

Descendants of Thomas Shoemith

Generation No 1

1. THOMAS¹ SHOESMITH was born Mar/Apr 1841 in Briercliffe, Lancashire, England, and died c1918 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. He is the son of JAMES SHOESMITH and SARAH BURROWS. He married ELIZABETH JOHNSON reg Q3 1859 in Burnley, Lancashire, England. She was born c1841 in Marsden, Lancashire, England, the daughter of WILLIAM JOHNSON & ALICE.

More about THOMAS SHOESMITH:

Occupation: Power Loom Cotton Weaver

1841 lived Pig Hole Mill, Briercliffe with parents – half-brothers James, John, Jude, William and Robert and brothers Abraham and Giles are at home.

1851 lived Lane Head, Briercliffe with parents – half-brothers William and Robert and siblings Abraham, Margaret and Giles (#2) are at home.

1861 lived New Ground Top, Burnley with wife and two-week old daughter. He is living near his half brother William.

1871 lived Witham Row, Burnley with wife and daughters.

1881 lived 22 Thorn Street, Burnley with wife and children.

1882 immigrated to USA with wife Elizabeth, children and son-in-law William Barker. They arrived New York, New York, USA on 25 Sep 1882, from Liverpool, England and Queenstown, Ireland aboard SS City of Berlin.

1900 lived Westport, Bristol County, Massachusetts with wife and two youngest children.
Occupation: farmer.

1910 lived Pitman Street, Fall River, Massachusetts with wife and three youngest children.

1918 lived 52 Webster Street, Fall River

Buried Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River.

Co founder of Harrison Street Baptist Church.

Children of THOMAS SHOESMITH and ELIZABETH JOHNSON are:

- i. (2) SARAH ALICE² SHOESMITH b Mar 1861 in Burnley, Lancashire
- ii. (3) AMANDA SHOESMITH b Feb 1864 in Burnley, Lancashire
- iii. ELIZABETH ANN SHOESMITH b c1865 in Burnley, Lancashire
m JOHN THOMAS c1889 in Fall River, Massachusetts

More about ELIZABETH ANN SHOESMITH:

Occupation: Cotton Weaver

1900 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River with husband and brother Abraham.
Sister Amanda and family lived next door.

1910 lived Fall River with husband.

1920 lived 271 Jencks Street, Fall River with husband. Sister Sarah lived next door.

1930 still at 271 Jencks Street, Fall River with husband. Next door to sister Sarah and also next to brother William.

More about JOHN THOMAS:

b c1864 in England

Occupation: Cotton Weaver

iv. SUSAN SHOESMITH b Q2 1868 in Marsden, Lancashire

v. MARGARET SHOESMITH b Q3 1870 in Burnley, Lancashire

vi. ABRAHAM SHOESMITH b Apr 1872 in Burnley, Lancashire

More about ABRAHAM SHOESMITH:

1900 boarder with sister Elizabeth and her husband John at 38 Webster Street, Fall River.

1910 lived Pitman Street, Fall River with parents.

vii. (4) WILLIAM SHOESMITH b 21 Nov 1876 in Burnley, Lancashire

viii. (5) LILY SHOESMITH b Dec 1881 in Burnley, Lancashire

Generation No 2

2. SARAH ALICE² SHOESMITH (*THOMAS*¹) was born Mar 1861 in Burnley, Lancashire, England. She married WILLIAM BARKER reg Q3 1882 in Burnley, Lancashire, England. He was born c1861 in Marsden, Lancashire, England, the son of WILLIAM BARKER & SARAH A. He died between 1910 and 1920 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA.

More about SARAH ALICE SHOESMITH:

Occupation: Weaver

1861 lived New Ground Top, Burnley with parents - two weeks old.

1871 lived Witham Row, Burnley with parents.

1881 lived 22 Thorn Street, Burnley with parents.

1882 immigrated to USA with parents and husband William. They arrived New York, New York, USA on 25 Sep 1882, from Liverpool, England and Queenstown, Ireland aboard SS City of Berlin.

1900 lived Harrison Street, Fall River, Bristol County, Massachusetts with husband and sons.

1910 lived Jencks Street, Fall River with husband and sons.

1920 widow lived Jencks Street, Fall River with son Herbert and nephew Alfred Brown. Sister Elizabeth and her husband John Thomas live next door.

1930 widow lived Jencks Street, Fall River with son Herbert. House rented for \$10/month. Next door to sister Elizabeth and husband John Thomas and also next to brother William.

