

-- McELROY --

The family groups represented in this collection may not be complete, because information was entered bit by bit as I found it or happened upon it; I have not done any systematic research on these families. Because they do not compose whole family genealogies, these listings are arranged differently from most genealogical records or histories. Each listing is a family group, and is arranged and filed alphabetically under the name of the head of the family.

Names are generally in alphabetical order (disregarding spelling variations and middle names), then in approx. chronological order. The first sorting is by surname (mixing together any and all spelling variations), then by given name, then by approximate birthdate (when known) in approximate chronological order. For easier reference, surnames in headings are grouped together under the most common spelling usage that evolved in this geographical location, regardless of individualistic spellings in the records themselves. Cross references are used in most cases where surname spellings substantially vary.

Within the quoted records, the individual spellings have been (mostly) retained because they sometimes provide clues (although in general—but with exceptions—they seem to largely reflect the record keeper's particular orthography and not always, at this early period, any special family preference). Those interested can see the variety and evolution of a particular name's spelling and the interesting and sometimes amusing attempts at phonetic reproduction. Keep in mind that before names and spellings were standardized, records reflected the individualistic whim of the particular recorder (often two different spellings of the same name within the same document). In addition, all records were handwritten, and sometimes deciphering a handwritten name in early records can be quite challenging! So expect to search under all possibilities of spelling (for both surnames and given names).

Given names are grouped together without regard for middle initials or middle names. Because middle names and/or initials are sometimes used, sometimes not used in various records, it seemed simplest to arrange entries as if the middle names or initials did not exist. Usually all variations of a given name are grouped together as though spelled one way: Jan, Johannes, John, etc. are all grouped as one (but also look under the other forms).

Sources and references are included with each "family" grouping, but may or may not include sources that are cited (or are obvious, such as baptismal records, etc.) within the narrative or listing itself.

As with any compiled genealogical record, researchers should regard this information as leads and clues, and should verify all data with independent research.

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McElroy, A. (Asa?)

A. McElroy
son of

m. 16 Sep 1916
Bridgeport, CT.

Loduska Jane Hover (Rudusky?)

(widow of **George Buckingham**)
dau. of Alexander Hover & Polly Jane Corey
b. about 1875 upper NY state
d. 29 Oct 1936 Rutherford, Bergen Co., NJ

b.
d.

He lived in Dover and she lived in Allendale at the time of their marriage. They lived at New Haven, CT in 1916.

She lived with her nephew, Gilbert Hover, on Park Avenue in Allendale about 1933.

She m. (3) Sep 1934 Archer Memorial Methodist Church, Allendale, **Winfield Scott** of Rutherford, NJ

She had one child by her first marriage, George Buckingham. He lived in Boston, MA in October 1936.

---Sources: Mrs. Winfield Scott obituary in *The Ramsey Journal*, 5 Nov 1936; Allendale Historical Society Files

McElroy, Charles

Charles McElroy
b. about 1788 NY

m.

Fanny

b. about 1790 NY

Charles McElroy, 62, laborer, and Fanny, 60, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them was Charles McElroy, 19, boatman. Listed in the dwelling immediately after them was the family of Isaac, 36, and Sarah, 37, McElroy.

---children of Charles McElroy & Fanny

- (poss) **Isaac McElroy**, b. about 1814; m. **Sarah -?-.**
- **Charles McElroy**, b. about 1831

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, taken Sep 1850, dwelling 2, family 2

McElroy, David

David McElroy
b. about 1821

m.

Phebe

b. about 1817

David McElroy, 29, laborer, and Phebe, 33, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them were: Elizabeth, 15; Charles, 13; Henry, 11; Mary, 9; Frances, 7; Delia, 5; James?, 3; George, 1.

---children of David McElroy & Phebe

- **Elizabeth McElroy**, b. about 1835
- **Charles McElroy**, b. about 1837
- **Henry McElroy**, b. about 1839
- **Mary McElroy**, b. about 1841
- **Frances McElroy**, b. about 1843
- **Delia McElroy**, b. about 1845
- **James McElroy**, b. about 1847
- **George McElroy**, b. about 1849

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, taken Sep 1850, dwelling 386, family 389

McElroy, George

George McElroy
son of
b. about 1800

m. 28 March 1825
Saddle River Ref Ch

Margret Lechlold [Litcholt?]

dau. of
b. about 1800

George McElroy, 50, farmer, and Margaret, 50, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them were: Susan?, 15; John, 13.

