

CA Christian Overholser Sr

Of Reading Township, Adams Co, Pennsylvania

Christian Overholser Sr is a possible brother to JA John Overholser

CA Christian Overholser Sr 1741 - miller to trade
Lived in Adams Co, bur Zimmerman Cem, Liberty Twp near the Maryland Line. **Court records name children but not his wife. Samuel Overholser (JA6) was appointed guardian of the children.**
1815 Tax List: 67 acres; 1820 heirs 67 acres; 11/24/1823 land auctioned to William Mummert \$18.50/acre
REF: Charlene Aitken, Huntington Beach CA; Adams Co Adm 3/5/1819, OC 4/20/1820 p 356; *The Oberholtzer Book* pg 174; OFA Bull 2/1983; York Co Tax Lists; OC Adams Co p 500John Bucker Adm; PA Archives 3rd Series Tax List 1798-1814; 1790 Census pg 278

CAS Christian Overholser Jr - dp 3/5/1819 trade weaver
1790 Census Reading Twp, 1 Male over 16 including head
1798 Reading Twp Tax List has Christian as a singleman & miller to trade
1803-1810 owned 70 acres Reading Twp, Adams Co; 1811-1814, 67 acres Reading Twp
1810 Census 2 males under 10, 2 females under 10
REF: PAArchives 3rd Series Tax List York Co 1779-1783; 1790 Census pg 286

CA1 Nancy Overholser c1802 - m John Miller

CA2 Benjamin Overholser 11/4/1804 - 9/4/1830 25-9-28 bur Kehr Bur Plot, Heidelberg Twp, York Co
Orphan's Court records Aug 2, 1831 Book Q P 369 has Michael Bucher EsQ Adm of his estate.
Evidently he was married? with a child?.

CA3 Sarah Overholser 1806 - 1808

CA4 Solomon Overholser 1/23/1809 - 11/23/1831 22-10-23 bur Kerh Bur Plot, Heidelberg Twp
CA4-8 minor children had Samuel Overholser of Reading Twp as Guardian. CA4 Sarah had already died, CA7 Sarah is the missing child. Solomon also in OC Records. ?Married, ?with child?
REF: York Co Orphan's Court Records Book Q P 599 Aug 7, 1832

CA5 Elizabeth Overholser

CA6 Christian Overholser 1/15/1815 - 2/20/1899 m Sarah _____ 5/13/1816 - 11/13/1889
both bur Hampton Brethren, Adams Co PA
REF: Adams Co Descendants 1864 - 1937

CA7 Sarah A Overhalt - 3/20/1832 m John H Newcomer 1773 York Co - 7/12/1843
8 children Moved to German Twp, Fayette Co 1808; bought 133 & 230 acres
REF: OFA Bulletin 2/08, Pg 14; OC Adams Co April 10, 1820 pg 356; Barbara Ford's notes

CA71 **Check Newcomer Gemeology for family names**

CA72

CA73

CA74

CA75

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CA77

CA78

CA8 Mary Overholser

REF: Mary was listed as CA7 in *The Oberholtzer Book*

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1790 Census Christian Overholtz , Huntington, Manallen, Manheim & Tyrone Twps, 1M over 16 includ head

1800 Census Christian Overholser Berwick, Adams Co - Pennsylvania in 1800

1800 Census Christopher Overholser Hamiltonban, Adams Co - PA in 1800 -identified in Grace's book

1810 Census Christopher Overholser, Reading Twp - Reading Twp og 27

???? Christian Overhotser

1810 Census over 45, wife over 45, 1 male 10-16, 1 under 10, 1 F 10-16, 1 F under 10

Land Records Adams Co PA Vol D P 192 May 12, 1803 Frederick & Cathatine Gelwicks to Christian Overholser of Reading, Adms Co 71 acres beginning at Big Conewago Creek, recorded Mar 22, 1808, witnesses John Overholser, WM Patterson, Jacob Alrey

???? Christian Overholtz

1820 Census Fairview Twp & wife 30-40, m & F 5-10, f under 5

1840 Census Fairview Twp & wife 40-50, F 15-20, m10-15, 2 F 10-15, 1F 5-10, 1 m under 5

REF: 1840 Census Fairview pg 184

????? Christian Overholser 54 M Farmer PA 700, Elizabeth 54, William W 12, Daniel 6 (?)

???? Daniel Overholts 28 M Cooper PA 400, Polly 26 F, Jeramia 6 M, Elmira 1 F

???? Samuel Overholts 40 Labor can not read or write

???? Jacob Overhose York, Pg 21 York BOR - 1850 Census

York Co Poor Children on Tax Lists 1811 -1844

Monaghan Twp 1832 Jacob Overholser, John Age 11 & Polly age 9

Abraham Oberholtzer singleman 1793 Reading Twp York Co PA - GS #1449186 GenSoc of PA

See other names in late 1700's on tax list, OFA Records by Barbara Ford, Tax Records Adams Co folder

1810 Census Reading Twp pg 29 Abraham, 2 F 26-45, 1 m 16-26, 1 F 10-16

Barbara Ford notes this is NOT the son of John Jr [Review more thoroughly 1810 Census](#)

Adams Co PA Xct PA A 6 Hamilton Twp: 1822 to 1824 ABM & Henry O single man

1822 to 1823 ABM Overholster singleman [a 2nd ABM](#)

[Abraham Oberholdt](#) m Aug 22. 1767 Anna Witmor - Maryland Marriages 1634 - 1777

?Samuel Overholtzer Sept 2, 1812 - Oct 13, 1887 75 yr 1mo 11da Hampton Bright's disease

- Parish Register St Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Straban Twp 1862 - 1920

[JA] OC Adams Co Jan 27, 1834 Pg 343: Jacob Overholser minor above 14, s/o Samuel Overholser deceased, John Timmer? Guardian

[JA] OC Rec Adams Co Jan 27, 1834 Pg 343 Sarah & Catharine Overholser minors above 14, d/o Samuel Overholser.... John Timmer? Guardian [Charlene's Records MRIN 77](#)

IMMIGRANT John Michael Oberholtzer

AC, CV, IC Lines

– 2015 Dennis L Oberholtzer, Overholser Family Association

Abdicating Abraham Aberrations

There are several Abraham Overholt families which have been mixed together over the past decades. This was due to lack of information, especially birth and death dates, or even estimates of such. It is only through putting together all Abraham Oberholzers from the 1700's, along with the help of the 1780 PA Tax Lists, are we able to properly add individual comments from other resources.

