

**Individual Narrative of Charles⁸ William Leveridge [408]
Son of Benjamin⁷ Chase Leveridge [206] and Mary Ann Van Pelt
Husband of Annis Hillman**

Charles William Leveridge was born 20 July 1848 probably in Westfield, Union County, New Jersey but possibly in Manhattan, New York County, New York. The various census records give mixed results on the State Charles was born in: 1850, 1860, 1880, 1915, 1930 New York; 1855, 1900, 1910, 1920 New Jersey. Charles' father Benjamin Chase Leveridge was living in Westfield in 1858.^{1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10}

Charles W. Leveridge, age 2, was recorded in the 1850 U. S. Census of Manhattan Ward 7 District 1, New York County, New York. Charles was living with his parents and various siblings.¹¹

Charles W. Leveridge, age 6, was recorded in the 1855 New York State Census of Manhattan Ward 7, New York County. Charles was living with his parents and various siblings.¹²

Charles W. Leveridge, age 11, was recorded in the 1860 U. S. Census of Manhattan Ward 7 District 2, New York County, New York. Charles was living with his parents and various siblings.¹³

Charles W. Leveridge was not found in the 1870 U. S. Census. However, Charles was listed in the 1870 New York City Directory, stationer 78 Nassau, home 153 East Broadway. Charles' brother John H. Leveridge and his father Benjamin Chase Leveridge were also listed as living at 153 East Broadway.¹⁴

Charles William Leveridge married Annis Hillman 25 June 1872 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. The marriage record does not use Charles' middle name.^{15,16}

Annis Hillman was born 23 December 1849 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Annis was the daughter of Samuel T. and Annis Hillman who were living in Manhattan Ward 10 in the 1850 U. S. Census.¹⁷

After their marriage, Charles W. Leveridge and his wife Annis relocated to Albany, Albany County, New York. An infant daughter, Annis F. Leveridge, died as an infant 1 July 1873 in Albany.¹⁸

Charles W. Leveridge, a cabinet maker at 35 Hamilton, was living at 194 North Pearl in the 1878 Albany NY City Directory. Charles' brother Albert J. Leveridge was listed in the same directory living at 207 North Pearl.¹⁹

C. W. Leveridge, age 31 manufacturer of refrigerators, his wife Annie, age 30, and their son Charles H., age 4, were recorded in the 1880 U. S. Census of Albany, Albany County, New York. They were living at 200 North Pearl.²⁰

The 1881 Albany NY City Directory lists Charles W. Leveridge with the annotation "removed to New York."²¹

Charles W. Leveridge was listed in the 1887 Plainfield NJ City Directory, bookkeeper living at 48 East 6th Street.²²

Charles W. Leveridge, age 53 Electrical Supplies, was recorded in the 1900 U. S. Census of Brooklyn Ward 23, Kings County, New York living at 314 Sumner Avenue. Charles' household included his wife Annie H., age 50, and children: Charles H, age 24; Rowland H., age 18; Walter J., age 16; and Mary A., age 11.²³

Charles W. Leveridge, age 61 Electrician, supply dealer, was recorded in the 1910 U. S. Census of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey living at 828 Sherman Avenue. Charles' household included his wife Annis, age 60, and children: Rowland H., age 29, and Mary A., age 21.²⁴

Charles W. Leveridge, age 67, and his wife Annis, age 66, were recorded in the 1915 New Jersey State Census of Plainfield Ward 3 District 4, Union County, New Jersey. There appears to be an error in the record which gives the street address as 828 Grant Avenue. It should be 828 Sherman Avenue.²⁵



Charles W. Leveridge – Photo Provided by Robert E. Lynn of Sommerville, New Jersey

Charles W. Leveridge, age 71 electrical supplies store, and his wife Annis H., age 70, were recorded in the 1920 U. S. Census of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey living at 828 Sherman Avenue.²⁶

Annis (Hillman) Leveridge died 6 February 1922 in Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey. Annis was buried at Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York.²⁷

Charles W. Leveridge, age 66 (incorrect), was recorded in the 1930 U. S. Census of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey. Charles is living with his son Walter J. Leveridge, age 46, and Walter's family at 828 Sherman Avenue. The census taker incorrectly gave Charles the given name of Walter, but identified him as the father of Walter, which made him Charles.²⁸

Charles William Leveridge died on 14 May 1931 at Deland, Volusia, Florida, at age 82.^{29,30,31}

Charles W. Leveridge and Annis Hillman had five children, four of whom survived until adulthood.

- i. Annis F. Leveridge died as an infant 1 July 1873 in Albany, Albany County, New York.³²
- ii. Charles Herbert Leveridge (records cite only middle initial, but ancestry.com public family trees cite middle name of Herbert without citing a source) was born 25 July 1875 in Albany, Albany County, New York. Charles married Annabelle Haradon 25 April 1910 in Manhattan, New York County, New York. Charles died 21 October 1945 at the Marine Hospital in Staten Island, Richmond County, New York. Charles was buried at Greenwood cemetery in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Charles was recorded in the 1880 U. S. Census of Albany County, New York; 1900 and 1920 Kings County, New York; the 1915 New York State Census of Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey; 1925 Kings County, New York.^{33,34,35,36,37,38,39,40,41,42}

- iii. Rowland Hillman Leveridge was born 7 October 1880 in Albany, Albany County, New York. Rowland married for the first time Ruch C. Pasco (? Widow Sauls ?) on 3 September 1900. They were divorced circa 1910. Rowland married for the second time Lottie G. Vorhees 14 May 1910. They were divorced circa 1923. Rowland married for the third time Elsie Marie Van Denburg circa 1923-1927. Rowland died 20 March 1927 in Point Pleasant, Ocean County, New Jersey. Rowland was recorded in U.S. Census records 1900 Kings County, New York; 1910 and 1920 Union County, New Jersey; 1905 New York State Census Kings County; 1915 New Jersey State Census Union County.^{43,44,45,46,47,48,49,50,51,52,53,54,55,56}
- iv. Walter Johnson Leveridge was born 29 August 1883 in Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey. Walter married Emma Bulman in 1909 in New Jersey (Robert Lynn, a grandson, gives a marriage date of 19 January 1908). Walter died 12 October 1938 in Spotsylvania County, Virginia. Walter suffered a heart attack while traveling by train with his wife to Florida. Walter was buried in Greenwood Cemetery in Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Walter was recorded in the 1900 and 1910 U. S. Census of Kings County, New York; 1920 and 1930 Union County, New Jersey.^{57,58,59,60,61,62,63,64,65,66}
- v. Mary Annis Leveridge was born circa December 1888 in Plainfield, Union County, New Jersey. Mary married first William Johnston Jr. 25 November 1913 in Plainfield. William died circa 1915. Mary married second William Henry Jones circa 1915-1930 place unknown. Mary married third Everett E. White 23 June 1930 in Volusia County, Florida. Mary died 13 March 1953 in Deland, Volusia County, Florida. Mary was buried in the Oakdale Cemetery in Deland. Mary was recorded in the 1900 U. S. Census of Kings County, New York; 1910 Union County, New Jersey; 1940 and 1950 Volusia County, Florida.^{67,68,69,70,71,72,73,74,75}

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