---children of George McElroy & Margaret Litcholt:

- **Susan McElroy**, b. about 1835
- **John McElroy**, b. about 1837

---Sources: Saddle River Reformed Church (Upper Saddle River, Bergen Co., NJ) Records, including gravestones inscriptions from the adjacent chyd (typescript), p. 17; 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, taken Sep 1850, dwelling 452, family 458; Marriage Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Saddle River, NJ 1813-1924, Online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>from Griffin, 1909, per Budke, in Budke Collection BC-50, from the translation made by The Rev. David Cole, D.D.

McElroy, George

George McElroy
b. 16 Oct 1844¹
d. 5 Jan 1903¹

m.

(poss) **Mary Osborne**

b. 29 Oct 1844¹
d.
buried

buried Viola United Methodist Chyd, Suffern, Rockland Co., NY¹

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone inscriptions and photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Viola United Meth Chyd, Suffern, NY: George McElroy, ts photo posted online);

McElroy, George Owen

George Owen McElroy
b. 12 Oct 1872
d. 15 May 1958 stroke

m.

Carrie

b.
d.
buried

buried 17 May 1958 Airmont Luth Cem, Airmont, NY

---children of George Owen McElroy & Carrie

- **Elizabeth J. McElroy**, b. 15 July 1893; bp. 20 March 1902 Airmont Luth Ch
- **John Henry McElroy**, b. 22 Aug 1895; bp. 20 March 1902 Airmont Luth Ch
- **George Bryan McElroy**, b. 6 Feb 1898; bp. 20 March 1902 Airmont Luth Ch
- **Charles Edward McElroy**, b. 11 Dec 1899; bp. 20 March 1902 Airmont Luth Ch; d. (poss) 28 Feb 1907; buried Ramapo Luth Cem

---Sources: Airmont Lutheran Church Baptisms 1877-1938, transcribed May 2005 by Pat Wardell; Airmont Luth Ch Burials 1885-1975, transcribed by Pat Wardell, online at <http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/airmont_lutheran_church_burials.html>

McElroy, Isaac

Isaac McElroy
son of (poss) Charles McElroy &
Fanny
b. about 1814 NY

m.

Sarah

dau. of
b. about 1813 NY

Isaac McElroy, 36, laborer, and Sarah, 37, were listed in the 1850 Federal Census, living in the Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY. Listed living with them were: George, 8; Evander, 7; Cornelius, 5.

---children of Isaac McElroy & Sarah

- **George McElroy**, b. about 1842 NY
- **Evander McElroy**, b. about 1843 NY
- **Cornelius McElroy**, b. about 1845 NY

---Sources: 1850 Federal Census, New York, Rockland County, Town of Ramapo, taken Sep 1850, dwelling 3, family 3

McElroy, John

John McElroy m. -?-
 ---children of John McElroy

• **Mary Young McElroy**, m. 5 Nov 1842 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah, **John D. Hennion**

---Sources: Ackerman, Herbert S., and Arthur J. Goff, [Records of the] Ramapo Reformed Church; Ramapo Lutheran Church, 1944 (reprint 1997 Bergen Historic Books)

McElroy, John H.

John H. McElroy m. **Mary J. Fox**
 b. about 1837 b. about 1839
 d. 16 Dec 1903 age 66.10.3¹ d. 19 Dec 1918 age 79.0.22¹
 buried Airmont Luth Cem, Suffern, Rockland Co., NY¹ buried Airmont Luth Ch Cem, Suffern, NY¹

John H. McElroy, 23, farmer, and Mary J., 21, were listed in the 1860 Federal Census, living in Hohokus Township, Bergen County, NJ. Listed living with them were: Emma L. McElroy, 2; Ellen Garrison, 9; and Elizabeth A. McElroy, 5/12. Living in the same dwelling, but a separate family, were: John Austin, 25, laborer, and Sarah, 23; and John W., 1.

