipple, born April 14, 1869, died March 13, 1872.
  3. Anna Mary Sipple, born April 15, 1870, died March 3, 1872.
  4. Lucy Sipple, born February 19, 1872.
  5. Gertrude Sipple, born December 27, 1876.
6. Henry Hill Van Alstyne, born April 27, 1846, died July 1864.
  7. Elsie Maria Van Alstyne, born January 17, 1848, married Andrew Van Alstyne.
  8. Abraham P. Van Alstyne, born June 29, 1850. Single.
  9. Caroline Van Alstyne, born January 29, 1852, married 1st January 17, 1872 Charles Talmadge, born September 24, 1850, died September 30, 1874.

## Children:

1. Caroline Talmadge, born January 1, 1873, married February 1899 John Salisbury.

Caroline Van Alstyne, married 2nd 1876 Edgar Perry Hicks, born February 27, 1848.

## Children:

1. Edna May Hicks, born July 13, 1877.

2. Eva Louise Hicks, born August 15, 1878.
  3. Elsie Parmelia Hicks, born June 9, 1880.
  4. Caroline Belle Hicks, born May 1, 1882.
  5. Minerva Luella Hicks, born January 17, 1884.
  6. Bertha Helena Hicks, born December 24, 1886.
  7. Grace Hicks, born October 16, 1888, died October 17, 1888.
  8. Alida Hicks, born May 17, 1890.
  9. Edgar Perry Hicks, born July 7, 1893.
10. William P. Van Alstyne, born August 3, 1854, married November 21, 1877 Mary Van Buren, born April 5, 1855. William P. Van Alstyne was adopted by Stephen Miller and name changed to William Miller.
- Children:
1. Alida Ransom Miller, born January 5, 1879.
  2. Frank LeRoy Miller, born April 9, 1883.
  3. Stephen DeWitt Miller, born March 16, 1885.
  4. Floyd Van Buren Miller, born January 24, 1894.
11. Frank Judson Van Alstyne, born October 3, 1855, married January 1, 1894 Minnie Ray.
12. Louisa Van Alstyne, born October 5, 1857. Single.
3. Annatje Van Alstyne, daughter of Col. Abraham I. Van Alstyne and Maria Van Alen, born January 11, 1767, married February 9, 1788 Philip Staats, born August 12, 1754.

## Children:

1. Elizabeth Schuyler Staats, born March 15, 1789, died young.

2. Joachim Staats, born -----  
married Catherine Breese.
  3. Peter Staats M.D., married Hetty  
Platt.
  4. Abraham Staats, married Bertha Staats.
  5. Barent Staats, married 1st Maria  
Gorley, married 2nd Maria Winne,  
married 3rd Cataline -----
4. Maritje Van Alstyne, born November 5,  
1769, married October 14, 1794 James  
L. Hoogeboom.

## Children:

1. Lawrence Hoogeboom, married  
Charlotte Prior.
  2. Abraham Hoogeboom, married  
Charlotte Whitbeck.
  3. James Hoogeboom, born February 28,  
1800, married Helen Hoogeboom, she  
died 1870.
  4. Maria Hoogeboom, married James  
Molyeaux.
  5. Peter Hoogeboom, married Susan ----
5. Isaac Van Alstyne, born August 9, 1772,  
married January 22, 1796 Maria Vosburgh,  
born June 26, 1778, died July 7, 1851.  
He died October 6, 1855.

## Children:

1. Abraham I. Van Alstyne, born March  
20, 1797, married Jane Van Vleck.
2. Margaret Van Alstyne, born April 23,  
1798, died May 22, 1869.
3. Maria Van Alstyne, born April 23,  
1803, died single.
4. Eliza Van Alstyne, born October 23,  
1804, died January 4, 1887, married  
Henry Snyder, born October 22, 1802,  
died August 17, 1865. They were  
married January 4, 1833.

## Children:

1. Isaac Snyder, born March 8, 1834,  
married Mary Bain, born 1832.  
He died February 13, 1883, she  
died 1904.

2. Theodore Snyder, born March 26, 1836, married 1860 Mary C. Pinkham, born January 25, 1836, died November 11, 1876. He died July 22, 1887.

Children:

1. Henry Snyder, born 1862, married 1884 Elberta Schermehorn, born 1860, died 1885. Married 2nd Nellie Risedorph 1890. He died 1934.

Children:

1. Floyd Snyder, born 1885, married 1910 Callahan Cramphin.

Children:

1. Madeline Snyder, born 1911, married 1934 Kenneth Waltman.  
 2. Ronald Snyder, born 1912.  
 3. Clifford Snyder, born 1913.  
 4. Dorothy Snyder, born 1914, married 1935 Kenneth Burgess.  
 5. Harold Snyder, born 1916.

