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I am seeking all genealogical and biographical details for the family documented below including their ancestors, children, and grandchildren and the spouses thereof, including the full names of those spouses' parents. All additions and corrections within this scope, however speculative, will be greatly appreciated.

JOHN STRICKLAND OF EAST GRINSTEAD, SUSSEX, ENGLAND

As a sidebar to my research on Thomas¹ Streeter, I have assembled the following records on the family of his first wife, Anne Strickland. In early 1996, the theory that Thomas was the son of William⁴ and Ann (___) Streeter of East Grinstead, Sussex was confirmed through trans-Atlantic connections to this Strickland family. Lola Barrett of the Streeter Family Association, Mrs. Marion Springer of the Steuben County Clerk's Office, and Sherry Conybeare have been most helpful in tracing the family's activities in England and America.

1. JOHN^A STRICKLAND (*Estmond*^B, *William*^{C-D}) of East Grinstead, Sussex, England married JANE ___. According to John Williamson of Bowmanville, Ontario, Canada, John was the son of Estmond and Mary (Small) Strickland; the grandson of William and Anne (Estmond) Strickland; and the great-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Cripse) Strickland.

Children, surname *Strickland (IGI)*:

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ii. Anne, c. 18 March 1754; d. probably in the Town of Bath, Steuben County,
New York between 1800 and 1807; m. Cowden, Kent, England 14 Oct
1776 Thomas¹ Streeter (WilliamA, RichardB), son of WilliamA and Ann
(___) Streeter, b. probably at "The Dunnings" or "Dunning's Farm" in the
Civil Parish of East Grinstead, Sussex, England on 22 [or 25] June 1753
(bible records in possession of Kaye Evelyn (Kenfield) Hall, hereinafter
Hall BRs), christened at East Grinstead 16 June 1754 (Parish Register), d.
Town of Canisteo, Steuben County, NY 18 Sep 1831 (Hall BRs); no issue.

Thomas¹ Streeter m. (2), probably at Bath, NY ca. 1807 Louisa
___, b. CT (1880 U.S. Census, New York, Steuben County [birthplace of
Thomas² Streeter's mother]) 25 June 1773 (Hall BRs), d. Town of
Canisteo, NY 12 Jan 1844 (Hall BRs). She was probably a daughter, sister
or widow of one of the other Connecticut pioneers who came to Bath
around the turn of the century, perhaps via Eastern New York or
Pennsylvania. Thomas was a Baptist Minister; Louisa was probably a

- Baptist by birth or conversion. Variations of Louisa's name in some records include *Lovica* and *Lovisa*. See *The Streeter Family of Dunnings Farm, East Grinstead, Sussex, England* for more information.
- iii. JOHN, c. 1 Dec 1755. A John Strickland resided in the Town of Dansville, Steuben Co., NY in 1820 and 1825. If he was Daniel's brother, perhaps he emigrated sometime after Daniel and the Streeters had established themselves in America. However, the appearance of the name, John Strickland, in both East Grinstead, Sussex, England and Steuben Co., NY may be only a coincidence. An Obed Strickland also appears in the 1820, 1825, 1835, and 1850 census records for Dansville; Sanford and Chancy Stricklin are also listed there in 1830.
- iv. Susannah, c. 27 Jan 1758; prob. m. East Grinstead 6 Aug 1786 James Todman.
- v. ELIZABETH, c. 29 Feb 1760; prob m. East Grinstead 7 Nov 1789 JAMES STRINGER.
- vi. SARAH, c. 26 Aug 1763.
- 2. vii. Daniel, c. 15 Oct 1766.
 - viii. MARY, c. 5 Jan 1770.
- **2.** Daniel Strickland (*John*^A), christened at East Grinstead, Sussex, England on 15 October 1766; died probably in the township of Wheeler, Steuben County, New York between 1835 and 1840 (*State and Federal Census Records*).

Daniel probably emigrated from England to America with Thomas and Anne (Strickland) Streeter in late 1794. He still resided in the township of Bath, Steuben County, New York in 1810. By 1820, he had settled in the nearby township of Wheeler where he appears in state and federal census records through 1835 when two gentlemen named Daniel Strickland are listed.