More about WILLIAM BARKER:

Occupation: Cotton Weaver

Children of SARAH ALICE SHOESMITH and WILLIAM BARKER are:

- i. WILLIAM THOMAS³ BARKER b Sep 1882 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA

More about WILLIAM THOMAS BARKER:

Occupation: Weaver

- ii. ROBERT BARKER b 23 May 1885 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
d Nov 1962 in Washington, USA

More about ROBERT BARKER:

Occupation: Weaver

- iii. HERBERT BARKER b 17 Jan 1887, Fall River, Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA

More about HERBERT BARKER:

Occupation: Barber/Weaver

- iv. ALFRED BARKER b 3 Feb 1891 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
d 15 Mar 1972 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

More about ALFRED BARKER:

Occupation: Painter

05 Jun 1917 drafted for WWI

1920 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River with wife Elizabeth

3. AMANDA² SHOESMITH (*THOMAS*¹) was born Feb 1864 in Burnley, Lancashire, England and died c1909 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. She married WILLIAM JAMES BROWN 8 Apr 1884 in Fall River, Massachusetts. He was born c1862 in Colne, Lancashire, England, the son of JOHN BROWN & HARRIET.

More about AMANDA SHOESMITH:

1871 lived Witham Row, Burnley with parents.

1881 lived 22 Thorn Street, Burnley with parents.

1882 immigrated to USA with parents. They arrived New York, New York, USA on 25 Sep 1882, from Liverpool, England and Queenstown, Ireland aboard SS City of Berlin.

1900 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River, Bristol County, Massachusetts with husband and children. Brother Abraham, sister Elizabeth and her husband John Thomas living next door.

More about WILLIAM JAMES BROWN:

Occupation: Loom Fixer

16 May 1881 arrived New York, New York, USA aboard Britannic.

1910 & 1920 widower lived 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River with children.

1930 still at 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River now with second wife Margaret. House is owned with value of \$12,000.

Children of AMANDA SHOESMITH and WILLIAM JAMES BROWN are:

- i. ANNIE³ BROWN b 6 Nov 1884 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
m Unknown Gamble and d Jan 1964 in Rhode Island, USA

More about ANNIE BROWN:
Occupation: Weaver
1930 lived 442 Tecumseh Street, Fall River with brother William and family.
- ii. (6) JOHN THOMAS BROWN b Dec 1885 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
- iii. (7) ALFRED BROWN b 6 Jan 1888 in Fall River, Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
- iv. (8) LILLIAN BROWN b 10 Jun 1889 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
- v. ERNEST BROWN b Oct 1892 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
m Minnie Unknown and d 4 Aug 1928 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

More about ERNEST BROWN:
Occupation: Loom Fixer
1920 lived Ratiffe(?) Street, Fall River with wife.
Died of pneumonia, buried 7 Aug 1928 in Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River.
- vi. (9) WILLIAM JAMES BROWN b May 1896 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
- vii. ELIZABETH MAY BROWN b May 1900 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA
d 18 Sep 1900 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

More about ELIZABETH MAY BROWN:
Buried 21 Sep 1900 in Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River.
- viii. (10) HERBERT BROWN b 8 Oct 1902 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

4. WILLIAM² SHOESMITH (*THOMAS*¹) was born 21 Nov 1876 in Burnley, Lancashire, England and died Feb 1966 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. He married [1] MABEL KIPPAX c1910-12 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. She was born c1880 in Massachusetts, USA, the daughter of JOHN KIPPAX & AMELIA. She died between 1912 and 1920 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. He married [2] SARAH E UNKNOWN c1920-30 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. She was born c1888 in England.

More about WILLIAM SHOESMITH:

1881 lived 22 Thorn Street, Burnley with parents.

1882 immigrated to USA with parents. They arrived New York, New York, USA on 25 Sep 1882, from Liverpool, England and Queenstown, Ireland aboard SS City of Berlin.

1900 lived Westport, Bristol County, Massachusetts with parents. He is a milk dealer.

1910 lived Pitman Street, Fall River with parents. His occupation is painter, own account.

1920 widower lived 52 Webster Street, Fall River with widowed mother.

1930 lived 271 Jencks Street, Fall River with second wife, Sarah E, and son Thomas from first marriage. Living next to sister Sarah and nephew Herbert. Also next to sister Elizabeth. House is owned with value of \$10,000. He is a paint dealer.

More about SARAH E UNKNOWN:

1919 immigrated to USA.

Children of WILLIAM SHOESMITH and MABEL KIPPAX are:

- i. THOMAS³ SHOESMITH b 20 Feb 1912 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
d Jan 1971 in USA

More about THOMAS SHOESMITH:

1920 lived with maternal grandparents in Fall River as his mother had died between 1912 and 1920.

1930 lived 271 Jencks Street, Fall River with father and step-mother.

5. LILY² SHOESMITH (*THOMAS¹*) was born Dec 1881 in Burnley, Lancashire, England. She married ARTHUR ALLWOOD c1912 in Massachusetts, USA. He was born 24 Apr 1878 in Massachusetts, USA. He died between 1920 and 1930 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA.

More about LILY SHOESMITH:

Name also spelt Lillie.

1882 immigrated to USA with parents. They arrived New York, New York, USA on 25 Sep 1882, from Liverpool, England and Queenstown, Ireland aboard SS City of Berlin.

1900 lived Westport, Bristol County, Massachusetts with parents.