Henry Snyder, married 2nd Nellie Risedorph.

Children:

1. Theodore Snyder, born 1892, married 1921 Anna V. Frost.  
 2. Mary Snyder, born 1894, married 1916 Clifford Wilson.

Children:

1. John Wilson, born 1920, died 1931.  
 2. Robert Wilson, born 1922.  
 3. Sarah Snyder, born 1898, married Chique Brown.  
 4. Elizabeth Snyder, born 1910, died 1911.  
 5. Nellie Snyder, born 1914.  
 2. Catherine Snyder, born 1864, died 1935.  
 3. Anna H. Snyder, born 1866.

4. Jennie E. Snyder, born 1869, died 1871.
5. Isaac Van Alstyne Snyder, born 1871, married 1895 Julia Hawley, born 1870.

## Children:

1. James H. Snyder, born 1897, married 1923 Lottie Crane, born 1896.

## Children:

1. Jeanette Snyder, born 1925.
2. Theodore J. Snyder, born 1934.

2. Julia B. Snyder, born 1898, married 1932 H. Earl Spencer, born 1895.

## Children:

1. Robert E. Spencer, born 1934.

3. Laura M. Snyder, born 1902, died 1902.

6. Barent Van Alstyne Snyder, born 1873, married Florence Wild.

7. Frank Snyder, born 1876, died 1842.

5. Jane Van Alstyne, born 1806, died single 1905.

6. Catherine Van Alstyne, born October 9, 1808, married Hugh Van Alstyne.

7. Ann Van Alstyne, born July 3, 1811, married James Van Alstyne.

8. Barent Vosburgh Van Alstyne, born October 12, 1817, married Mary Suydam.

6. Angenitje Van Alstyne, daughter of Col. Abraham I. Van Alstyne and Maria Van Alen, born February 11, 1776. Died Young.

7. Sara Van Alstyne, born April 26, 1778, married 1st 1813 Garret Vosburgh, born 1774.

## Children:

1. Abraham Vosburgh, married Sarah Simmons.

Married 2nd Michael O'Keefe

Children:

1. Margaret O'Keefe
2. John O'Keefe
3. Anna O'Keefe, born 1821, married October 15, 1850 Stephen Miller, born 1821.

Children:

1. Edward K. Miller, born June 1852  
Died Young.
2. Franklin J. Miller, born January 1854. Died Young.
3. Charles M. Miller, born October 1858. Died Young.
4. DeWitt Miller, born August 1860.  
Died Young.
5. Stephen Miller, born 1863.  
Died Young.
6. Emmett Miller, born 1865.  
Died Young.

Adopted William P. Van Alstyne, son of Abraham P. Van Alstyne and Louisa Smith Miller.

8. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized October 22, 1780, married 1802 Alida Van Alen, born December 16, 1784. He died March 23, 1862, she died June 3, 1862.

Children:

1. Peter I. Van Alstyne, born June 15, 1803, died single May 11, 1884.
2. Maria Van Alstyne, born February 14, 1805, died February 14, 1861.
3. Catherine Van Alstyne, born November 7, 1807, married Isaac Filkins December 23, 1826, born May 22, 1803, died May 6, 1859. She died March 23, 1877.

Children:

1. Peter Filkins, born October 19, 1827, married Cornelia Bussing. He died October 30,

Children:

1. Anna Filkins
2. Minnie Filkins

2. Amanda Filkins, born July 2, 1829, married Isreal Palmer, son of David Palmer.

## Children:

1. Heber Palmer

3. John Filkins, born February 11, 1831. Died Young.
4. John Filkins, born December 31, 1833, married Sarah Jane Sherwood.

## Children:

1. John Filkins, married Sarah Murchau.
2. Sarah Jane Filkins, married William Scales.

5. Cornelius Filkins, born February 29, 1836, married 1st Anna Slyter, no children, married 2nd Helen Neu, no children, married 3rd -----

## Children:

1. Alida Filkins

6. Alida Filkins, born April 19, 1838, married William Coon.
7. Martin Van Buren Filkins, born August 4, 1840, married Henrietta Finch.
8. James P. Filkins, born July 23, 1844, married 1st Mary Corne, married 2nd Ida Woodbeck. He died March 13, 1893.

## Children:

1. William Filkins
2. Helen Filkins
3. Kittie Filkins

9. Angelica Filkins, born December 2, 1849, married October 10, 1867 George Sutherland, born August 26, 1845.

## Children:

1. Isaac Sutherland, born September 24, 1868, married March 14, 1892 Jane Thompson, born September 23, 1874. No children.

