

HENRY¹ OF HINGHAM

Tenth Generation

No. 80

NAME: Nell¹⁰ Chamberlin “Nellie”

Father: John Wilbert⁹ Chamberlin (No. 67)
[Joseph⁸ (James Woodmansee⁷, Thomas⁶, James⁵, William⁴⁻³, John², Henry¹)
and Amy (Wilbert) Chamberlin]

Mother: Helen Camerson Ramsay

Born: 28 Aug 1871, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., UT

Died: 11 Mar 1932, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA

Buried: Mar 1932, Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA.

Married: (1) Charles Arthur Nichols, 5 Mar 1890, Salt Lake City, UT

Other Marriages: (2) Moroni Harold McAllister, 3 July 1906, Salt Lake City, UT

Divorces: (1) Before 1906, probably Salt Lake City, UT

No. 11711

SPOUSE (1): Charles Arthur Nichols

Father: Charles Sumner Nichols

Mother: Sarah Milliken

Born: 13 Aug 1867, IL

Died: 22 Apr 1927, Provo, UT Co., UT

Buried: Apr 1927, —?— where?

Other Marriages: (2) Jennie Peterson, 2 July 1907, perhaps Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., UT

CHILDREN

(By First Marriage)

M i Clarence Chamberlin Nichols, b. 7 Apr 1891, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., UT. Married Mrs. Agnes May (Garrick) —?—, 27 May 1927, Salt Lake City, UT. May was the daughter of Alexander & Mary Elizabeth (Ball) Garrick, b. 25 May 1889, Salt Lake City, UT. By a previous marriage she had a daughter Dorothy —?—. May died Dec 1971, —?—. She and Clarence had no children. He died 20 July 1964, Salt Lake City, UT. Buried 23 July 1964, City Cemetery, Salt Lake Cemetery.

No. 11712

SPOUSE (2): Moroni Harold McAllister “Ollie”

Father: Moroni Handley McAllister

Mother: Marinda A. Brown

Born: 2 Oct 1879, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., UT

Died: 29 Aug 1970, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA

Buried: Aug 1970, Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, Los Angeles Co., CA

Other Marriages:

CHILDREN
(By Second Marriage)

- F ii Virginia Ruth McAllister, b. 31 Oct 1909, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., UT. Married William Nolan Black, 24 Jan 1941, Los Angeles, CA. In 1985, she was residing at Santa Rosa, CA. +
- M iii Harold McAllister, b. 28 Sep 1912, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co., UT. Died there 7 Oct 1912.

BIOGRAPHICAL

The following biographical notes were supplied by Mrs. Ruth Black:

“My mother, Nell Chamberlin, was born in Salt Lake City, UT, August 28, 1871. She was the daughter of John Wilbert Chamberlin and Helen Cameron Ramsay. Nell was a lovely person, and a wonderful wife, sister, and mother. Until I was 11 years old, we lived on part of the property on State street, owned previously by my grandfather John Wilbert Chamberlin. My uncle Jack (John William) Chamberlin lived with us. Another uncle, Joseph Ramsay Chamberlin lived on another section of the land. My grandfather, I believe, had a large nursery on these two pieces of property plus additional adjoining acreage. My uncles farmed the land.

Nell, by a previous marriage to Charles Arthur Nichols, on March 5, 1890, had a son, Clarence Chamberlin Nichols, born April 7, 1891. Clarence, called ‘Nick,’ lived with our family part of the time. Though Nick was 17 years older than I, we had great fun together.

On 3 July 1906, Nell married Moroni Harold McAllister, in Salt Lake City. I (Virginia Ruth McAllister) was their first child, born October 31, 1909. A son, Harold McAllister, was born to them September 28, 1912, and died eight days later on October 6, 1912, from a gastro-intestinal hemorrhage.

My father, Moroni Harold ‘Ollie’ McAllister, was born in Salt Lake City, UT, on October 20, 1879, the first child of Moroni Handley and Marinda A. (Brown) McAllister. His grandfather, John Daniel Thompson McAllister, was a pioneer and prominent LDS church leader in UT. Ollie attended school and church in Salt Lake, City, UT, leaving school at about the 8th grade to help his father run a newstand at the Union Depot. A while later, his father gave him the newstand business. At a later date he worked for Marsh Coal Company. After a number of years, he left the coal company and worked with several partners in a land and water company. He worked in this field, in real estate, and probably in the mining leases until about 1920 when he became partners with Mr. Harry Ostler in the Ostler Candy Company. In 1923, he left the candy business and moved his family to CA where he was in the oil business in Long Beach. Later he was in insurance and real estate, the work he liked the best, in the Los Angeles area.

In California, my father was known as ‘Mack,’ but he was always Ollie to his family, a name given him by a baby sister.

He was close to his family, and had many friends. He was friendly and courteous to all, and inspired confidence. He did a great deal to help other people, such as visiting elderly friends, helping them in any way he could. He had a smile and a joke for all. His most outstanding attribute was his honesty. He was an honorable man whom everyone trusted.

While he had little formal schooling, he personified a well-educated, articulate man. He enjoyed the out-of-doors, especially the mountains, and was an excellent trout fisherman. As a small child, I enjoyed many fishing trips to the mountains with him and my mother. Sometimes his brother, Robert, would accompany us.

Ollie McAllister died August 19, 1970, primarily of old age, complicated by a cerebral hemorrhage which occurred in the early 1950s."

Questions:

- 1 Birthdate of Ollie McAllister: 2 Oct 1879 or 20 Oct 1879?
- 2 Deathdate of Ollie McAllister: 29 Aug 1970 or 19 Aug 1970?
- 3 Death of Harold McAllister: 6 or 7 October 1912? Where buried?
- 4 When and where were Nell and Charles Arthur Nichols divorced?
- 5 Agnes May Garrick. What was the name of her first husband?

PREPARATION OF THIS RECORD

This record was prepared by the late David C. Chamberlin Sr., using data obtained from various sources as listed. Comments and additional information are welcome and should be sent to the World Chamberlain Genealogical Society. < www.chamberlain-society.org >
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