

Descendants of Arthur Charles Bittorf

1-**Arthur Charles Bittorf**, son of **Johann Carl Bittorf** and **Frederike Bender**, was born on Jun 6, 1888 and died on Mar 4, 1936 in Richmond County, NY.

- Address: 1910-1930.
1910 - 335 E 69th St, Manhattan, New York, New York
1913 - 1040 Second Ave, Manhattan, NY
1917 - 309 Brighton, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
1920 - 369 Tyrell St, Tottenvill, Richmond, New York (St name may not be Tyrell)
1930 - 151 Lee Ave, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
- He was employed from 1910 to 1930.
1910 - billing clerk, gas company
1913 - plumber
1917 - telephone installer
1920 - sign maker (can't be right?)
1930 - telephone installer

Arthur married **Dorothy Fischer**, daughter of **George Charles Fischer** and **Mathilde Eichler**, on May 8, 1913 in Manhattan, NY. Dorothy was born about 1893 in New York, USA and died on May 2, 1957 in Orangetown Twp, Rockland County, NY. They had two children: **Dorothy Mabel** and **Edith**.

- Address: 1900-1940.
1900 - 332 E 52nd St, Manhattan, NY
1910-1913 - 325 E 69th St, Manhattan, NY
1920 - 369 Tyrell (?) St, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
1930-1940 - 151 Lee Ave, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
- She was employed in 1910.
1910 - addressing, publishing company

2-**Dorothy Mabel Bittorf** was born on Jul 1, 1917 in Tottenville, NY, died on May 22, 1999 in Middlesex, NJ, and was buried on May 26, 1999 in Clover Leaf Memorial Park, Woodbridge, NJ.

- Address: 1920-1999.
1920 - 369 Tyrell St, Tottenvill, Richmond, New York (St name may not be Tyrell)
1930-1940 - 151 Lee Ave, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
1947-1999 - 38 W Park Ave, Avenel, Middlesex, NJ
- She was employed in 1940.
1940 - typist, insurance company
- Her obituary was published in the Star-Ledger on May 24, 1999 in Newark, Essex, New Jersey, USA.
Dorothy M. Russell, high school secretary
A funeral service for Mrs. Dorothy M. Russell, 81, of the Avenel section of Woodbridge Township will be held at a time to be announced on Wednesday in the Costello-Koyen Funeral Home, 399 Avenel St., Avenel.
Entombment will take place at Cloverleaf Memorial Park, Woodbridge.
Mrs. Russell died Saturday in Raritan Bay Medical Center, Perth Amboy.
She was a secretary for the Woodbridge Township Board of Education in the guidance department at John F. Kennedy High School, Iselin, for 14 years before retiring in 1978.
Mrs. Russell was a member of the Avenel Golden Circle Senior Citizens Club and a former member of the Eastern Star, Americus Chapter 37, Woodbridge.
Born in Tottenville, N.Y., she settled in Avenel 52 years ago.
Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Gail R. Fisher and Joan D.; a son, Paul W. Jr., and seven grandchildren.
Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Route 1, North Brunswick, N.J.

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Dorothy married **Paul William Russell**, son of **Francis Andrew "Frank" Russell** and **Edith H Schnibbe**. Paul was born on Mar 11, 1915 in Manhattan, NY and died on Oct 25, 1992 in Middlesex, NJ. They had three children: **Gail Edith**, **Joan Doris**, and **Paul W**.

- Address: 1940-1993.
1940 - 151 Lee Ave, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
1947-1993 - 38 W Park Ave, Avenel, Middlesex, NJ
- He was employed from 1940 to 1978.
1940 - stenographer, National Lead Co
? - 1946 Eastern Airlines
1944-1946 - US Navy
1946-1978 - National Lead Company, retired in 1978 as Eastern Region warehouse manager
- Military: 1944-1946.
1944-1946 Y2c, US Navy

April 25, 1944 - Induction Date and reported for active duty in the US Navy. Served aboard the USS Antietam CV-36 Aircraft Carrier ... Company 1324 ... Rank: Y2c(T) (Yeoman Second Class).

June 12, 1946 - Received his Honorable Discharge from the Navy

2-**Edith Bittorf** was born on Feb 28, 1920 in Staten Island, NY and died on Jan 6, 2008 in Staten Island, NY.

- Address: 1930-1940.
1930-1940 - 151 Lee Ave, Tottenville, Richmond, New York
- She was employed in 1940.
1940 - typist, insurance company
- Her obituary was published in the Staten Island Advance on Jan 10, 2008 in Staten Island, NY. Staten Island Advance (NY) - January 10, 2008
Deceased Name: EDITH SWEETMAN , 87
Date of Death:
01/06/2008
Tottenville resident was active in community
Edith Sweetman, 87, who lived in the same house in Tottenville her entire life, died Sunday in Staten Island University Hospital, Ocean Breeze.
As a child, the former Edith Bittorf and her sister, Doris, loved visiting her family's summer home in Mount Tremper, N.Y. and Esopus Creek upstate. She spoke of it often, and enjoyed returning to the area later in life.
A 1938 graduate of Tottenville High School, Mrs. Sweetman worked for Home Insurance Co., Brooklyn, and later at National Lead's titanium division in Sayreville, N.J., and in Manhattan. While her children were in school, she was actively involved as president of the PS 1 PTA, and a board member of the Tottenville High School PTA. After her children were grown, she returned to work in 1969 at the Arthur Kill Rehabilitation Center, which later became the Arthur Kill Correctional Facility. She retired in 1983 as executive secretary to the superintendent. "She was an extremely honest and generous person," said her daughter, Jill Berger. "She lived her life as she was taught by her mother: To be kind to animals and those less fortunate than you."
Mrs. Sweetman's children fondly recalled her adoption of stray cats and rescue of a baby bird that had fallen from its nest. She was a member of the Humane Society and the ASPCA, and enjoyed feeding the wildlife in and around her yard.

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Mrs. Sweetman spoke fondly of her friends and neighbors, as they did of her, and her friendly phone calls will be missed, her family said.

Mrs. Sweetman particularly enjoyed spending time with her children; grandchildren Stephen and Kaitlyn Berger; nieces and nephews, and daughter- and son-in-law, Eva Sweetman and Stephen Berger.

She was an original charter member of the former Tottenville Yacht Club, which was destroyed by fire in 1964. She also was a charter member of the South Shore Swim Club.

Mrs. Sweetman was a member of the Tottenville AARP chapter, the Mount Loretto Friendship Club and worshiped at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Tottenville.

Her husband of 49 years, Jack, died in 1997.

In addition to her daughter, Jill, and her grandchildren, surviving are her two sons, Jack R. and Robert.

Arrangements, including cremation, were handled by the Bedell-Pizzo Funeral Home, Tottenville.

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Edith married **Jack Sweetman**, son of **Robert Sweetman** and **Eva Unknown**, on Sep 13, 1947. Jack was born on Dec 29, 1920 in Richmond County, NY and died on May 11, 1997 in Richmond County, NY. They had three children: **Jill**, **Jack Richard**, and **Robert**.

- Address: 1940.
1940 - 317 Burkart Ave, Staten Island, Richmond, NY
- He was employed in 1940.
1940 - mail clerk, newspaper
- Military: US Navy, 1942-1946.