2. Anna Sutherland, born August 1, 1870, married December 31, 1887 Charles Lafferty.

## Children:

1. Floyd Lafferty, born April 29, 1888.
  2. Florenc Lafferty, born about 1890.
  3. Arthur Lafferty, born November 26, 1892.
3. William Sutherland, born July 6, 1873, married March 16, 1892 Rosetta Meade, born 1872.

## Children:

1. Inez Sutherland
  4. Harriet Sutherland, born September 13, 1875, married Arthur Dingman.
  5. Edward Sutherland, born July 12, 1880.
4. Cornelius Van Alstyne, born August 19, 1809, died October 20, 1894, married 1st Catherine Lasher.

## Children:

1. Maria Van Alstyne, born 1833, married Tunis Miller.

## Children:

1. William Miller, married Kate McGee.

## Children:

1. Bessie Miller
  2. Florence Miller
  3. Evelyn Miller
2. Van Alstyne Miller, married December 19, 1883 Jessie E. Mueller.

## Children:

1. Clara Miller
2. Henry Miller
3. Edward Miller, died single
4. Ann Miller
5. Abraham Miller

Cornelius Van Alstyne, married 2nd  
Catherine Selbaugh.

## Children:

1. John Van Alstyne, born December 23, 1844, married July 4, 1864 Izora Pulver, born April 30, 1844, died March 23, 1893, daughter of William Pulver and Delia Smith.

## Children:

1. William Van Alstyne, born April 22, 1869.
2. Charles Van Alstyne, born May 14, 1870.
3. Henry Van Alstyne, born July 10, 1873.
4. Kitty Van Alstyne, born May 18, 1876.
5. Mary Van Alstyne, born June 27, 1880.

2. Jane Van Alstyne, born September 27, 1846, married October 25, 1871 Henry Hill, born August 7, 1845, son of Benjamin and Eliza Elizabeth Hill.

## Children:

1. Lillian Elizabeth Hill, born August 13, 1872, Died young.
2. Kitty M. Hill, born September 7, 1874.

3. Ranson Van Alstyne, married Angelina Hall.

## Children:

1. Minnie Van Alstyne
2. Edgar Van Alstyne

4. Kitty Van Alstyne, married George Allen.

## Children:

1. Ward S. Allen
2. Florence M. Allen
3. Grace A. Allen

5. Abraham Van Alstyne
6. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born January 25, 1863, died May 3, 1863.

5. Ann Van Alstyne, born November 6, 1811, died single January 12, 1887.
6. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born November 17, 1813, married Jacob Tobias, born 1802, died January 10, 1870. She died December 16, 1882.
7. Maria Van Alstyne, born November 9, 1815, married January 17, 1849 Peter Van Slyck, born January 4, 1818. She died October 5, 1861.

## Children:

1. John Van Slyck, born May 25, 1851.
8. Sarah Van Alstyne, born April 27, 1818, married Peter Van Slyck, no children. He married 1st Maria, 2nd her sister Sarah.
9. Margaret Van Alstyne, born August 29, 1820, married Nicholas H. Smith, born 1820, died March 3, 1859.

## Children:

1. Clarissa A. Smith, born 1838, died December 29, 1841.
2. Alida Smith, born ----- married Gilbert Richmond.
3. Henry Smith, born 1851, married 1877 Emma Barringer.
10. Abraham Van Alstyne, born November 19, 1822, married Maria Selpaugh. He died January 5, 1890.
11. William Van Alstyne, born November 9, 1826, married February 10, 1852 Katherine M. Mesick, born August 2, 1832. He died February 6, 1890.

## Children:

1. John A. Van Alstyne, born November 23, 1852, died December 8, 1860.
2. William Van Alstyne, born March 14, 1857, died August 5, 1858.
3. Anna Van Alstyne, born August 27, 1859, married October 12, 1882 Frank B. Gifford, born September 6, 1855.

## Children:

1. William J. Gifford, born March 9, 1887.
2. Edwin C. Gifford, born April 6, 1889.
3. Clara L. Gifford, born October 31, 1893.
4. Frank W. Van Alstyne, born August 3, 1863, married April 25, 1888 Elgie M. Irish, born February 12, 1865, died December 25, 1890, daughter of Samuel Irish and Elizabeth Ann Lope.
5. Edwin A. Van Alstyne, born July 9, 1867, died August 23, 1870.
6. Irving M. Van Alstyne, born September 26, 1872, married June 15, 1893 Hattie M. Stickles, born October 26, 1877, daughter of Walter and Mary Stickles.

