



## Family of John and Ann Pettit in Upper Canada

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### Generation One

1. **John Pettit** #175327, b. c. 1784 in Wickhambrook, Suffolk, England,<sup>1</sup> occupation 1841 Agricultural Labourer in Wickhambrook, Suffolk.

The surname appears also as "PETTET" and "PETTITT", but to help separate this family from the more predominant "PETTET" family in Prince Edward County, I have used the "PETTIT" spelling throughout this English family genealogy.

1841: Lived with family at Bansfield End, Wickhambrook, Suffolk, England.

1871: Lived in Ousden, Suffolk near son Joseph, and Jonathan and family.

He married **Ann (unidentified)** #175328, b. c. 1792 in Denham, Suffolk, England.<sup>1</sup>

#### Children:

2. i. **Joseph Pettit** #175315 b. c. 1821 - 1823.
3. ii. **Sarah Pettit** #175335 b. c. 1825.
4. iii. **Samuel Pettit** #175336 b. c. 1827.
5. iv. **Jonathan Pettit** #175329 b. c. 1830.
6. v. **Thomas Pettit** #175337 b. c. 1830.
7. vi. **Honour Pettit** #175338 b. c. 1834.
8. vii. **Robert Pettit** #175331 b. c. 1843.

### Generation Two

2. **Joseph Pettit** #175315, b. c. 1821 - 1823 in Wickhambrook Suffolk, England,<sup>2</sup> occupation 1871 - 1891 Labourer in Ousden, Suffolk.

1871: Family lived in Ousden, Suffolk. Granddaughter Agnes PETTITT, 3 years old, lived with the family.

1891: Lived with wife Betsy in Ousden, Suffolk, near sons Albert and Arthur.

He married **Betsy (unidentified)** #175316, b. c. 1825 in Wickhambrook, Suffolk, England.<sup>2</sup>

#### Children:

9. i. **Samuel Pettit** #175321 b. c. 1845.
10. ii. **Sophia Pettit** #175322 b. c. 1848.
11. iii. **Charles Pettit** #175323 b. c. 1850.
12. iv. **Joseph Pettit** #175324 b. c. 1853.
13. v. **Julia Pettit** #175325 b. c. 1860.
14. vi. **Emma Pettit** #175326 b. c. 1863.
15. vii. **Arthur Pettit** #175308 b. c. 1865.
16. viii. **Alfred Pettit** #175317 b. c. 1866.

3. **Sarah Pettit** #175335, b. c. 1825 in Suffolk, England.<sup>3</sup> .
4. **Samuel Pettit** #175336, b. c. 1827 in Suffolk, England.<sup>3</sup> .
5. **Jonathan Pettit** #175329, b. c. 1830 in Wickhambrook, Suffolk, England.<sup>1</sup> .

1871: Lived in Ousden, Suffolk with wife Charlotte and niece Hannah CHALLIS, 8.

He married **Charlotte (unidentified)** #175330, b. c. 1820? in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>1</sup> occupation 1871 Tailoress in Ousden.

6. **Thomas Pettit** #175337, b. c. 1830 in Suffolk, England.<sup>3</sup> .
7. **Honour Pettit** #175338, b. c. 1834 in Suffolk, England.<sup>3</sup> .
8. **Robert Pettit** #175331, b. c. 1843 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>1</sup> .

1871: Family lived in Ousden, Suffolk; confirm relationship.

He married **Elizabeth (unidentified)** #175332, b. c. 1846 in Wingfield, Derbyshire, England.<sup>1</sup>

*Children:*

17. i. **Arthur Pettit** #175333 b. c. 1868.
18. ii. **Victor Pettit** #175334 b. c. 1869.

*Generation Three*

9. **Samuel Pettit** #175321, b. c. 1845 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>1</sup> occupation 1871 Farm Labourer in Ousden.
10. **Sophia Pettit** #175322, b. c. 1848 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>1</sup> occupation 1871 Tailoress in Ousden.
11. **Charles Pettit** #175323, b. c. 1850 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>1</sup> occupation 1871 Butcher in Ousden.
12. **Joseph Pettit** #175324, b. c. 1853 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>1</sup> occupation 1871 Shoemaker in Ousden.
13. **Julia Pettit** #175325, b. c. 1860 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>1</sup> .
14. **Emma Pettit** #175326, b. c. 1863 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>1</sup> .

15. **Arthur Pettit** #175308, b. c. 1865 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>4</sup> occupation 1891 Fowl Dealer in Ousden, Suffolk, occupation 1901 General Dealer in Lidgate, Suffolk.

1891: Family lived at 2 Front Street, Newmarket, Ousden, Suffolk.

1901: Family lived in Lidgate, Suffolk, England.