---John H. McElroy & Mary J. Fox:

• **Emma L. McElroy**, b. about 1858; m. 15 Dec 1877 Airmont Luth Ch, **Adolphus Stuart**. He m. (2) about 1902 **Eizabeth** -?-

• **Elizabeth Ann McElroy**, b. about 1860; m. **James H. Carlough**

---Sources:

[1] Tombstone inscriptions and photos posted online at <<http://www.findagrave.com>> (Airmont Luth Cem, Suffern, NY: John H. McElroy and Mary J. Fox, his wife, sharing a stone, ts photo posted online);

1860 Federal Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, taken July 1860, dwelling 430, families 495 and 496; Airmont Luth Ch Burials 1885-1975, transcribed by Pat Wardell, online at <http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/airmont_lutheran_church_burials.html>

McElroy, Robert

Robert McElroy m. 11 June 1883 **Maggie (Helma?) (Hume?)**
 son of Airmont Luth Ch (both of Hillburn) dau. of

---Sources: Airmont Luth Ch Marriages 1876-1938, transcribed by Pat Wardell online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>;

McElroy, Robert F. (MacElroy)

Robert McElroy m. **Eva Hammond**
 b. 27 Feb 1884 Hillburn, NY
 d. 17 Jan 1947
 buried Ref. Ch. Cem., Upper Saddle River

They lived at 25 Franklin Turnpike, Allendale, Bergen Co., NJ 1943-1944. He lived on Woodland Avenue at the time of his death.

They also owned houses on Woodland Avenue: 41 Woodland Avenue (1943-1943), 57 Woodland Avenue (dates unknown), and 66 Woodland Avenue (1945-1951).

Living in Hohokus Township in June 1905 were a Robert McElroy, b. Jan 1884 NY, a moulder, his probable wife Eva McElroy, b. Aug 1885 NY, and their daughter, Margaret McElroy, b. Feb 1905 NJ (possibly identical to the McElroys who later lived in Allendale.

On 20 Feb 1943 the premises at 41 Woodland Avenue, previously owned by the Allendale Building & Loan Association, were conveyed to Robert F. and Eva MacElroy.

On 21 July 1943, the premises at 25 Franklin Turnpike, previously owned by L.S. Megnin, were conveyed to Robert McElroy and Eva McElroy.

On 16 July 1943 the premises at 41 Woodland Avenue were conveyed from Robert F. MacElroy and Eva MacElroy, to Andrew C. Robertson and Wanda F. Robertson.

---children of Robert F. MacElroy & Eva Hammond: (one son; two daughters)

---Sources: 1940 Allendale Borough Tax Appraisal; 1905 State Census, New Jersey, Bergen County, Hohokus Township, Dwelling #617, Family #681; Robert F. MacElroy obituary in *The Ramsey Journal* 23 Jan 1947

McElroy, Stewart Charles

Stewart Charles McElroy m. 8 Oct 1922 **Edith E. Weise**
 son of Airmont Luth Ch (he of Suffern, NY; she dau. of
 of Ramsey, NJ) b.

---Sources: Airmont Luth Ch Marriages 1876-1938, transcribed May 2005 by Pat Wardell online at <<http://www.dutchdoorgenealogy.com/>>;

McElroy, Thomas

Thomas McElroy m. **Sarah F.**

They were listed in the 1865 New Jersey State Census, living in Hohokus Township (probably in what became Mahwah or Upper Saddle River): Thomas McElroy, Sarah F. McElroy, Jacob M. McElroy, Hannah M. McElroy, Sarah E. McElroy, Thomas McElroy, Mary C. McElroy, Emma McElroy, and Judson C. McElroy.

---Sources: 1865 New Jersey State Census, Bergenb County, Hohokus Township (#209 Thomas McElroy and family)

McElroy, William

William McElroy
son of

m. 6 Oct 1834
by H. B. Hagerman,
Justice of the Peace

Jane Sturr
dau. of

In the marriage record, they were both "of Ramapo."

---Sources: Westervelt, Frances A., Bergen County New Jersey Marriage Records, 1929, p. 113

Unplaced McElroy Women:

Emma May Mc Elroy, m. 26 Nov 1905 Saddle River Ref Ch, **Winfield S. Blanch**. Both were of Stony Point, NY.

Witnesses to the marriage were Wm. Milsop and Mrs. Wm. Milsop.

Mary Muckeroy, m. 10 Dec 1811 Kakiat Ref Ch, **Martin Rose** of Ramapo

Sarah Matilda McElroy, of Saddle River, m. 24 Dec 1881 Airmont Luth Ch, **Abraham Hamilton Teller**

Susan McElroy, of Ramapo, m. 21 Oct 1851 Ramapo Ref Ch, Mahwah, **Henry Owan** (from England)