1780 Tax List PA:

Abram Overholt Bucks Co PA: Bedminster Twp, New Britain Twp, Plumsted Twp

These are three different Abrahams, not one with three properties.

JT "Tory" John Overholt 1738 - 1779 New York

Mill operator Tory " *John Overholt of Tincum Twp in Bucks Co Pennsylvania, who was suspected of being guilty of treason by the American revolutionists and then fled to British controlled Staten Island, where he died.*"

- Second Report of the Bureau of Archives, Province of Ontario, by Alexander Frazer, 1904 p 972

Tory John is listed with the wrong Abraham in Gary Culp's article. - DLO

m **Elizabeth Killian** 1734/8 - d in Canada

REF: Gary Culp article, Niagara Falls ONT ; Dennis L Oberholtzer, OFA ; Possible Connections between Oberholzers and Killians, pg1

JT1 Abraham Overholt c1757 Tincum Twp Bucks Co PA - 1813 Canada wp 1815

Abraham Overholt wrote a petition in 1787 while in Canada, concerning Tory John leaving his wife and son John who was about 16 years old, and Abraham's son, all in Bucks Co. on Tory John's farm.

JT11 Abraham Overholt 1780/90 - bef 1819 Canada

m c1810-13 **Charlotte Hill/Hilts** c1790 - 1829

her 2nd m Mar 2, 1819 Samuel T Moyer 1797 - Oct 4, 1874

6 children to 2nd m

Immigrant John Michael Oberholtzer immigrated 1749 - His death is not recorded, and likely died a short time after immigrating to America. His wife would have raised the children. **He is the probable father of AC, IC, & CV due to place & time.** The three brothers, AC, IC, & CV would have been under 14 years of age in 1754, and not recordable on the ship records. See more info in the families below.

AC Abraham Isaac Overholt I U.E.L. 1746 PA - 7/24/1840 Thorold Twp 94 yrs res Thorold Twp 1809

m **Elizabeth** _____ U.E. 1752 USA - 11/8/1836 both buried Overholt Cem, Fonthill ONT

AC Abraham Overholt of CANADA lived & served in Rev War in New Britain Twp, ~~but rented until 1784.~~

From John L Overholt to Don Lisby 1981: "My estimate that Abraham lived in New Britain Twp because there was an Abraham in the militia of the twp in 1779 and 1780 (*PA Archives Ser 3 Vol 5/780*) and in the tax list for 1784 (*PA Archives Ser 3 Vol 10?/453*) **This was wrongly attributed to Tory John's son.** - ed.

Immigrated to Canada from PA in 1788, with wife & five children. Granted 500 acres for being a UEL

When Abraham petitioned for land he said he was a "pilot to the N.Y. Army." - John AM Overholt, ENG

The application of Abraham Overholt to settle in the Province was refused, due to his crimes committed in the U.S. - REF: Return of Families who have this season come into the settlement of Niagara and who have taken the oaths. R. Hamilton, Niagara 9/17/1787, Upper Canada Grant Petitions

Abraham immigrated to Canada from PA in 1788, with wife & five children, and later left the Niagara area and moved to Thorold Twp, settling there in 1788. - ed.

"Chattel lands and tenements that ought to have come to me by the robbery of my house by the rebels on the night of the June 20th 1838... And also the loses that I lost in the American Revolution of that on June 20th was \$1050 and that of the Revolution was \$1100 pounds currency" - from Abraham's will

REF: Homestead grants Lots 156, 157, 161, & 162 in Thorold Twp, Lincoln Co ONT ; Letter from John A Overholt, New Malden, Surrey ENG 7/25/1991 to Barbara B Ford; Will of Abraham Overholt Sr; Cem stone for Abraham says 94 years; Ontario Genealogical Society, O.G.S. #5897 - Overholt Cemetery; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions #O 3/2 500 acres; Gary Culp article, Niagara Falls CAN ; Loyalist Lineages of Canada p 489

His land "was located in the neighborhood of the Short Hills, along the Townline Road, which separates the former Thorold and Pelham Twps." - Gary Culp The Overholt Burial Ground there is on his property in Fonthill.

AC Abraham is NOT JT1 son of Tory John Overholt, as JT1 Abraham died prior to this Ab.

AC has a claim to be from New Britain Twp, Bucks Co PA

1778 Taxes Abraham Overhold

1777, 1780 Exercise Fine, Abraham Overholt, New Britain Twp - PA Archives Ser 3 V 5/780

1779 Abram Overholt 53 acres, 3 horses 2 cows

1781 Abraham Overholt estate 52 acres 2 horses 3 cows

1782 Abraham Overholt estate 50 acres 2 horses 3 cows

1783 Abraham Overholt estate 18/11 Tax
Next Door, Christian Overholt 4/6 Tax - Loomis Manuscript
1784 Abraham Overholt 51 acres 1 dwelling house, 1 outhouse, 8 inhabitants
Next Door, Christian Overholt 14 acres - Loomis Manuscript
1785 No Overholts
- PA Archives Ser 3 V 13, New Britain Twp, Bucks Co PA

IC Isaac Overholt born Bucks Co had daughters who moved from Frederick Co MD to CANADA. While AC Abraham may have moved to Frederick Co MD, it would have been between 1785 and 1787 before going to Canada. IC Isaac & AC Abraham appear to be brothers from a father in New Britain Twp, Bucks Co PA where they both originated.