He married **Jane Hall** #175309,<sup>5</sup> b. c. 1868 in Thurston, Suffolk, England.<sup>4</sup>

*Children:*

19. i. **Mabel Pettit** #175310 b. c. 1886.
  20. ii. **Sidney Pettit** #175311 b. c. 1892.
  21. iii. **Lily Pettit** #175312 b. c. 1894.
  22. iv. **Percy Walter Pettit** #71508 b. c. 20 November 1889.
  23. v. **Ettie Pettit** #175313 b. c. 1896.
  24. vi. **Charles Pettit** #175314 b. c. 1898.
16. **Alfred Pettit** #175317, b. c. 1866 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>2</sup> occupation 1891 Butcher in Ousden.

1891: Family lived at 1 Front Street, Newmarket, Ousden, Suffolk, next to brother Arthur PETTITT and family.

He married **Sarah (unidentified)** #175318, b. c. 1863 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>2</sup>

*Children:*

25. i. **Julia M. Pettit** #175319 b. c. 1887.
  26. ii. **Bertia A, Pettit** #175320 b. 1890.
17. **Arthur Pettit** #175333, b. c. 1868 in Windsor, England.<sup>1</sup> .
18. **Victor Pettit** #175334, b. c. 1869 in Windsor, England.<sup>1</sup> .

*Generation Four*

19. **Mabel Pettit** #175310, b. c. 1886 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>4</sup> .
20. **Sidney Pettit** #175311, b. c. 1892 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>4</sup> .
21. **Lily Pettit** #175312, b. c. 1894 in Lidgate, Suffolk, England.<sup>4</sup> .
22. **Percy Walter Pettit** #71508, b. c. 20 November 1889 in Ousden, Suffolk, England,<sup>6,7,8</sup> occupation 1915 Soldier in Picton, occupation 1936 Teamster in Picton, d. 08 May 1936 in Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, Frontenac County, Ontario,<sup>7</sup> buried 11 May 1936 in Glenwood Cemetery, Picton, Prince Edward County, Ontario.<sup>7</sup> .

He married **Lena Henry** #71570, 01 April 1915 in Prince Edward County, Ontario,<sup>9</sup> b. c. 1897 in Bloomfield, Hallowell Township, Prince Edward County, Ontario (daughter of **Edward Henry** #163432 [Labourer in Hallowell Township] and **Lydia Maud (Lettie) Forshay** #96231).

**Lena:**

1936: Informant at husband's death; family lived at RR #3, Picton.

*Children:*

27. i. **Sidney Raymond Pettit** #71571 b. 03 February 1916.
23. **Ettie Pettit** #175313, b. c. 1896 in Lidgate, Suffolk, England.<sup>4</sup> .
24. **Charles Pettit** #175314, b. c. 1898 in Lidgate, Suffolk, England.<sup>4</sup> .
25. **Julia M. Pettit** #175319, b. c. 1887 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>2</sup> .
26. **Bertia A, Pettit** #175320, b. 1890 in Ousden, Suffolk, England.<sup>2</sup> .

*Generation Five*

27. **Sidney Raymond Pettit** #71571, b. 03 February 1916 in Lot 2, Con. 9, Hallowell Township, Prince Edward County, Ontario,<sup>10</sup> occupation 1934 Labourer in Hallowell Township.

He married **Vera Adell Demore** #71572, 21 July 1934 in Bloomfield, Prince Edward County, Ontario,<sup>11</sup> b. 13 March 1915 in Lot 4,. Con. 2, South of East Lake, Athol Township, Prince Edward County, Ontario,<sup>12</sup> (daughter of **Wilbert (Willet) Franklin (Frank) DeMore** #71573 [Farmer in Athol Township] and **Isabel (Belle) Hubbs** #71574 [Home Duties]).

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<sup>1</sup> 1871 Ousden, Suffolk, England census; age/birthplace/relationship.

<sup>2</sup> 1891 Ousden, Suffolk, England census; age/birthplace/relationship.

<sup>3</sup> 1841 Wickhambrook, Suffolk, England census; age/birthplace/relationship.

<sup>4</sup> 1901 Lidgate, Suffolk, England census; age/birthplace/relationship.

<sup>5</sup> Details from son Percy's 1915 marriage record.

<sup>6</sup> Details from 1915 marriage record.

<sup>7</sup> ONVS Deaths, ref. 016019-1936; c/d: Carcinoma of palate; Informant: Lena May PETTITT, Wife, Picton, RR #3.

<sup>8</sup> English Birth Record Index, ref. 002b-0058.

<sup>9</sup> ONVS Marriages, ref. 012974-1915; Witnesses: Hubert JACKSON, May JACKSON; both in Bloomfield.

<sup>10</sup> ONVS Births, ref. 048336-1916.

<sup>11</sup> ONVS Marriages; ref. 019235-1934; Witnesses: John Vernon FOWLER, Woodrour; Mrs. John FOWLER, Woodrour.

<sup>12</sup> ONVS Births, ref. 050008-1915.

