

## Edward R. Tolstead & Anna Peas

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Source of Information</b>
September 28, 1859	Edward is born in Illinois (Lee County?)	Ulrich's pension papers, July 4, 1898
July 26, 1860	8 mo old Edward (shown as Edmund) is living with parents (listed as Eldridge and Eliza Halsted) and 70 y/o Edward in Bradford, Lee County, Illinois	1860 Census M653 R198 P563
April 22, 1861	Anna Maud Peas is born in PA to German immigrants	1900 census T623 R917 P249  California Death Certificate (extract), Los Angeles County, Long Beach Certificate #203
August 8 1870	10 y/o Edward is living with parents and 4 brothers in Timber Creek, Jefferson Twp., Marshall County, Iowa. The name is spelled Holsted.	1870 Census M593 R410 P367
June 29, 1870	9 y/o Anna Peas is listed as born in Illinois to parents Joseph & Louisa, born in Germany. Two siblings are listed: Joseph (6 yrs), and William (1 yr). Both born in Illinois.	1870 census, Sparland, Marshall County, Illinois

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1880	<p>Edward is living with parents in Marshall County, Iowa</p> <p>18 y/o Anna Peas, born in PA is shown living with her mother Leona (Louise?), age 29 yrs (?) in the village of Sparlands, Marshall County, Illinois. Residing with them are 4 siblings: Joseph (14 yrs), William (10 yrs), Lucy (9 yrs) and Francis (female, 6 yrs).</p> <p>19 y/o Anna Peas, born in PA of parents from Prussia is also listed as being a servant and residing with 21 y/o farm laborer Martin Starling (b. in Illinois). Above this entry in the census are a 52 y/o farmer, Andrew Smith, and his 77 y/o mother, Wilhelmina Smith, both of Scotland. It is quite reasonable to assume that Anna and Martin both worked for the Smiths.</p>	<p>1880 Census T9 R355 P51</p> <p>1880 Census T9 R234 P268</p> <p>1880 Census T9 R294 P263</p>
1885	25 y/o Edward resides in Jefferson Township, Marshall County Iowa with his parents, 4 brothers and two sisters.	1885 Iowa State Census Roll IA1885_231
1885	24 y/o wife of M. Starling, a farmer with two sons, Rolin 4, Arthur 1. Garfield, Decatur County, Kansas	1885 Kansas State Census

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December 8, 1892	Married to Mrs. Annie M. Starling in Lancaster County, Nebraska. Annie is listed as having been born in Illinois, the daughter of Joseph Peas and Louise.	Marriage certificate
July 1895	Enrolled 3 children in school in Buffalo County Nebraska: Rollin (14 yrs), Arthur (12 yrs), and Clark(?) (8 yrs)	Census report of Director to County Superintendent
July 1896	Enrolled 4 children in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska: Rolin Starling (15yrs), Arthur Starling (13 yrs), Clark(?) Starling (9yrs), and Florence Tolstedt (5 yrs)	Census report of Director to County Superintendent
1900	Residing with wife "Anna", born in April of 1861. ). Anna is listed as being the mother of 6 children. Living with Edward and Anna are Florence A. (b. March 1892), Ruth E. (March 1898), and Bernice E. (March 1899). All girls are listed as having fathers born in Illinois and mother's born in PA.	1900 Census T623 R917 P249
	<a href="#">No evidence of a divorce in Buffalo County</a>	<a href="#">Buffalo County Clerk of Court</a>
<a href="#">12 Jan 1909</a>	Anna marries August Bartz in Long Beach California	Sunday State Journal, January 14, 1909, Lincoln, Nebraska  <a href="#">Date not documented</a>
April 10, 1910	Anna is living in Long Beach, California with new husband August Bartz and her daughters Ruth and Bernice.	1910 Census T624 R85 P181

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April 21, 1910	Resides in Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota with the Robinson Family. He is listed as a "brother-in-law"	1910 Census T624 R1477 P28
May 26, 1910	Applied to Dept of Interior for Homestead in Timberlake, Dewey County, SD. Listed as living in Eagle Butte	Final Proof, Homestead Entry
May 24, 1913	Annie dies in Long Beach, California when a Municipal Auditorium collapses.	California Death Certificate (extract), Los Angeles County, Long Beach Certificate #203
June 2, 1913	Anna is buried in the Long Beach Municipal Cemetery	<a href="#">Christina McKillip</a>
December 14, 1914	Homestead becomes officially his. He is listed as living in Aberdeen. He also lists himself as "a divorced person, she who was my wife is now deceased"	Final Proof, Homestead Entry
April 2, 1915	The homestead in Dewey County was sold to Walter Van Brocklin.	Grandon Tolstedt
September 16, 1916	Edward is the informant on his daughter Ruth's death certificate, Aberdeen	South Dakota Department of History, Division of Census and Vital Statistics, Standard Certificate of Death for Physicians #49455
1920	Residing with daughter Florence and her family in Hebron, Jefferson County, Wisconsin	1920 Census T624 R1989 P102
<a href="#">Sometime in the 20s</a>	<a href="#">Living in Cumberland (Barron County), WI</a>	<a href="#">WL Tolstead</a>