IC Isaac Overholt c1746 PA - 1825 Louth ONT **1st found in Plumstead Twp**
m - c1810

Isaac Overholt Tax Records: 1775 Plumstead Twp., 1 cattle, no land, no rent
1778 Bedminster Twp., 5 pounds, 10 shillings
1779 Bedminster Twp., 100 acres
1780 Capt McHenry's Co EF & Cif
1781 Bedminster Twp., estate 100 acres
1782 Plumstead Twp., 50 acres; 1784 50 acres & 6 inhabitants
1785-87 Plumstead Twp 55 acres
1790 Maryland Census, 2 male, 2 female, 6; and 1 male, 2 female, 5
?? Isaac Overholt 2/14/1797 Townsend Twp, Upper Canada Lot 14 Con 7
1825 November 5th, will written, Surrogate Court, District of Niagara, Upper Canada

CV Christian Overholser moved to Montgomery Co VA, which lies between Franklin and Giles. He married Catherine Fizer (Pfizer) and in 1820 had 6 daughters. He is said to have sold a lot in Amsterdam, Botetourt Co in 1803. He had accumulated 933 acres at the time of his death. CV died 1828 intestate, and his inventory on 9/7/1828 was in Giles Co VA.

It is now highly probable that CV Christian is the brother of AC Abraham, and lived beside him in 1784 with 14 acres.

There are no other Christian's that could meet time and space for AC Abraham's neighbor in New Britain Twp.
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AC3 Abraham Overholt II 4/4/1784 Bucks Co PA - 1/13/1866 yeoman res of Thorold Twp 81-9-00
1st m 7/1812 **Margaret Warner** 3/3/1792 St Davids - 12/11/1859 71 yrs Niagara Twp CAN
d/o Christian Warner U.E. 11/7/1754 USA - settled CAN 1783 - 1833
& Gertrude Ecker C1753 - 8/29/1823

Resided on family farm at Wainfleet Lot 33, Con 5 200 acres.

Bought Lot 34 Con 5 in settlement of brother William's estate. Methodist Church

Both buried Overholt Cem, Fonthill ONT 2nd m **Mary Storms**

REF: 1851 Census has Abraham born 1772; OC 26/9/09; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions #O 9/8 200 acres in Wainfleet Twp Lot 33, Con 5; OGSPI 1809; Ontario Genealogical Soc Prov Index, Vol 3 Jan 1806-Dec1816, Abraham Overholt Jr, Abraham Overholt UEL, John Overholt yeoman

AC9 Isaac Overholt c1785 - m **Elizabeth** _____ res Louth CAN
1824 Isaac Overholt s/o UEL

REF: OC 1/12/24; Ontario Genealogical Society Provincial Index Jan 1821-Dec1826; Gary Culp article

AD Abraham Overholtzer m **Norristown, Margaret Derr** res **Skippack, Montgy Co**

AS Abraham Overholtzer 1761-1831 **Springfield Twp Bucks Co**

AV Abraham Overholts 1745/1750 - 1803/4 Franklin Co VA

m 8/22/1767 by Carolus Lange, First German Evangelical Reformed Church, Frederick MD,

Anna Witmor (Whitmore)

d/o Benjamin Whitmore 1705 SWI - 8/5/1769 & Mary Diehl (d/o Johan Daniel Diehl)

Benjamin Whitmore purchased land c1747 in Frederick Co MD and is buried there. His will written 8/5/1769, probated 8/14/1769, Ann received 100 Lbs from the will. Witnesses Abram Thayer, Benjamin Biggs, Wm Biggs. The idea that ~~Anna was a daughter of a David Witmer~~ cannot be substantiated, nor that any came to Frederick County MD or nearby.

Carolus Lange, a circuit minister, married them, either in MD, PA or VA. Abraham was the Abraham Overholts in the 1790 MD census with 4 males and 4 females. In the 1850 census son David said he was born c1772 in MD and the family of daughter Elizabeth said she was born there in 1773. Abraham was not the one who served in the Rev War in New Britain Twp in 1779, as he was already living in MD.

AV Abraham had 8 in his household which agrees with the number of an Abraham Overholt in Frederick MD 1790 Census and Abraham Jr is the one on the 1810 census for Franklin Co VA. Abraham bought land in Franklin Co VA 1792 and died between court sessions 1803/1804. Both were absent from New Britain Twp in 1785, and never lived there, as the information about New Britain Twp concerns AC Abraham.

REF: John L Overholt, Kilmarnock VA; Barnes, *Maryland Marriages 1634-1777* p132; Md Historical Society; Kathleen Overholser to B Ford; Milton Blanding notes from Loomis Manuscript, OFA Records; Mrs Edna Overholser Lacy, great-granddaughter of Abraham; James Overholser, IN 47529, great-great grds/o/Abraham; Barbara B Ford letter to Pauline A Wagoner, 2/24/1989; *The Witmer Family*; Maxine Blankenhorn Bennett, 1984 Iowa; LMHS Card File showing neither a Benjamin or David to have come to Frederick Co MD from Lancaster Co PA; Dennis L Oberholtzer research at LMHS & OFA Files; Diehl family of York PA by Leon & Lova Overholts, Beta testing.

AV5 Abraham Whitnore Overholts c1781 - 4/22/1826 called Jr in Franklin Co VA
m Catherine Gossard

This Abraham was born to late for confusion with other Abs.

JC3 Abraham Oberholtzer b + or - 1767 Bucks Co PA - d _____
With father JC Jacob Oberholtzer 1784 in Bedminster Twp with no acres and part of 7 in family

AT Abraham Overholser m Elizabeth Stout m Bedminster Twp
This Abraham was taxed 1780 in Bedminster Twp, Bucks Co PA. JC3 & AT may be the same person.

MC19 Abraham Overholt c1739 - 1812 Plumstead Twp
This Abraham was taxed in Plumstead 1780.

MC192 Rev Abraham Overholt 2/27/1765 - 1834 Deep Run Menn, Bucks Co

MR Mark Overholt c1733 - wp 12/18/1798 Rockhill Twp, Bucks Co
m Catherine _____

MR1 Abraham Overholt bef 1754 - 1830/40 Luzerne Co PA
m Sarah _____ - aft 1840

This Abraham has shown up in different places in the OFA files, masking as one of the other Abraham's.