## Children:

1. ----- Van Alstyne, born 1894.
3. Catharina Van Alstyne, baptized October 15, 1740 at Coxsackie, New York, daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth Van Alen Van Alstyne.
4. Johannes Van Alstyne, baptized March 23, 1745, married Maria Van Alen.
8. Dirckje Van Alstyne, eighth child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized April 30, 1710, married November 7, 1729 Martin Pieterse Van Buren, who was baptized in Albany December 28, 1701. Martin was a freeholder in 1743. He, with his brothers Tobias and Barent, were among the early members of the Dutch Church of Kinderhook, New York.

## Children:

1. Marritje Van Buren, baptized January 18, 1730. Died young.
2. Pieter Van Buren, baptized October 27, 1731. Died young.
3. Pieter Van Buren, baptized July 22, 1733.
4. Marritje Van Buren, baptized April 6, 1735.
5. Abraham Van Buren, baptized February 27, 1737, married Maria Goes, widow of

Johannes Van Alen in 1777.

Children:

1. Martin Van Buren, born December 5, 1782 at Kinderhook, New York. Took up the study of law at age fourteen. He started practicing law in 1803 at Kinderhook, New York. In 1809 he moved to Hudson, New York where he gained strength and wisdom to practice at the bar. In 1815 to 1819 he was Attorney General of the state. Martin Van Buren was elected Governor of the state. He was eighth President of the United States 1837 to 1841. He married Hannah Hoes. He retired in 1848 and spent the rest of his life on his estate at Kinderhook, New York, where he died on July 24, 1862.
6. Ariantje Van Buren, baptized April 4, 1739.
7. Pieter Van Buren, baptized May 31, 1741.
8. Marritje Van Buren, baptized October 2, 1743.
9. Martin Van Buren, baptized January 8, 1748.
9. Cathryntje Van Alstyne, ninth child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized October 12, 1713, married 1st Adam Van Alen 1730, son of Johannes Van Alen, born 1700 and died 1748. Married 2nd January 5, 1753 Lucays Wyngard.

Children:

1. Sarah Van Alen, born 1731, married John Van Ness.

Children:

1. Catalyna Van Ness, married Abraham Van Alstyne.

Children:

1. Sarah Van Alstyne, married Stephen Van Alen.

Children:

1. Abraham Van Alen, born 1810, married Lovina Allen.

Children:

1. Phoebe Van Alen, born October 31, 1861, married Charley Van Buskirk.

## Children:

1. Leon Van Buskirk, married Margaret Dayton.

## Children:

1. John C. Van Buskirk

10. Jacobus Van Alstyne, tenth child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized April 21, 1717, died November 4, 1730.
11. Martin Van Alstyne, eleventh child of Abraham Janse Van Alstyne and his 2nd wife Marrietje Van Deusen, baptized May 3, 1719, married Catharina Van Alen, baptized January 20, 1712, daughter of Johannes Van Alen and Sara Dingman.

## Children:

1. Abram Van Alstyne, baptized May 31, 1741. Died young.
2. Abram Van Alstyne, baptized June 5, 1743, married October 4, 1768 Catharina Van Alen.

## Children:

1. Martin Van Alstyne, baptized December 17, 1769, died July 3, 1857, married February 2, 1794 Maria Van Hoesen, baptized December 29, 1772, died February 28, 1860.

## Children:

1. Catrina Van Alstyne, born November 2, 1794, died March 10, 1865.
2. Ann Van Alstyne, born January 9, 1797, died May 10, 1865.
3. Sarah Van Alstyne, born June 1, 1799, married March 3, 1825 John Ham.
4. Johannes Van Alstyne, born December 3, 1801, married Catherine Mandeville.

## Children:

1. Rev. George Van Alstyne, born October 22, 1836, married Helen M. Ramsey, born May 18, 1842.

## Children:

1. Helen F. Van Alstyne, born July 18, 1863, married May 2, 1891 Christopher Johnstone, born 1861.

2. George R. Van Alstyne, born August 18, 1865, married September 2, 1891 Helen Crowe, born October 26, 1871.

Children:

1. George W. Van Alstyne, born June 26, 1892.
5. Abraham Van Alstyne, born April 2, 1804, married Dorcas Staats, born November 20, 1810 in Stuyvesant, New York, daughter of Abram Staats and Angelica Whitbeck. He died January 2, 1860, she died January 11, 1881. He was one of the best farmers in western New York. He kept his buildings and everything connected with his farm in perfect order, giving work to a great many poor people who lived near him. His politics were Democratic of the old stamp. He died in his 51st year on his farm in Webster, New York, near the shore of Lake Ontario, leaving his wife and nine unmarried children. They were the parents of eleven children.