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1927	Moved to Okmulgee to be with sister	Obituary: Okmulgee Daily Times – Democrat, 7/6/1930
April 7, 1930	70 living with sister Bertha and Joseph Everett. Listed as brother-in-law, in Okmulgee, Oklahoma	1930 Census
July 4, 1930	Dies of heart failure in Okmulgee, Oklahoma. Buried in Okmulgee Cemetery in plot owned by brother-in-law J.H. Everett.	Okmulgee Cemetery Association Burial Permit.

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## *Edward and Annie's Children*

### **Florence A.**

March 1892	Born in Nebraska	1900 Census T623
	Born in Lancaster County, Nebraska	
July 1896	Age 5 years, enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
6/11/1900	Living in Valley Township, Buffalo, Nebraska	1900 Census T623 R917 P249
4/19/1910	Living in Des Moines with Mary Antoinette Tolstedt Rice and her family	1910 Census T624 R420 P216
1/23/1917	John Hauser is residing in Brown County, South Dakota. Florence meets him there.	WWI Draft Registration Obituary
9/6/1917	Marries John Peter Hauser, Monroe, Green County, Wisconsin	Marriage Record, State of Wisconsin, Monroe Courthouse Vol 10 Pg 240
Jan 1920	Living in Wisconsin (Hebron, Jefferson County, Wisconsin) with husband, 2 daughters and father	1920 Census T625 R1989 P102
5/26/1927	Dies near Whitewater, Wisconsin (5 children)	Obituary

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### Ruth Esther

March 15, 1894	Born in Sheldon, Nebraska	South Dakota, Department of History, Division of Census and Vital Statistics, Standard Certificate of Death for Physicians #49455
6/11/1900	Living in Valley Township, Buffalo, Nebraska with parents and 2 sisters	1900 Census T623 R917 P249
4/20/1910	Residing with her mother, sister Bernice and step-father in Long Beach, California	1910 Census T624 R85 P181
9/17/1916	Dies in Brown County, age 22 years, of "leakage of the heart following rheumatic fever". Father Edward was the informant.	South Dakota Death Index, 1905-1955 #49455  South Dakota, Department of History, Division of Census and Vital Statistics, Standard Certificate of Death for Physicians #49455  Aberdeen Daily American, Sept 19, 1916 obituary.

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**Bernice E.**

March 1899	Born in Nebraska	1900 Census T623 T623 R917 P249
6/11/1900	Living in Valley Township, Buffalo, Nebraska	1900 Census T623 T623 R917 P249
4/20/1910	Residing with her mother, sister Ruth and step-father August Bartz in Long Beach, California	1910 Census T624 R85 P181
9/16/16	Residing in Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota with her father and sister Ruth.	Ruth's obituary, Aberdeen Daily American, Sept 19, 1916.
1/19/1920	Residing in Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota – listed as a 19 y/o lodger with no occupation	1920 Census T625 R1715 P36
7/6/1930	Not listed in fathers obituary	



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## *The Starlings*

### **Martin Starling**

2/10/1858	Born in LaPrairie, Marshall County, Illinois Parents: William Starling and Eliza Rulison, sibs, Edgar, Emma, Rollin, Julia	Family Search International Genealogical Index V5.0 North America
1/10/1860	Born in Hallock, Peoria County, IL (Note: Hallock is in Iroquois County)	The Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Ancestral File ®, Copyright 1987, June 1998, data as of January 1998, file #50V6-21
9/20/1880	Martin Starling & Anna Pies marry  Marshall County, Illinois (Groom is from LaPrairie, Bride is from Sparland)	Marshall County Certificate of Record of Marriage
1885	26 y/o living with wife and sons, Rolin 4 y/o and Arthur 1 y/o in Garfield, Decatur County, Kansas. Listed as a farmer.	1885 Kansas State Census
?? 1910	52 y/o married male, born in Illinois, boarder, stationary engineer, Kern County, California	1910 Census T624 R78 P248
1/22/1920	63 y/o divorced male, born in Illinois, engineer, Kern County, California	1920 Census T625 R100 P67