With the information we now have, it is highly likely that the AC, IC and CV Lines are the sons of John Michael Oberholtzer who immigrated in 1749. The descendants in these families carry on the names of Hans, Michael and Jacob, whereas the other untied immigrant 10/24/1754 Hans George Oberholtzer does not. First name repeats were most common during the 1700's, which makes Hans Michael a very logical choice as AC Abraham's father. It also has been shown that Isaac and Christian originated in New Britain Twp, with AC Abraham residing alongside brother Christian.

AC Abraham Overholt of CANADA is also claimed to have lived & served in the Rev War in New Britain Twp, but rented until 1784. In a letter from John L Overholt to Don Lisby 1981: "My estimate that Abraham lived in New Britain Twp because there was an Abraham in the militia of the twp in 1779 and 1780 (*PA Archives Ser 3 Vol 5/780*) and in the tax list for 1784 (*PA Archives Ser 3 Vol 102/453*) This statement was applied to the wrong Abraham. While AC Abraham may have moved to Frederick Co MD, it was at a later date. Also, IC Isaac Overholt born Bucks Co had daughters who moved from Frederick Co MD to CANADA. IC Isaac & AC Abraham appear to be brothers from a father in Bucks Co PA where they both originated.

In the Loomis Manuscript (11) an Abraham had a brother David, with the family residing in VA. This would have been the AV family, in which AV5 Abraham did have a brother AV2 David. He is not DB David Overholt of Doylestown PA.

Early on, compiler's such as Gary Culp and others did not have enough information to go on, and some confusion developed. Without the 1780 tax record which reveals that three Abraham's lived in Bucks County at the same time, and included the names of the townships, it would not have been possible to separate the information into the proper places.

This information does not help to find the ancestor of AV Abraham Overholts. But at least we now know that he did not come from New Britain Twp in Bucks Co PA. A special thank you to Lova Overholts for added Whitmore information.

AC Abraham Overholt **Of Thorold Township, Lincoln County, Ontario, Canada**

Immigrant John Michael Oberholtzer immigrated 1749 to Philadelphia – He is said to have died in New York City while on his way to England. But this legally unconnected statement may have been Tory John listed as the JT Line, because Tory John could be traced in Bucks Co, and John Michael can not. This leaves the most probable outcome of John Michael to have been an early death after reaching Pennsylvania. His wife would have raised the children. He is the father of AC Abraham, as documented in the biography of George William Hansler, Esq of Pelham Township. He is also likely the father of IC, & CV due to place & time, and having children with like names that are not in other O Lines in America. The three brothers, AC, IC, & CV would have been under 14 years of age in 1754, and not recordable on the ship records.

REF: Biography of George William Hansler, Esq of Pelham Township, Ontario; sent in to OFA by Christena Trebilcock 9/7/2007

AC Abraham Isaac Overholt U.E. 1746 PA– 7/24/1840 Fonthill, Thorold Twp @94 years
m **Elizabeth** _____ U.E. 1752 USA – 11/8/1836 @84 both buried Overholt Cemetery, Fonthill, Ontario
Abraham and family settled in Thorold Township in 1788. They were granted homestead grants as United Empire Loyalists of Lots 156, 157, 161, & 162 in Thorold. In Abraham's petition for land he said he was a pilot to the New York Army. It is believed that they came from Bucks Co and that Abraham lived in New Briton Township and rented there until 1784. He was listed in New Britain with exercise fine in the Revolutionary War in 1777, 1780. In his will, Abraham left 1 acre to the Mennonites to use for a burial ground and for construction of a church. If it was not done within 1 year, it was to go to the Dunkers and then to the Quakers. He died in 1840 and as none were presumably interested, the land reverted 20 years later to the family. The land in question is referred to as the Overholt burial ground in Fonthill. Unfortunately, a farmer ploughed it under and now only 18 or so stones remain. Of the homestead grants made in 1796, the last of the land held by a direct descendant was sold in 1924 by AC3131 who was a teacher and had left the Fonthill area.

Christena Tebilcock writes in 9/6/2007 to Charles Field that she has the name of John as Abraham's father, but has nothing to document this. I only now in 2015 find this, after realizing immigrant John Michael Oberholtzer was likely the father of AC, IC, and CV Lines of the original Swiss Oberholzer.

REF: John A M Overholt, New Malden, Surrey England; Court of Probate, Upper Canada, Toronto – will of Abraham Overholt 1840; Mary is not listed in Abraham's will, but Rogers and their children are listed. Also, AC31 Matthew Overholt, AC35 Phebe Overholt and AC36 Anna Overholt are listed in his will. ; Letter 3/2/2012 Christena Tebilcock to John Shinpaugh, the year dates Christena uses are one year earlier than Barbara Ford's, who I retain in the OFA Records. The reason for the year difference is due to Gregorian and Julian dating, Canada continued to use the Julian Calendar for some years after 1752, as did Great Britain. Christena writes: "My Grandmother was extremely proud of her Overholt ancestry ... in Canada they are recognized as United Empire Loyalists, Loyal to the Crown during the War of 1812.";

Bucks Co Tax Records 1693-1778, New Briton Twp, 1778 Abraham Overholt; Niagara Peninsula Branch OGS, Assessments of Thorold 1817; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN #O 3/2/ 500 acres

AC1 Mary Overholt - bef 7/1840 m **James Rogers** of Niagara - aft 7/1840

After Marriage, James bought 50 acres, Lot 157 Pelham from his father-in-law in 1812. Mary also received a grant from the Crown of 200 acres.

