

# Descendants of John Simson

## Generation No. 1

1. JOHN<sup>3</sup> SIMPSON (*WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, WALTER<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 9, 1779 in New London, Prince Edward Island, Canada, and died Unknown. He married HELEN HYDE Mar 18, 1804 in Prince Edward Island, Canada, daughter of THOMAS HYDE and ANN BROWN. She died Unknown.

Notes for JOHN SIMPSON:

They settled seven miles from Sarnia. Purchased a farm (15 acres clear land) on the river (St.Clair for \$950.00 down)

Notes for HELEN HYDE:

John & Helen moved to Township of Moore River, St. Clair, Ontario in August, 1850 and purchased a farm on the river for which he paid down \$950.00. There was about 15 acres clear land and a dwelling house. They were located 7 miles from Port Sarnia, Ontario. (Information taken from a letter written to John's nephew, James Bagnall, on July 8, 1851.)

Children of JOHN SIMPSON and HELEN HYDE are:

- i. JAMES<sup>4</sup> SIMPSON, b. Mar 9, 1805; d. Unknown.
2. ii. JANE SIMPSON, b. Dec 6, 1806; d. Unknown.
- iii. ANNE SIMPSON, b. Aug 30, 1808; d. Unknown; m. JOHN TOWNSEND MCNEILL, Feb 13, 1838, Prince Edward Island, Canada; b. Abt. 1808; d. Unknown, Ontario.

Notes for JOHN TOWNSEND MCNEILL:  
Lived St. Clair River, Ontario.

- iv. MARGARET SIMPSON, b. May 22, 1810; d. Unknown.
- v. WILLIAM SIMPSON, b. Mar 19, 1812; d. Unknown.

Notes for WILLIAM SIMPSON:  
This child must have died before Nov. 1813 as the next child was also named William.

- vi. WILLIAM SIMPSON, b. Nov 14, 1813, Lot 32, Prince Edward Island, Canada; d. Unknown.
- vii. JOHN SIMPSON, b. Sep 22, 1815, West River, Queens County, Prince Edward Island, Canada; d. Unknown.
3. viii. THOMAS FRANCIS SIMPSON, b. Mar 20, 1820, West River, Queens county, Prince Edward Island, Canada; d. Mar 24, 1866.

## Generation No. 2

2. JANE<sup>4</sup> SIMPSON (*JOHN<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, WALTER<sup>1</sup>*) was born Dec 6, 1806, and died Unknown. She married JOHN RICHARD MACKIE Feb 28, 1829. He died Unknown.

Notes for JOHN RICHARD MACKIE:

Lived in Meadowbank, Prince Edward Island, Canada

Child of JANE SIMPSON and JOHN MACKIE is:

- i. MARGARET HELEN<sup>5</sup> MACKIE, d. Unknown; m. WILLIAM MCNEILL; d. Unknown.

3. THOMAS FRANCIS<sup>4</sup> SIMPSON (*JOHN<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, WALTER<sup>1</sup>*) was born Mar 20, 1820 in West River, Queens county, Prince Edward Island, Canada, and died Mar 24, 1866<sup>1</sup>. He married AMELIA COPEMAN HUBBARD Oct 24, 1845 in West River, Queens county, Prince Edward Island, Canada<sup>1</sup>, daughter of WILLIAM HUBBARD and SIBELLA DINGWELL. She was

born Sep 29, 1823 in West River, Queens county, Prince Edward Island, Canada<sup>1</sup>, and died Dec 29, 1899<sup>2</sup>.

Notes for THOMAS FRANCIS SIMPSON:  
Lived St. Clair, Ontario.

Children of THOMAS SIMPSON and AMELIA HUBBARD are:

- i. LUCILLA ANN<sup>5</sup> SIMPSON, b. Sep 24, 1846, Cornwall, Queens County, Prince Edward Island, Canada<sup>3</sup>; d. May 17, 1848<sup>4</sup>.
- ii. HELEN BEAUMONT SIMPSON, b. Mar 16, 1848, P.E.I., Canada<sup>4</sup>; d. Unknown; m. MYRON J. HASKINS, Dec 19, 1865, P.E.I., Canada<sup>5</sup>; b. Sep 13, 1844, New York, U.S.A.<sup>5</sup>; d. Unknown.