In 1800, "Streeter & Strickland" were named as the joint possessors of a house and farm valued at \$342. Combined with their personal property, assessed at \$76, their tax bill totaled \$.66. By 1801, the value of their combined personal property had increased to \$256, yielding a tax assessment of \$.87. These entries are unusual in their format; they are the only ones to jointly name two individuals, "Streeter & Strickland," rather than list a single full name. Was the house and farm shared by Streeter and Strickland at "New Providence" or did Thomas succeed in selling his plot in 1798 and relocate elsewhere in Bath? Although the 1800 listing is alphabetized, the 1801 roll suggests that they were residing between John Wilson and Robert Campbell. The close association between "Streeter & Strickland" was the key to confirming the theory that Thomas¹ Streeter was of East Grinstead, Sussex.

It should be noted that Daniel Strickland does not appear in the 1800 census either. Curiously, the 1800 census of Bath does include a Daniel Stritur; this household was composed of one male age sixteen to twenty-five, one male and one female between the ages of twenty-five and forty-five, and one female under age ten. Is it possible that an inept census-taker somehow formed a composite name from Daniel Strickland and Thomas Streeter? The age categories for the adults match Thomas Streeter, Anne (Strickland) Streeter, and Daniel Strickland. Perhaps the female child belonged to Daniel; in the 1810 census, Daniel's household included one female age ten to fifteen; Thomas' household did not have any females age ten to twenty-five.

Children, surname *Strickland*, probably all born in Steuben County, New York, birth order unknown:

- 3. ii. Daniel, b. ca. 1805; m. Huldah White.
 - iii. [ELIZABETH], b. 1809; d. 1885; m. ALLEN SPENCER, b. 1805, d. 1882. Children, surname *Spencer*: 1. *Daniel*. 2. *Hannah*, b. 1829; d. Woodhull, Steuben Co., NY 30 Aug 1898; m. ___ Squires.
 - iv. [Lucia Ann?], "of Bath" m. Kennedyville [Kanona], Steuben Co., NY March 1847 Daniel Dervel "of Bristol" [Ontario Co., NY?].
 - v. [Jane?], residing in Wheeler, Steuben Co., NY in 1850; probably named after her paternal grandmother.
- 3. DANIEL² STRICKLAND [JR.] (*Daniel*¹) was probably born in Bath, Steuben County, New York about 1805; he died probably in the township of Orange, Steuben Co., NY between 1875 and 1880 (*State and Federal Census Records*). He married HULDAH WHITE (daughters' death records), born in [Orange County?], New York [or New Jersey?] about 1807 or 1810; she died probably in Orange, NY after 1880.

Daniel bought 100.56 acres in the South Section of Lot #47 in Township 5, Range 3 (41:347). This land in the township of Wheeler was purchased from Henry C. and Philip Myrtle.

In 1850, Daniel sold ten acres of land to Huldah White "of Wheeler" (54:524). In January 1854, "Daniel Strickland and Huldah his wife of Wheeler" sold the farm in Wheeler to John W. Curtiss. It was again referenced as 100.56 acres within Lot #47; however the transaction reserved "10 acres sold to Lewis P. White." Two mortgages were referenced to N.B. Ridder and Samuel Hallett (68:504).

On 27 November 1855, Daniel was named in litigation at the Supreme Court in Penn Yan, Yates County, New York. In *James Savage v. Daniel Strickland & Others*, the dispute was based on a mortgage by Daniel and Huldah "of Urbana" to George Dakin regarding 110.56 acres in Lot #47 in the South Section of Township 5, Third Range. Ten acres of this plot had already been sold to Lewis P. White.

On 7 August 1856, Huldah Strickland sold to Lemuel Potter the ten acres deed to Huldah White (72:240). It would appear that Huldah (White) Strickland had inherited the ten acres that she had originally bought from Daniel and that they then sold together to Lewis P. White. Lewis was probably Huldah's father, uncle, or brother. Another possible interpretation is that Huldah (White) Strickland's mother was also named Huldah.