Children:

1. Martin A. Van Alstyne, born October 19, 1832, born in Stuyvesant, New York, died March 31, 1897. He was the oldest son, went to California when a young man, was gone about forty years, returning to Webster, N. Y. his old home one year before his death. He never married.
2. Isaac Van Alstyne, born January 18, 1834, died in infancy.
3. Maria Van Alstyne, born January 7, 1836 in Stuyvesant, New York, married George E. Gates of Webster, New York, born September 29, 1833, son of Edward Gates and Eliza Bell. They were married December 19, 1860. She died November 22, 1867.

Children:

1. Eliza Gates, born December 22, 1864 in Webster, New York,

married November 28, 1889  
Benton M. Van Ingen of Webster,  
New York, born February 25,  
1886, son of Bart Van Ingen and  
Jane Martin. Occupation, farmer  
in Webster, New York.

Children:

1. Flora Jane Van Ingen, born  
September 7, 1890.
  2. Bart Gates Van Ingen, born  
February 22, 1894.
  3. Floyd Benson Van Ingen,  
born August 4, 1904.
2. Flora Dorcas Gates, born Decem-  
ber 12, 1865 in Webster, New  
York, married Charles Pardee,  
born April 12, 1863 of Ironde-  
quoit, New York, son of Edwin  
Scofield Pardee and Laura Quaife.  
Occupation, mail carrier in  
Rochester, New York.

Children:

1. Edna May Pardee, born May  
26, 1891.
  2. George Edwin Pardee, born  
December 27, 1896.
  3. Walter Quaife Pardee, born  
August 29, 1897.
4. Abram F. Van Alstyne, born March  
31, 1836 in Webster, New York,  
married Delia F. Turrill, born  
July 18, 1841 of Penfield, New  
York, daughter of Edward Turrill  
and Ann Jane Francisco. Abram  
Francis Van Alstyne, a farmer, the  
same as his father. Very particular  
about his farm. It had to be well  
fenced and free from brush and weeds.  
There were no rainy days at his place,  
for something always had to be done.  
His politics were Democratic and  
radical in his views. He would never  
hold a Town office. Only one of his  
sons is a farmer. They are the  
parents of ten children.

## Children:

1. Margaret Jane Van Alstyne, born November 5, 1862 in Webster, New York, married November 5, 1891 Orin E. Collins of Webster, New York, born August 15, 1859, son of Edward B. Collins and Sophronia Holt. Occupation, merchant in Rochester, New York.

## Children:

1. Delia Ruth Sophronia Collins, born June 2, 1896.
2. Edward Matthew Van Alstyne, born June 20, 1864 in Webster, New York, married April 29, 1899 Elizabeth VanZant of Rock, New York, born January 15, 1876, daughter of George W. VanZant and Carrie E. Jermey. Occupation, News dealer in Rochester, New York.
3. Andrew Wesley Van Alstyne, born August 27, 1866 in Webster, New York, married June 1, 1893 Mary E. Spear of Penfield, New York, born January 19, 1866, daughter of Richard W. Spear and Sarah A. Gray. Occupation, carpenter, joiner and contractor in Rochester, New York.
4. George Riley Van Alstyne
5. Sara Alida Van Alstyne
6. James Beebe Van Alstyne
7. Addis Francis Van Alstyne
8. Emily Lovina Van Alstyne
9. Kuenzi Van Alstyne
10. Watie Cordelia Van Alstyne, married Orlo H. Adams.

## Children:

1. Adis Van Alstyne Adams, born December 21, 1903.
5. Alida Ann Van Alstyne, born January 18, 1840 in Webster, New York, married William Riley Bancroft of

Webster, New York, February 16, 1860. He was born October 19, 1844, son of Thomas Bancroft and Jane Thomas.

Children:

1. Estella Jane Bancroft, born August 15, 1861, married December 18, 1877 Burton F. Moore of Webster, N. Y., born October 29, 1859, son of Andrew Moore and Sarah Todd. Occupation, shoemaker.

Children:

1. Alvena Moore, born December 2, 1878, married Herbert E. Strickland of Hamilton, Canada, July 20, 1899. He was born September 9, 1877, son of Arthur Strickland and Rosa Thompson.

Children:

1. Herbert William Strickland, born May 29, 1902.
2. Lina Stella Strickland, born August 15, 1904.
2. William Bancroft Moore, born October 9, 1883.
3. Andrew Clayton Moore, born February 18, 1891.
2. Sarah Elizabeth Bancroft, born August 26, 1863 in Webster, New York, married November 27, 1879 Felix King Drake, born March 20, 1851, son of John Drake and Cornelia Brewer. Occupation, farmer.

