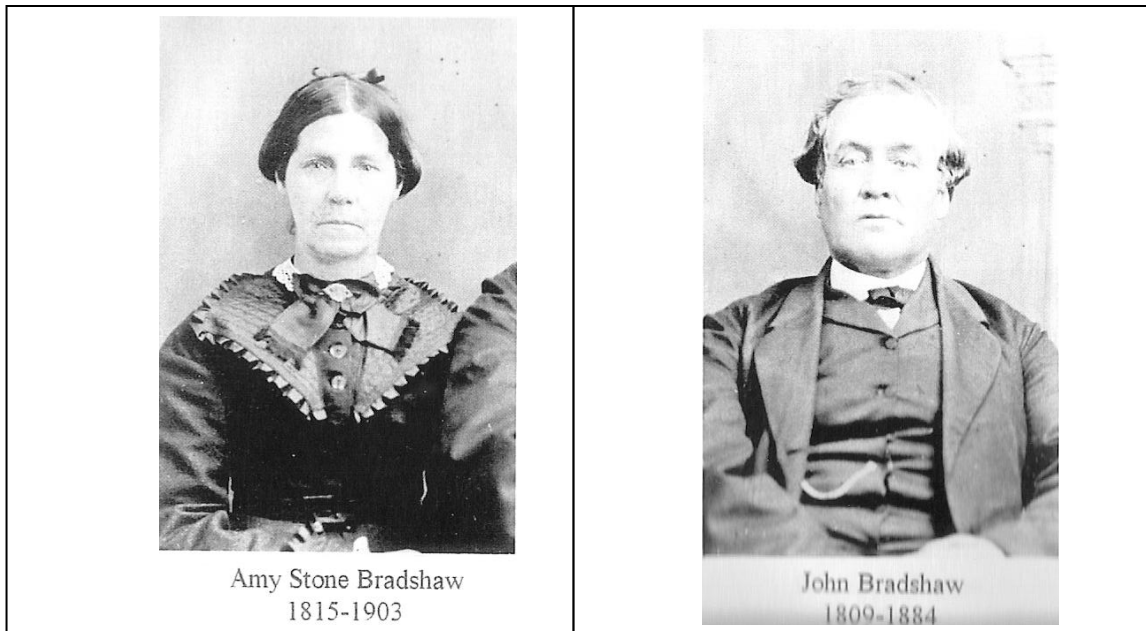


Amy Stone and John Bradshaw



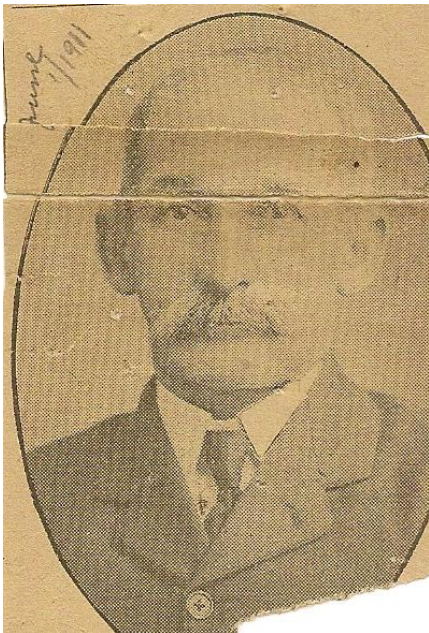
- Amy was eldest child of Judson and Polly Turrell Stone.
- 1st Lived on Judson's Farm Property on Stone Street
- Moved to Bradshaw Farm (on SR367 just below Lane Rd):



- The first Bible entries appear to have been made in about 1850, probably by Amy Stone in this house.

Bradshaw Children (generation 3)

- Flora (married Carr Watson)
- Salmon (married Arletta Granger and Vestina Dayton)
- Myron (married Charlotte Stone, Walker Stone's Granddaughter)
- Judson (married Charlotte Baker)
- Amarillas (married Byron Carrington Handrick; the Altmann line)
- John Miner (married Mary O. Stone, Walker Stone's Granddaughter)
- Amy Polly (died young)
- **Vesta Annette Bradshaw (1857-1916) (married Wellington E. Ball, her 2nd cousin once removed via Garrad Stone)**



Wellington (“Wellie”) Ball (1855-1911)

Amy Stone (Vesta's mother) lived with Vesta on the Bradshaw farm after John Bradshaw's passing in 1884. **Amy died in 1903 and the Bible stayed with Vesta and Wellington Ball.**

Where did the Bible go after Vesta Bradshaw Ball died in 1916?

Vesta and Wellington Ball had 8 children:

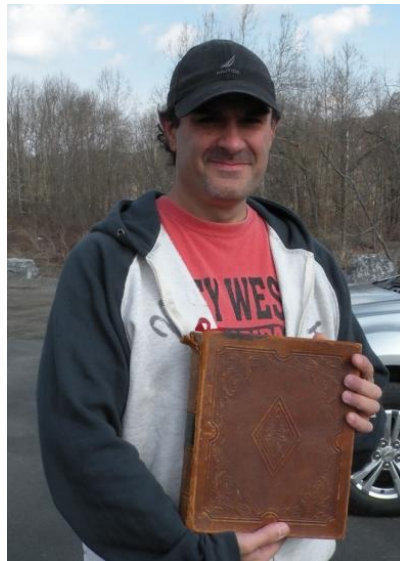
Frank (m Jennie Royce), Flora (m Brainard), Amy (m Edward Birchard), Edward (m Cora Brink), Ida (m George Dayton), Rilla (m George Dayton), Arlene (died young), Marshall (m Maude Congdon), and Clayton (m Edith Hughes).

The Bible apparently passed on to eldest daughter Flora Louise Ball. Flora married at age 40 and they had no children. The last marriage entered in the Bible was Flora Ball and James Brainard in 1921.

The last four entries in Bible were the deaths of Ida Dayton, Flora Ball Brainard, Edward Ball, and Maude M. Ball On 2/2/1943.

Location of the Bible for the next 60+ years is unknown, but fortunately it was kept in very good condition.

Christopher and Kimberly Altmann live in East Meredith, NY. Chris descends from Amarillas Bradshaw, daughter of Amy Stone and John Bradshaw. His line went from Amarillas to Clayton Handrick, to Dorothy Rilla Handrick, to Peter Handrick Altmann, Chris' father. We are all fortunate that Chris saw the Bible advertised by an antique dealer in Owego, NY, recognized its significance and purchased it. Chris and his wife Kim live now live in East Meredith, NY and donated the Bible to the Stone Family Reunion in 2011.



Thank you Christopher Altmann!!

(A printed narrative about the Bible is available upon request, which includes descriptions of every entry, the newspaper clippings, and the calligraphy found interspersed in the Bible pages.)