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6/26/1925	Dies in LA county (note: listed as divorced)	California Death Certificate (extract)  Los Angeles County Certificate #2966  (no obit found)
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### Rollin Starling

Abt 1881	Born in Sparland, Illinois to Annie Pease and Martin Starling	The Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Ancestral File ®, Copyright 1987, June 1998, data as of January 1998, file #50V6-21
1/12/1881	Birth date	World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, Ancestry.com Roll 1711696
1885	4 y/o Rolin living with his parents and 1 y/o brother Arthur in Garfield, Decatur, Kansas	1885 Kansas State Census
July 1895	Age 14 years – enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
July 1896	Age 15 years – enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
6/21/1900	19 y/o servant/farm laborer, living in Jackson Twp, Hall County, Nebraska	1900 Census T623 R929 P280
11/18/1903	Rollin F. Starling marries Althea Cooper in Shelton, Buffalo County, Nebraska	Marriage License, State of Nebraska, Buffalo County
9/12/1918	Rollin Ferman Starling born 12 Jan 1881 Residing in Grand Island, Hall County, Nebraska	World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918, Ancestry.com Roll 1711696
1/24/1920	39 y/o residing with wife Althea and 3 children (a daughter and 2 sons) in Julesburg, Sedwick,	1920 Census T625 R171 P130

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	Colorado	
1930	49 y/o residing with wife Altha and 3 sons in Julesburg, Sedwick, Colorado. He is listed as being self-employed as a welder.	1930 Census

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**Arthur Starling**

Abt 1883	Born in Norcatur, Decatur County, Kansas	The Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Ancestral File ®, Copyright 1987, June 1998, data as of January 1998, file #50V6-21
1885	1 y/o Arthur living with his parents and older brother in Garfield, Decatur County, Kansas	1885 Kansas State Census
July 1895	Age 12 years – enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
July 1896	Age 13 years – enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
6/19/1900	19 y/o living as a servant, Valley Twp, Buffalo County, Nebraska	1900 Census T623 R917 P250

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### Claud Starling

10/22/1885	<p>Claud Vernon Starling born in Kansas to Pease and Starling</p> <p>Born in Norcatur, Decatur County, Kansas to Pease and Starling</p> <p>Birth in Norcatur, Kansas</p>	<p>California Death Records 1940-1997, Rootsweb</p> <p>The Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Ancestral File ®, Copyright 1987, June 1998, data as of January 1998, file #50V6-21</p> <p>Marriage License, State of Nebraska, Hall County</p>
August 13, 1888	Minnie Stover is born in Missouri (parents Stover and Philips)	California Death Index, 1940-1997, Ancestry.com
July 1895	Age 8 years – enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
July 1896	Age 9 years – enrolled in school in Buffalo County, Nebraska	Census Report of Director to County Superintendent, Buffalo County, Nebraska
12/16/1905	Claud Vernon Starling marries Caroline Matthiesen	Marriage License, State of Nebraska, Hall County
4/21/1910	23 y/o Claud living in Grand Island as a “roomer”, born in Nebraska	1910 Census T624 R847 P46

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5/24/1913	CV Starling was the informant listed on his mothers death certificate in Long Beach, California	California Death Certificate (extract), Los Angeles County, Long Beach Certificate #203
1/5/1920	Residing in Kearney, Buffalo County, Nebraska with wife Minnie, 4 daughters (born in MO, OK and KS), 1 step daughter, 1 stepson. Manager of a radiator repair shop. (note, it is unclear which children are Minnie's and which are Claud's. Ages: 14, 13, and 8. 10 and 8)	1920 Census T625 R980 P176
1922	Move to California, L.A. County	California Death Certificate (extract)

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1924-1950	Claud is listed in the voters registration. His wife Minnie is listed beginning 1926 through 1948	California Voters Registrations 1900-1918, Los Angeles County, Index to Register of Voters, Long Beach City Precinct (Precinct #s and years as follows: 1924 -- #30, 1926--#196, 1928 - - #198, 1930 -- #11,1934 -- #144, 1936 - - #250, 1942 -- #217, 1944 -- #17, 1946 - - #17, 1948 -- #17, 1950 -- #17, 1952 -- #15, 1954
4/10/1930	Residing in Long Beach City, Los Angeles County with wife Minnie and 17 y/o step daughter. Mechanic in an auto garage.	1930 Census
February 11, 1948	Minnie dies	California Death Index, 1940-1997, Ancestry.com
6/24/1959	Claud Vernon Starling dies	California Death Records 1940-1997, Rootsweb  California Death Certificate (extract)