Children:

1. John Bancroft Drake, born March 1, 1887.
6. George Washington Van Alstyne, born November 21, 1841 in Webster, New York, married October 14, 1869 Celia Ann Whiting of Webster, New York, born October 27, 1850,

daughter of Jonas Whiting and Sarah Turrill. George W. Van Alstyne enlisted August 12, 1862 Company C. 4th Heavy Artillery, New York, was discharged June 13, 1865. He served in grading the Capitol at Washington, D. C., was in the second Corps under Hancock 1864. Served in the battle of the Wilderness, Spottsylvania, North Ann, Cold Harbor, Petersburg and at the seige and blowing up of part of Petersburg and Deep Bottom, Reams Station on the Weldon Railroad, where he was taken prisoner. He was at Bell Island prison six weeks then transferred to Saulsbury prison, North Carolina, held there until February 22, 1865, then paroled, being in prison six months. Occupation, salesman of fruits and vegetables in Rochester, New York.

7. John A. Van Alstyne, born November 6, 1844 in Webster, New York, married December 24, 1867 Kate Hollenbeck of Stuyvesant, New York, daughter of Casper and Christina Hollenbeck. He died May 26, 1902.

Children:

1. Fannie O. Van Alstyne, born July 24, 1872, married February 10, 1903 Robert Sudbury of Rochester, New York, born October 24, 1878, son of Mark Sudbury and Martha J. Knapp. Occupation, merchant in Rochester, New York.
2. Tina P. Van Alstyne, born August 28, 1873, married October 25, 1893 George M. Smith of Elmira, New York, born February 15, 1869, son of Milton Smith and Phoebe Jane Terurlliger. Occupation, farmer.

Children:

1. Marjorie Smith, born July 3, 1901.

3. Martin C. Van Alstyne, born February 5, 1874 in Elmira, New York, married June 28, 1899 Loda Cowen of Breesport, New York, born January 18, 1879, daughter of John Cowen and Hannah Axtell. Occupation, farmer.

## Children:

1. Gladys Van Alstyne, born April 24, 1900.
  2. John J. Van Alstyne, born July 31, 1901.
  3. Doris Van Alstyne, born April 18, 1903.
  4. Wilson H. Van Alstyne, born June 25, 1905.
4. Samuel Tilden Van Alstyne, born October 9, 1876, married February 22, 1898 Mary Grady of Breesport, New York, daughter of Michael Grady and Maggie Traynor. Occupation, day worker.

## Children:

1. Fannie Van Alstyne, born November 13, 1902.
5. Arthur J. Van Alstyne, born March 5, 1878, married February 4, 1903 May Moss of Horseheads, New York, born June 27, 1880 in Oxford, Suffolk Co., England, daughter of Benjamin Moss and L. Louisa Spurgeon. Occupation, farmer.

## Children:

1. Hazel Van Alstyne, February 1904.
6. Henry Van Alstyne, born January 11, 1881, died August 30, 1881.
8. Sarah Catherine Van Alstyne, born January 6, 1846 in Webster, New York, married March 23, 1886 William Hames of Webster, New York, born November 7, 1841, son

of John T. Hames and Delia Lockwood. Sarah Catherine taught school for a number of years. She bought a farm, built a house and then married. Farmed it a few years, then sold her farm, bought a house and lot in Webster, New York and lives a retired life.

9. Dorcas Van Alstyne, born September 20, 1848 in Webster, New York, married December 13, 1874 James Wesley Lockwood, born April 26, 1847, son of James Lockwood and Mary Vinton. She died February 27, 1890.

Children:

1. Clarence Lockwood, born May 23, 1876, married January 13, 1903 Satie Brule of Brighton, New York, daughter of Abram Brule and Jane Goossen. Occupation, milk dealer.
  2. George Averill Lockwood, born September 8, 1877.
  3. Charles Lockwood, born June 14, 1880.
  4. James Lockwood, born November 30, 1883.
  5. Grover Lockwood, born August 29, 1886, died October 4, 1893.
  6. Ora Lockwood, born May 29, 1889.
10. Jane Eliza Van Alstyne, born January 16, 1852 in Webster, New York, married February 10, 1885 Lemuel Halstead of Rochester, New York, born May 27, 1853, son of Leonard Halstead and Henrietta Frost.

Children:

1. Floyd Lowe Halstead, born December 5, 1885.
2. Katherine Louise Halstead, born July 7, 1888.
3. Margie Helena Halstead, born September 7, 1890.
4. Henrietta Marie Halstead, born November 26, 1894, died June 11,

1895.

5. May Alida Halstead, born  
April 23, 1897.

11. Cornelius A. Van Alstyne, born  
May 9, 1854, died in infancy.

6. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, daughter of  
Martin Van Alstyne and Maria Van  
Hoesen, born October 9, 1806, mar-  
ried March 27, 1828 Matthew Hardick,  
born 1797, died February 9, 1884.  
She died September 12, 1882.