REF: Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN #R 7/35 200 acres

AC11 Dinah Rogers

AC12 Elizabeth Rogers

AC13 Sarah Rogers

AC14 Mary Rogers

AC15 James Rogers

AC16 George Rogers

AC17 Alexander Rogers

AC2 Elizabeth Overholt 1776 – 3/24/1840 m **Richard Phillips** of Burford at least 1 daughter

REF: Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN #O P 10/50 200 acres; Gary Culp, Niagara Falls CAN

AC3 Abraham Overholt 4/4/1784 – 1/13/1866 81 yr -9 mo

1st m 7/1812 **Margaret Warner** 3/3/1792 St Davids – 12/11/1859 @71 both buried Overholt Cem, Fonthill
Margaret Warner d/o Christian Warner 11/7/1754 -c1856 Wainfleet & Gertrude Ecker c1753 – 8/29/1823

2nd m **Mary Storms***

REF: Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN #O 9/8 200 acres in Wainfleet Twp Lot 33, Con 5; C Warner settled CAN 1783; Overholt of Fonthill ON, 1989 J.A.M.O.

AC31 Matthew Overholt 4/11/1813 – 4/12/1897 1st m 5/13/1834 **Elizabeth Winger** 7/5/1812 – 3/24/1840
Matthew is in grandfather Abraham's will Matthew is ancestor of John A M Overholt, Surrey ENG
Probable sister to Elizabeth is Jacob Winger, whose wife is buried at Fonthill: Jane Winger 1815-1851

REF: Stone not presently at Fonthill was recorded May 3, 1928 by Dr W G Reive, transcribed and available at St Catherine's Public Library, O.G.S. #5897
Overholt Cemetery, Fonthill Ontario; Ontario Genealogical Society, St Catherines ONT

AC311 Rebecca Overholt 11/1/1835 – 5/20/1872 m 1857 **William Bradley**

AC3111 Eliza Maria Bradley 1866 – 1952 m **Alonzo W Overholt** 1862 – 1921

AC312 Phoebe Catherine Overholt 2/13/1837 – 4/17/1871 m 9/3/1862 **Charles S(h)isler** of Gainsboro

AC3121 Matthew S(h)isler

(AC31) 2nd m 5/15/1842 **Hannah Fulson** 12/2/1818 – 5/7/1900 Matthew & both wives bur Fonthill Cemetery

AC313 Dexter Deverardo Overholt 12/18/1844 – 2/24/1920
m 12/18/1872 **Marion Page** 10/26/1847 – 4/16/1921 both buried Fonthill Cemetery

AC3131 Arthur Milton Overholt UE, MA, LLD 6/15/1874 – 8/24/1938
m 8/9/1902 **Bertha Elizabeth McLay** BA 1/9/1878 – 9/14/1965 both bur Brantford, Ontario
d/o Dr Archibald McLay & Maria Williams of Woodstock ON
REF: Overholt of Fonthill, Ontario, 1989 J.A.M.O.

AC31311 Lt Col Arthur Archibald Overholt UE, MD 7/14/1904 Woodstock – 10/14/1964
m 9/17/1932 **Louise Dixon Cutcliffe** 4/23/1905 Brantford – 3/24/1987 bur Brantford
2nd d/o Lt Col Mostyn Elton Bluett Cutcliffe VD & Augusta Adelaide Dixon

AC31311.1 John Arthur Mostyn Overholt UE, JP 12/3/1933 –
m 8/23/1963 **Sheila Drummond** 2/9/1937 - of London ENG
2nd d/o Robert Stewart Drummond and May Johnson

AC31311.11 Louise Janet Cutcliffe Overholt BA 4/1/1966 -

AC31311.12 Caroline Susan Drummond Overholt 8/6/1969 -

AC31311.2 Bluett McLay Cutcliffe Overholt MD 5/1/1937 -
m 9/15/1962 **Anne Louise Robertson** 3/30/1940 - of London ON

AC31311.21 Mostyn Watt McLay Overholt 10/6/1963 -

AC31311.22 Robertson Bluett Overholt 4/26/1966 -

AC31311.23 Sterling Louise Overholt 2/18/1969 -

AC31311.3 Susan Augusta Elizabeth Overholt RN 10/4/1940 -
m 7/16/1966 **David Richard Wilder UE** 10/13/1938 - of Montreal CAN

AC31311.31 David Arthur Roland Wilder 3/20/1969 -

AC31311.32 Andrew John Stewart Wilder 12/19/1970 -

AC31312 John Dexter Overholt 3/18/1909 – 11/1/1979
m 9/3/1937 **Jean Murphy** 3/2/1915 – of Vancouver both bur Vancouver

AC31312.1 Michael John Overholt 2/19/1940 - m **Linda Mercer**

AC31312.11 Christopher Overholt 9/23/1967 -

AC31312.12 Stephen Overholt 10/4/1969 -

AC31312.2 Lynne Vincent Overholt 12/14/1949 - m **Kenneth Burrows**

AC31312.21 Timothy Burrows 5/15/1978 -

AC3132 Martha Overholt 11/2/1875 – 7/30/1937 m 12/18/1901 **Marcus Ware** 8/15/1875 – 7/24/1947

AC31321 Burton Atwell Ware 1906 -

AC31322 Marion Alice Ware 9/7/1908 – 1983

AC31322.1 Clarence Ware
AC31322.2 Douglas Ware

AC314 Eliza Maria Overholt 8/12/1858 – 2/11/1931
m 1/1/1876 **Dr Charles Shupe Sr** 10/8/1846 – 5/6/1915 of Waterloo

AC3141 Albert Shupe

AC3142 Arthur Shupe

AC3143 Ida Shupe 1881 – 1959

AC3144 Stanley Shupe 1890 – 1970 m _____ **Shanz**

AC31441 Mary C Shanz Shupe 1923 - 1981

AC3145 Mabel Esther Shupe

AC3146 Charles Shupe Jr

AC3147 Oliver Shupe

AC32 Charity Overholt 12/1/1814 – 10/13/1878 @64 m 3/6/1832 **Henry Acker (Ecker)** 1814 – 4/14/1874 @68
REF: Cemetery stone with her name beside Abraham and Elizabeth in Fonthill; OFA Records with color pictures of the roofed cemetery.; O.G.S. #5897
Overholt Cemetery

AC321 Mary Jane Acker 1835 – 5/25/1913

AC322 Henry Ecker 1840/45 - m Sophronia VanSlack of Moulton, Gainsborough
16 children d/o Wm & Margaret Van Slack