1910 lived Pitman Street, Fall River with parents.

1920 lived 52 Webster Street, Fall River with husband and children. Living next to mother.

1930 widow lived 52 Webster Street, Fall River with children.

More about ARTHUR ALLWOOD:

Occupation: Machinist

Children of LILY SHOESMITH and ARTHUR ALLWOOD are:

- i. MABEL³ ALLWOOD b c1913 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

More about MABEL ALLWOOD

Occupation: Bookkeeper

- ii. LILLIAN ALLWOOD b c1915 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
- iii. ARTHUR ALLWOOD b c1917 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

Generation No 3

6. JOHN THOMAS³ BROWN (*AMANDA² SHOESMITH, THOMAS¹*) was born Dec 1885 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA and died 2 Mar 1921 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA. He married SARAH E UNKNOWN between 1910 and 1914 in Fall River, Massachusetts. She was born c1887 in Massachusetts, USA.

More about JOHN THOMAS BROWN:

1900 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River, with parents.

1910 lived 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River with father.

1920 lived 20 Quequechan Street, Fall River with wife and sons.

Buried 5 Mar 1921 in Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River.

More about Sarah E Unknown:

1930 lived 102 Irving(?) Street, Fall River with second husband, Robert Slater and sons from first marriage.

Children of JOHN THOMAS BROWN and SARAH E UNKNOWN are:

- i. FRANK⁴ BROWN b 1914 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
 - ii. LINCOLN BROWN b cMar 1916 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
7. ALFRED³ BROWN (*AMANDA² SHOESMITH, THOMAS¹*) was born 6 Jan 1888 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA. He married MARY ELLA WOLSTENHOLME between 1920 and 1925 in Fall River, Massachusetts. She was born c1892 in Massachusetts, USA, the daughter of Samuel Wolstenholme and Mary.

More about ALFRED BROWN:

Occupation: Weaver

1900 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River, with parents.

1910 lived 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River with father.

1920 lived Jencks Street, Fall River with aunt Sarah and cousin Herbert Barker.

1930 lived 30 Barre Street, Fall River with wife, son and parents-in-law.

Children of ALFRED BROWN and MARY ELLA WOLSTENHOLME are:

- i. ALFRED⁴ BROWN b c1925 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

8. LILLIAN³ BROWN (*AMANDA² SHOESMITH, THOMAS¹*) was born 10 Jun 1889 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA and died Jul 1972 in St Petersburg, Pinellas County, Florida, USA. She married HARRY N GRINNELL c1921 in Fall River, Massachusetts. He was born c1894 in Rhode Island, USA.

More about LILLIAN BROWN:

Known as Lillie or Lilie.

Occupation: Weaver

1900 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River, with parents.

1910 & 1920 lived 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River with father.

1930 lived 486 Snell Street, Fall River with husband and children.

Children of LILLIAN BROWN and HARRY N GRINNELL are:

- i. DUANE⁴ R GRINNELL b cAug 1924 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
- ii. THELMA L GRINNELL b cOct 1926 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
- iii. AUDREY E GRINNELL b cMay 1928 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

9. WILLIAM JAMES³ BROWN (*AMANDA² SHOESMITH, THOMAS¹*) was born May 1896 in Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA. He married ETHEL UNKNOWN between 1920 and 1924 in Fall River, Massachusetts. She was born c1895 in Massachusetts, USA.

More about WILLIAM JAMES BROWN:

Occupation: Loom Fixer

1900 lived 38 Webster Street, Fall River, with parents.

1910 & 1920 lived 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River with father.

1930 lived 442 Tecumseh Street, Fall River with wife, children and sister Annie.

Children of WILLIAM JAMES BROWN and ETHEL UNKNOWN are:

- i. RUTH E⁴ BROWN b cMar 1924 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
- ii. WILLIAM BROWN b cDec 1926 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

10. HERBERT³ BROWN (*AMANDA² SHOESMITH, THOMAS¹*) was born 8 Oct 1902 in Fall River, Bristol County, Massachusetts, USA and died Aug 1981. He married ERSILIA SENECA c1921 in Fall River, Massachusetts. She was born 29 Sep 1896 in Ailano, Italy, daughter of Vincenzo Seneca and Emilia Corbi and died Nov 1973 in USA.

More about HERBERT BROWN:

Occupation: Weaver

1910 & 1920 lived 334 Quequechan Street, Fall River with father.

1930 lived 197 County Street, Fall River with wife and children.

More about ERSILIA SENECA:

Known as Celia.

1899 immigrated to USA.

Children of HERBERT BROWN and ERSILIA SENECA are:

- i. DORIS C⁴ BROWN b 19 May 1924 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA
m Kenneth Sheeley b 19 Dec 1924
d 25 Feb 1987 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA

More about Doris C Brown:

Had one son.

Buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River.

- ii. HERBERT BROWN b cJan 1927 in Fall River, Massachusetts, USA