Children:

1. Mary Catherine Hardick, born  
April 12, 1829, died September  
24, 1845.

7. Cornelius Van Alstyne, born March  
17, 1809.

8. Matthew Van Alstyne, born September  
24, 1811.

9. George Van Alstyne, born April 14,  
1818, married 1851 Catharine Winant.

Children:

1. Mary Catherine Van Alstyne

10. Mary Van Alstyne, born -----  
married William Mandeville  
October 18, 1840.

Children:

1. Mary Jane

2. Cornelius Van Alstyne, son of Abraham  
Van Alstyne and Catherine Van Alen,  
baptized September 20, 1771, married  
April 20, 1805 Sarah Staats, born 1774,  
died August 15, 1852. He died March 3,  
1856.

Children:

1. Catherine Van Alstyne, born January  
17, 1806.

2. Elizabeth Van Alstyne, born November  
29, 1807.

3. Alida Van Alstyne, born March 27, 1810.

4. Abraham Van Alstyne, born September  
23, 1812.

5. Martin Van Alstyne, born August 15, 1815, married 1st Jane Van Holsen, married 2nd 1873 Catharina Van Woert.

3. Johannes (John) Van Alstyne, son of Martin Van Alstyne and Catharina Van Alen, born July 6, 1745, married January 13, 1775 Dirckje Winne, born November 10, 1757. He and his wife are buried in a plot of ground south of the dwelling of Edward Van Alstyne in a field set out to orchard in the fall of 1913. Up to this time this plot has been kept sacred from the plow or crop, with a large quarried stone on each corner.

Children:

1. Gerritje Van Alstyne, born March 18, 1778, married 1794 Arent Van Alen.

Children:

1. John Van Alen, born 1795  
 2. James Van Alen, born 1797  
 3. Abram Van Alen, born 1804, married 1847 Cornelia H. Butler, born 1814, died 1892. He died 1879.

Children:

1. Cornelia H. Van Alen, born 1854, married John Mairs. She died 1883.  
 2. Annie G. Van Alen, born 1849, married 1876 Charles Frisbee, born 1848, died 1929. She died 1934.

Children:

1. Abram Frisbee, born 1876, married 1903, Mary Christian.  
 2. Charles P. Frisbee, born 1879, married 1903 Harriet Van Alstyne. He died July 26, 1967.

Children:

1. Charles Frisbee, born 1910, Harrisburg, Pa.  
 2. Edward Frisbee, born 1916, Stuyvesant Falls, New York.

4. Castina Van Alen, born 1802.  
 5. Barent Van Alen, born 1806.  
 6. Peter Van Alen, born 1808.  
 7. Catherine Van Alen, born 1811.

8. Henry Van Alen, born 1813.
9. J. Edward Van Alen, born 1816.
10. Helen Maria Van Alen, born 1821.

2. Abram Van Alstyne, born February 15, 1776.
3. Adam Van Alstyne, born December 5, 1780, married 1809 Maria Bain, born May 10, 1790, died 1850. He died 1857.

## Children:

1. John Van Alstyne, born 1810, died 1894.
2. Hugh Van Alstyne, born August 21, 1812, married 1st September 23, 1840 Catherine Van Alstyne, married 2nd Catherine Pruyn, born 1819, died 1877, married 3rd Mary Hicks, born 1827, died 1902. He died 1884.

## Children:

1. Abram Van Alstyne, born July 14, 1841, married 1867 Sarah Alice Philips, born 1846, died 1925. He died 1926.

## Children:

1. Hugh Van Alstyne, born January 20, 1868, married 1906 Bessie Allen Fitch, born 1874, died 1939. He died April 17, 1956.

## Children:

1. Hugh Van Alstyne, born 1907
  2. Allen Van Alstyne, born 1908
  3. Sarah Van Alstyne, born 1910, married George Bonacker.
  4. Abram H. Van Alstyne, born 1913.
2. Kate Van Alstyne, born February 22, 1870.
2. Edward Payson Van Alstyne, born May 31, 1848, married 1879 Katherine Fish, born 1850, died 1920. He died 1932.

## Children:

1. William Beekman Van Alstyne, born 1875, married Harriet

Kellogg, born 1875.

Children:

1. Elizabeth Van Alstyne,  
born 1902.
2. William B. Van Alstyne Jr.,  
born 1904, married 1930  
Claribel W. Smith, born 1906.

Children:

1. William B. Van Alstyne III,  
born 1932.
2. Hugh Norton Van Alstyne,  
born 1934.
3. Catherine Van Alstyne, born  
1906, married 1931 Dean  
Edward R. Welles, born 1907.