REF: Doris Demet, 6th generation Ecker so far: 2002; County Marriages Registers of Ontario CAN 1858-1869 V 21, Haldimand Co pg 58-1859

AC322 Lydia Acker 1850 -

AC323 Almira Acker 1853 -

AC33 Abraham Overholt 12/1/1814 - twin

AC34 Mary Overholt 1/23/1816 - m **James C Watson** of Thorold, Ontario

AC35 Phoebe Overholt 8/7/1820 – 5/21/1880
m 10/26/1840 **William Henry Swayze** 6/14/1820 ON - 12/25/1914 Welland ON
descendant is Mary Ellen Swayze Payne, 12908 Orchard Ave, Nampa ID 83651 – Don Felts

AC351 William H Swayze 8/14/1841 – infancy

AC352 William H Swayze 3/25/1843 – 4/14/1913 Welland ON
m **Almira Thompson** 3/16/1846 -

AC3521 Harold Swayze 6/10/1881 -

AC3522 Stella Swayze 22/9/1884 -

AC3523 Harvey Swayze 2/17/1885 -

AC3524 Owen Swayze 7/1/1889 -

AC353 David J Swayze 2/12/1844 – 3/9/1925
m **Mary Jane Hansler** 9/18/1853 – 10/24/1937

AC354 George A Swayze 10/21/1847 – 3/28/1929 m **Mary** _____ 6/11/1852 -

AC3541 Henry Swayze 12/27/1881 -

AC3542 Donald Swayze 1/8/1885 -

AC3543 Hillyard Swayze 2/26/1887 -

AC3544 Irvin Swayze 4/1/1891 -

AC3545 Mabel Swayze 2/1/1894 -

AC355 Alexander Swayze 11/3/1848 – 7/3/1909 m 10/9/1878 **Candace Silverthorn** 5/22/1857 -

AC3551 Loren Swayze c1870 -

AC3552 Arthur Swayze c1871 -

AC3553 Cora Swayze c1873 -

AC3554 Beatrice Swayze c1875 -

AC3555 Hazel Swayze c1892 -

AC3556 Percival Swayze c1895 -

AC356 Daniel R Swayze c1850 – 6/14/1927

AC357 John W Swayze 7/9/1853 – 9/8/1917 Oneida Co NY
1st m **Alice Ferguson** 2nd m **Wilhelmina Marie Groshong** 3/16/1876 -

AC358 Rebecca Swayze 8/9/1855 – 9/9/1858

AC36 Anna Overholt 7/7/1820 - m **James Lambert**

AC37 William Henry Overholt 5/19/1824 – 4/29/1910

m aft 1861 Wainfleet ON **Mary Hiles** 1836 CAN – 1896 Wainfleet ON

1861 Census he is single & living with father Abraham & Mary Storms who has 1 year old daughter.

Living on his land in 1871 census, Lot 34 Con 5 Wainfleet

REF: Loyal Lineages of Canada p 489, from Glen Sanger, 6043 Lazy Heart, Tuscon AZ 85713 Dec 1985

AC371 eldest girl ?Margaret Overholt 1860 - 11 years old in 1871 Census

AC372 John Overholt 1/1863 – 3/2/1863 1 mo 23 day s/o Henry & Margaret Overholt

REF: O.G.S. #5897 Overholt Cemetery Fonthill ONT

AC373 John Overholt 10/2/1863 Wainfleet ON – 1953 Bismark ON

m 7/4/1888 Wainfleet ON, **Eva Hoffman** 1866 Wainfleet – 1918 Bismark ON

REF: Loyal Lineages of Canada p 489, from Glen Sanger, 6043 Lazy Heart, Tuscon AZ 85713 Dec 1985

AC3731 William Overholt 5/3/1889 -

AC3732 Wilbert Overholt 1/16/1892 -

AC3733 Archie Overholt 7/31/1895 -

AC3734 Girvin Overholt 5/7/1897 -

AC3735 Cora Overholt 1/1/1900 -

AC3736 Etta Overholt 4/23/1903 Toronto ON -

m 3/1922 Toronto ON, **George F White** 11/18/1902 London ENG -

AC37361 George White 1/24/1923 -

AC37362 Muriel White 7/21/1925 -

AC37363 Arthur White 10/11/1928 -

AC37364 Edna White 11/30/1936 -

AC3737 Henry Overholt 7/10/1906 -

AC374 James Overholt c1864 -

AC375 Joseph Overholt c1866 -

AC376 Lydia Overholt c1868 -

AC377 Girl ?Rebecca Overholt 1870 -

REF: 1861 & 1871 Census

AC38 Lydia Overholt 6/11/1826 – 3/26/1916 m **Christopher John Hiles**

AC39 George William Overholt 4/3/1830 – 6/22/1891 m **Lanah Jane Reece**

AC30 Girl Storms Overholt* 1860 -

AC4 John Overholt 1779 – 6/1813 @34 received Lot 34 Con 5 Wainfleet as his son/UE Grant
m Sarah Hand/Henn 5/20/1785 - d/o Michael Hand UE of Pelham Twp

REF: Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN, # O 9/7 200 acres Wainfleet Twp Lot 34, Con 5

AC41 Isaac Overholt 9/24/1805 Welland Co -
m 4/12/1827 Elizabeth Bentley 9/4/1810 -

AC411 John Overholt

AC412 Nelson Overholt

AC413 Jacob Overholt

AC414 Mary Overholt

AC415 Martha Overholt

AC416 Sarah Jane Overholt

AC417 Elizabeth Overholt

AC418 Judson Overholt

AC5 Anne Overholt m _____ **Day**

REF: OGSPI Index to Upper Canada Land Books, Vol 4 Jan 1817-Dec 1820, 1818 Anne Overholt dtr of UEL

AC6 Martin Overholt 9/10/1783 – 1/29/ 1864 Thorold Ontario 89-4-19

1st m **Rebecca Disher*** 1786 Bucks Co PA– 8/15/1813 Thorold, Welland Co Ontario @27 years