On 18 April 1874, Daniel had a land transaction with Ira Eggleston of Wheeler (145:576).

Children, surname *Strickland*, probably all born in Steuben County, New York:

i. SPENCER, b. ca. 1829; probably d. Steuben Co., NY before 1900. This laborer resided with his parents in the township of Orange, Steuben Co., NY in 1875; resided with his younger brother Joseph in Orange in 1880; resided in the household of his sister-in-law's brother, Squire Burgess, in Bradford, Steuben Co., NY in 1892. The fact that he never married nor established his own household may suggest that Spencer was somehow physically or mentally challenged.

- ii. ELIZABETH, b. 21 March 1832; d. Urbana, Steuben Co., NY 24 Jan 1922; bur. Urbana, NY; m. __Curtis; perhaps her husband was John W. Curtiss.
- iii. Jane C., b. Urbana, Steuben Co., NY 1 May 1835; d. Pleasant Valley, Steuben Co., NY 24 Sep 1930 "after a long illness"; bur. Cold Springs Cemetery, Urbana, NY; long-time resident of Hammondsport, Steuben Co., NY; active Methodist; m. George Brush, d. before 1910 (*Hammondsport Herald*, 2 Oct 1930).

Children, surname *Brush*: 1. *Harriet*. 2. *Manley*, resided in Steuben Co. in 1930. 3. *Fred*, resided in Buffalo, Erie Co., NY in 1930.

- 4. iv. Joseph Fowler, b. ca. 1839.
 - v. Helen, b. ca. 1847.
- **4.** JOSEPH FOWLER³ STRICKLAND (*Daniel*²⁻¹) was born in Steuben County, New York about 1839; died at his daughter's home in Jerusalem, Yates County, New York 17 July 1919; buried in Pine Valley or Big Flats, Chemung County, New York. He was married three times, order uncertain: married Catherine (Burgess) (Dewitt) Ribble, born about 1853, daughter of ___ and Lucretia (___) Burgess, widow of Eli Dewitt and widow of ___ Ribble.

Joseph served in the Civil War in the 5th New York Heavy Artillery. In 1875, he resided with his parents in the township of Orange, Steuben County, New York. By 1880, his father had apparently died and he inherited the farm; his older brother Spencer and his widowed mother resided in the household. By 1905, Joseph Strickland had settled on Bluff Point in Jerusalem, Yates County, New York.

Children, surname *Strickland*, birth order uncertain:

- i. Joseph L.⁴, b. ca. 1888.
- ii. ORLANDO, probably d. young.
- iii. daughter; m. Dexter Davis; resided in Jerusalem, Yates Co., NY in 1919.
- 5. JOSEPH L.⁴ STRICKLAND (*Joseph Fowler*³, *Daniel*²⁻¹), born about 1888; d. 3 February 1975; buried Lakeview Cemetery, Penn Yan, Yates County, New York; married Eva Mae French; divorced before 1925; buried Nettle Valley Cemetery: "Eva Mae Strickland, survivor of William R. Lathrop. She married (2) William R. Lathrop of Potter, Yates County, New York, born Potter, Yates County, New York 22 September 1883, died Guyanoga Nursing Home, Guyanoga, Yates County, New York 17 January 1960, son of Alonzo and Polly Ann (Fitch) Lathrop.

Resided with his parents at Bluff Point in Jersusalem, Yates County, New York in 1905; described as "odd" in the census record. In 1915, he and Eva resided with their infant son on Vantyle Road. By 1925, they had divorced; Joseph was a farm-hand residing with Amy Dellmar on West Lake Road. Perhaps their divorce was caused in part by the great tragedy of losing three young children in rapid succession.

Children, surname Strickland:

i. Eva M.5, b. 1912; d. 1 Dec 1923; bur. Penn Yan, NY.

- ii. Chester C.5, b. 1915; d. 1920.
- ііі. Јоѕерн, b. 1918; d. 1920.
- iv. son, living as of 1 Dec 1923.
- v. daughter, living as of 1 Dec 1923.

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This is a complete every-name index for the entire document; each woman is indexed under her maiden name and her married name(s). A question mark, (?), indicates an unknown maiden name.