Notes for HELEN BEAUMONT SIMPSON:

- iii. LUCY ANN SIMPSON, b. Nov 14, 1849<sup>6</sup>; d. Apr 17, 1850<sup>6</sup>.
- iv. ELIZABETH ANNE SIMPSON<sup>7</sup>, b. Feb 13, 1851, Corunna, Lambton county, Ontario, Canada<sup>8,9</sup>; d. Feb 2, 1928, Brigden, Lambton county, Ontario, Canada<sup>9</sup>; m. CHARLES MCLEAN<sup>10</sup>, Feb 13, 1869, Corunna, Lambton county, Ontario, Canada<sup>11</sup>; b. Jan 23, 1848, Greenock, Renfrew (Strathclyde), Scotland/Greenock, Scotland<sup>11</sup>; d. Unknown.

Notes for ELIZABETH ANNE SIMPSON:

- v. WILLIAM WALLACE SIMPSON, b. Mar 12, 1853, Chatham, Kent County, Ontario, Canada<sup>12,13</sup>; d. Feb 11, 1930, Ontario<sup>14</sup>; m. SARAH<sup>15</sup>; b. Sep 13, 1856; d. Unknown.
- vi. JOHN ROBERT BRUCE SIMPSON, b. Jan 19, 1855<sup>16</sup>; d. Oct 3, 1924, Michigan, U.S.A.<sup>16</sup>; m. UNKNOWN; d. Unknown.

Notes for JOHN ROBERT BRUCE SIMPSON:  
died on Michigan Central Railway

- vii. MARGARET JANE SIMPSON, b. Mar 12, 1857<sup>16</sup>; d. Sep 29, 1923<sup>17</sup>; m. ? DUNFORD; d. Unknown.
- viii. MATILDA L. SIMPSON, b. Sep 3, 1858<sup>18</sup>; d. Apr 2, 1949<sup>19</sup>; m. (1) ? EDMONDSON; d. Unknown; m. (2) ? SYMES; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- ix. AMELIA ADALINE SIMPSON, b. Apr 30, 1860, Waubuno, Moore Township, Ontario, Canada<sup>20</sup>; d. Dec 5, 1935, Penticton, British Columbia, Canada<sup>21</sup>; m. MIRZA OVERTON<sup>22</sup>, Aug 10, 1883, Brigden, Lambton county, Ontario, Canada<sup>23</sup>; b. Jun 24, 1843, Benniworth, Lincoln, England<sup>23</sup>; d. Dec 6, 1935, Penticton, British Columbia, Canada<sup>24</sup>.

Notes for MIRZA OVERTON:  
Came on the first steam engine boat to Canada. Was blind last 12 years.

- x. MARY ALICE SIMPSON, b. Apr 11, 1863<sup>25</sup>; d. Jun 9, 1942, Oak Lake, Manitoba, Canada<sup>26</sup>; m. ANDREW SCOTT, May 6, 1885<sup>26</sup>; b. Unknown; d. Unknown.
- xi. THOMAS FRANCIS SIMPSON, b. Jan 14, 1866<sup>26</sup>; d. Jan 19, 1951<sup>27</sup>; m. RACHEL STRONG; b. Unknown; d. Feb 18, 1957<sup>28</sup>.

#### Endnotes

1. Ivy Clare Judas notes
2. Estate will of Winona Simpson; Ivy Clare Judas notes
3. Trinity Church - First Methodist baptismal record (Sandra Cullen email).
4. Faustine Overton's notes
5. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, International Genealogical Index (R), Copyright (c) 1980, 1997, data as of February 1997, North America.
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12. Ivy Clare Judas notes
13. LDS IGI Index - North America.

14. Estate will of Winona Simpson; Ivy Clare Judas notes
15. The Island Register, Fulton Unerhay's Dingwell genealogy.
16. Ivy Clare Judas notes
17. Estate will of Winona Simpson; Ivy Clare Judas notes
18. Ivy Clare Judas notes
19. Estate will of Winona Simpson
20. Ivy Clare Judas notes: age from BC death index
21. BC Archives Index Reg # 1935-09-507981Archives Microfilm:B13155GSU Microfilm: 1953019
22. LDS IGI Index.
23. Faustine Overton's notes
24. BC Archives Index Reg # 1932-09-467380Archives Microfilm:B13144GSU Microfilm: 1952655
25. Faustine Overton's notes
26. Ivy Clare Judas notes
27. Estate will of Winona Simpson
28. estate will of Winona Simpson