2nd m aft 1818 **Catherine Moore**^ 7/1/1790 Bucks Co PA– 10/6/1854 Pelham Ontario 61-8-6

Catherine was widow of Samuel Terreberry 1788 – 1818

REF: O.G.S. #5897 Overholt Cemetery, Fonthill ONT

AC61 Anna Overholt* 3/30/1812 Upper Canada/Fonthill Ontario – 3/29/1910 Niagara Twp Lincoln ONT

Anna is believed to be buried in St Catherine's Cemetery – Charles Field

1st m _____ **St John**

2nd m **Charles Morgan*** 1807 England – 8/29/1875 Niagara Twp, Lincoln Ontario

REF: Abraham Sr's will granddaughter Anne is listed as Anna St John, Letter 9/2007 to Barbara Ford from Christena Trebilcock; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN # O 11/15 200 acres

AC611 Henry Morgan* 9/25/1847 – 10/7/1920 Niagara m **Eliza Lovegrove**

AC6111 Rosetta Morgan 4/21/1878 – 10/3/1926 Niagara Twp on Lake Ontario
m Henry Hoover

AC61111 Francis Hoover 3/17/1900 Buffalo NY – 1974 when Christena was 9 years old
m _____ Marini

AC61111.1 _____ Marini

Mother of Christena

AC61111.11 Christena c1965 - m ____ Trebilcock
REF: Christena Trebilcock, 65 Norman St, Hamilton ONT L8HJ4

AC62 Mary Overholt^
m 6/15/1841 **George William Hansler, Esq** 8/13/1819 old homestead - farmer
Lots 4 & 5 5th CON, Pelham, Weeland Co ONT George appointed Justice of Peace 1866
s/o Andrew 12/17/1790 – 2/14/1863 @73, society of Tunkers (Dunkers)
m Mary Snure 3/20/1790 Pelham – 8/5/1852 @62, d/o Hessian soldier of Prussian desc
grds/o George 1756 on the Atlantic Ocean from GER, immigrant to Canada who 1st settled on the
10 mile creek, then to the 12 mile creek, then old homestead the year before the famine in 1786 - died c1831 @ 75
REF: History of County of Welland ONT, 1887 Welland Tribune Printing House

AC621 Daughter Hansler Living when Bio of George written

AC7 William Overholt UE 1800 – 2/19/1840 bought 200 acres land from brother John
REF: O.G.S. #5897 Overholt Cemetery Fonthill ONT ; OGSP Index Upper Canada Land Books Vol 5 Jan 1821-Dec 1826, 1823 William Overholt s/o UEL
; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN, #O 13/21 200 acres

AC8 Catherine Overholt UE 1784 – 1845 land grant app 5/1/1832 while living Zorra Twp, London
m 1821 **John Nicholas Bellinger** 1800 - Christened 8/1803 – bef 1840
s/o Michael Bellinger & Mary Koch of Pelham
REF: Gene Singer ; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions, Public Archives of CAN; John Overholt to Barbara Ford 2001; Sheri Snider 2001

AC81 Honicle Bellinger 1/2/1821 CAN – 11/1865

AC9 Isaac Overholt UE m **Elizabeth** _____
Barbara Ford calls him Isaac of Louth
REF: OGSP Index to upper Canada Land Books Vol 5 Jan 1821 – Dec 1826, 1824 Isaac Overholt son of UEL; Upper Canada Land Grant Petitions,
Public Archives of CAN,
Petition #O 5/7 Isaac Overholt, s/o Staats UE, age c30, never received lands except for Lot 14 Con 7 Townsend, under the nominee of that twp on
9/8/1800. (This would put Isaac's birthdate at around 1770 – Barbara Ford) Petition #O 5/7b, 10/20/1796 Isaac Overholt has resided 10 years since 1786 in
the province and has lived with his father. He has 4 children and desires his own land. This is not Isaac of Louth. Staats son petitioned 2/14/1797 twin of
Jacob, Townsend Twp. - Upper Canada Land Book C 7/4/1796

AC91 Barbara Overholt – still alive when Isaac wrote his will in May 1823
m c1796 Christian Price c1757 – 1832 Listed as IC53 (OFA Book p306) – This information on
Christian Price is completely wrong, as Barbara could not have been born prior to 1800. - DLO

AC9__? Todd Overholt cousin of Christena Trebilcock

CV Christian Overholser Of Giles County, Virginia

Immigrant John Michael Oberholtzer immigrated 1749 to Philadelphia – died in New York City while on his way to England. His wife would have raised the children. He is the father of AC Abraham, as documented in the biography of George William Hansler, Esq of Pelham Township. He is also likely the father of IC, & CV due to place & time, and having children with like names that are not in other O Lines in America. The three brothers, AC, IC, & CV would have been under 14 years of age in 1754, and not recordable on the ship records.

REF: Biography of George William Hansler, Esq of Pelham Township, Ontario; sent in to OFA by Christena Trebilcock 9/7/2007

CV Christian Overholser - 1828 m 7/30/1798 **Catherine Fizer** d/o Henry Fizer

He came to Montgomery Co VA, which is adjacent to Franklin Co in 1812. One source said he sold a lot in Amsterdam, Botetourt Co 1803. He accumulated 933 acres of land, mostly from heirs of a Fizer estate, which was sold by his heirs. He died 1828 intestate with Absolom Kirk as administrator. His inventory was dated 9/7/1828.

Henry Fizer was born Johann Heinrich Feiser s/o Johannes Petrus Feiser and Catherine Margaretha of Hochstenbach GER. Henry married Anne Margretta Freitag. Henry moved from York Co PA to Botetourt Co VA by 1786 and died 1815 Montgomery Co VA. Will shows children: Michael, Adam, Henry, John, Jacob, Peter, George, Peggy Keffer, Polly Jones, Elizabeth Haymaker and Catherine Overholser.