Children:

1. Katrina Welles, born 1935.
2. Harriet Welles, born 1939.
4. Margaret Van Alstyne, born  
1909, married Howard Parker  
Stabler, born June 30, 1903.

Children:

1. Elizabeth Stabler, born 1933.
2. Robert Coleman Stabler,  
born 1935.
3. Jane Van Alstyne, born October  
23, 1849, married 1878 Lewis  
Morrell, born 1852, died 1929.  
She died 1902.

Children:

1. Anna Morrell, born 1879,  
died September 11, 1893.
2. Thomas Morrell
3. Alice Morrell, born 1885,  
married 1918 Henry J. Mills,  
born 1878.

Children:

1. Jane Mills, born 1920
2. Emily Mills, born 1923
3. James Van Alstyne, born October 4,  
1816, married February 6, 1844  
Ann Van Alstyne, born July 3, 1811,

died September 18, 1883. He died  
May 11, 1884.

## Children:

1. Maria Van Alstyne, born January 9, 1845, married October 9, 1867 J. Spencer Hosford.

## Children:

1. James Frederick, born 1869 - Invalid.
  2. Ellava Van Alstyne, born 1872, married 1895 Dr. Nathan Garnsey, born 1862, died December 4, 1940.
  3. Laura Van Alstyne, born 1873, married 1923 Spencer W. Hinds, born 1868, died 1925.
2. Isaac Van Alstyne, born 1846, died July 4, 1871. Drowned.
4. Peter Edward Van Alstyne, born October 1, 1830, married 1st 1851 Elizabeth Mesick, married 2nd Harriette V. V. Mynderse, died 1866, married 3rd Margaret Van Schaack Pruyn 1872, born 1845, died 1897. He died 1876.

## Children:

1. Edward Van Alstyne, born 1858, married 1879 Sarah E. Pruyn, born 1856, died 1916. He died 1918.

## Children:

1. James Edward, born 1880, married 1905 Mary Darragh Van Schaack, born 1876, daughter of John J. Van Schaack. He died January 26, 1961.

## Children:

1. James E. Van Alstyne Jr., born 1907, married Ann Heermance. He died April 25, 1966.
2. John Jay, born 1910.

3. Anna Elizabeth Van Alstyne,  
born 1913.
  4. Mary Van Schaack Van  
Alstyne, married ---  
Dunham. She was born 1915.
  5. David Van Schaack Van  
Alstyne, born 1917.
  6. Peter Edward Van Alstyne,  
born 1921.
2. Elizabeth Pruyn Van Alstyne,  
born 1881, married 1910  
Harold Wilson Jr., born  
1881, died ---

## Children:

1. Elizabeth Wilson, born 1914.
  2. Harold Wilson III, born  
1915, died 1916.
  3. Edward Wilson, born 1919.
  4. Jane Wilson, born 1922,  
died 1929.
3. Annie Mynderse Van Alstyne,  
born 1884, married 1913  
Lawrence Howard, born 1887.  
She died July 30, 1961.

## Children:

1. Edward Van Alstyne Howard,  
born 1914.
  2. Elizabeth Howard, born 1916.
  3. Samuel Lawrence Howard,  
born 1917.
  4. William Edson Howard,  
born 1919.
  5. Mary Mynderse Howard,  
born 1922, married -----  
Nutting.
4. Jean Pruyn Van Alstyne,  
born 1888.
  5. Mary Katherine Van Alstyne,  
born 1891, married 1930  
Herbert Foster, born 1890,  
died 1935.
  6. Lewis Morrell Van Alstyne,  
born 1893, married 1920 Edna  
M. Duff, born 1880.

## Children:

1. John Pruyn Morrell,  
born 1921.

7. Pruyn Van Alstyne, born 1897,  
married 1920 Pauline Carroll,  
born 1894. He died 1921.

Peter Edward Van Alstyne, married  
3rd Margaret Van Schaack Pruyn.

## Children:

1. Harriet Van Alstyne, born 1875,  
married 1903 Charles P. Frisbee,  
born 1879.

## Children:

1. Charles Van Alstyne Frisbee,  
born 1910.

2. Edward Frisbee, born 1916.

2. Mary Van Alstyne, born 1860,  
died in infancy.

3. Annie Van Alstyne, born 1855,  
died 1857.

4. Albertina Van Alstyne, born 1864,  
died 1864.

5. Adam Van Alstyne

4. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized January 16,  
1748. Died young.

5. Jacob Van Alstyne, baptized September  
23, 1750.

6. Maria Van Alstyne, baptized August 15,  
1753, married 1778 Peter Wynkoop.  
She died April 21, 1837.

## Children:

1. Johannes Wynkoop.

7. Sarah Van Alstyne, baptized April 3,  
1757.