REF: Naomi Ruth Howard, Mathasville MO; John L Overholt, Kilmarnock VA; Botetout Marriage Records Register p 102; 1810 Census Giles Co VA: Christian Overhartz 00010-42010; 1820 Census Shen Co VA: Christian Overholzer p145

CV1 Sarah Overholser m 8/8/1827 **Absolom Kirk** 1797 -

Absolom was administrator of Christian's will. Inventory on 9/7/1828

CV2 Margaret Overhalser 1800 – 8/6/1865 Brown Co KS

m 10/6/1821 Giles Co VA, **Lewis Amos Kirk** 10/5/1795 VA – 4/16/1879 KS

Lewis & brother Absolom s/o Joseph Kirk b c 1745 m 1/18/1788 Martha Harless
grds/o Thomas Kirk 1720-1800 m Margot Duncan

Moved from VA to Ross Co OH then KS, both bur Shelton Cem, Brown Co KS

CV21 Christian Kirk 5/15/1822 Giles Co - m **Nancy Strain**

CV22 Joseph Kirk 11/20/1823 Giles Co – 3/9/1910 m 10/14/1878 **Louise Stoffer**

Joseph claimed a homestead near Merrill in 1858.

REF: Letter by Winnie Kirk Branes (Mrs J L) of Marshall OK, May 3, 1981

CV23 Martha Jane Kirk 6/29/1825 Giles Co – 7/11/1917 m 1851 **John Carre**

REF: Naomi Ruth Howard, Mathasville MO 2/25/1988

CV231 Thomas Lewis Carre m **Elsmarelda Massey**

CV2311 Fannie Isabell Carre m **Willis George Zeigler**

CV23111 Naomi Ruth Zeigler 1st m _____ **Hines***

2nd m 12/18/1973 St Charles MO, **Wendell Albert Howard** 9/6/1928 Marthasville MO – 5/3/2007

s/o Lawrence Thomas Howard & Myrtle Ann Benus engineer US Air Force

Korean & Vietnam Veteran, Wendell was mayor of Marthasville MO 10 years 1989 – 2000

REF: Obit of Wendell Albert Howard, given by wife Naomi Ruth Howard

CV23111.1 **Andrew C Hines*** m **Shirley _____** St Charles MO

CV23111.2 **Steven L Howard** San Antonio TX

CV23111.3 **Sherry L Howard** m **Rich Roehrig** of Dutzow MO

CV23111.4 **Wendy R Howard** m **Greg Tompkins** Oklahoma City OK

CV23111.5 **Candace F Howard** m _____ **Rice** Mooresville NC

CV23111.6 **Debbie K Howard** m _____ **Merrett** Light House Point FL

CV23112 A _____ Helen Zeigler

CV24 Mary Ann Kirk 1/14/1827 - single

CV25 Lewis Amos Kirk 10/17/1828 – 2/24/1896 m 1851 Ross Co OH, **Mary Ann Henderson**
REF: Noela Scott Moore, Brown Co KS; Letter of Columbia Kirk to brother Dick c1900; Frank E Vanderbilt, 10206 Chatterton St, Houston TX Jan 13, 1980; Winnie Kirk Branen of Marshall OK

CV251 John Preston Kirk 1854 - m 1876 KS, **Jennie Robertson**

CV2511 William Clyde Kirk 1877 - m 1900 KS, **Ruth Fairfield**

CV25111 Winnie Kirk 1902 OK - m 1924 OK, **Joseph L Brauen**
REF: Winnie Kirk Brauen, Marshall OK 73056, August 9, 1972 to Spencer Overholser, OFARecords

CV26 James Martin Kirk 11/10/1829 -

CV27 Catherine Elizabeth Kirk 1/13/1831 -

CV28 Malinda Susanna Kirk 9/1832 -

CV29 William Henry Kirk 3/6/1834 -

CV20 Virginia Evelyn Kirk 10/1835 -

CV2a John Benner Kirk 10/1835? - 6/8/1916 m **Emily** _____

CV2b Mahala Kirk 1/28/1837 -

CV3 Susan Overholser - dp 1860 m 5/27/1823 **George Sarver** - 12/24/1878

CV31 Hannah Sarver family was in Giles Co VA in 1850 m 9/5/1855 Giles Co, **Montague Long**

CV311 Lloyd P Long

CV312 Louvenia Long

CV313 Belzoria Octavia Long

CV314 Mattie Bell Long

CV315 Henrietta Long

CV316 Phillip Lee Long

CV317 Charles W Long

CV318 Amanda E Long

CV319 Minnie Long

CV310 Victoria Long

CV31a Mason Wiley Long

CV31b Mirthy Long

CV32 Catherine Sarver c1826 - m 2/18/1850 **Wm E Keffer** c1825 -

CV4 daughter Overholser m **Moses Atkins**

CV5 Henley Overholser m **Paul Epling**

CV6 Fanny Overholser m **John Sarver**

CV7 Catherine Overholser 1808 VA – 10/18/1876 Peru, Miami IN

m 10/20/1827 by Richard Buckingham, **Michael Tillett** 1804 VA – 11/22/1874

REF: Marriage in Montgomery Co VA: Michael Tillett age 21 to Catherine Overholser, her father Christian, license 10/18/1827; Miami Co IN 1870 Census; Post by Claudia hr47@juno.com on 6/29/2000 in response to Descendants posted by Duane L Large 12/10/1998

CV71 Mary Tillett c1828 VA-

CV72 Henrietta Tillett c1830 VA -

CV73 William Tillett 1832 VA-

CV74 Elizabeth Tillett 1835 IA -

CV75 Michael Tillett Jr 1837 – Died Young?

CV76 Catherine Tillett 1839 IN -

CV77 Nancy Tillett 1840 IN -

CV78 Lorinda Ellen Tillett 1841 IN -

CV79 Elinora Tillett 1843 IN -

CV70 Isaac S Tillett 1847 IN -

m **Hattie** _____ c1857 -

George Garland 16 yr old lived with Isaac in 1880 census

CV701 Ida Tillett c1876 IN -

CV702 Olerie Tillett 7 mo in 1880 census -

CV7a Sarah A Tillett 1849 IN -

CV7b Rosetta J Travis 1850 IN -

17 IN in 1870 census living with Michael & Catherine

CV8 daughter Overholser

m **John Fisher**