[Smith, Buel Goodsell]

Buel Goodsell, son of Reuben [and Lydia Remington] Smith, was born at China, now Arcade, New York, April 1, 1826, died October 27, 1887. He was educated in the district schools, and followed farming at Yorkshire Center, Cattaraugus county, New York, all his active life. In politics Mr. Smith was a Republican, after that party was formed; in religion he was a Universalist. He married Lucy E., daughter of Richard and Eleanor (Wood) Thornton. Samuel Thornton, father of Richard, was a soldier in the Revolution, as was also Barnard Wood, father of Eleanor (Wood) Thornton, a descendant of John Thornton, a colleague of Roger Williams in the settlement of Providence, Rhode Island. Children of Buel Goodsell [and Lucy E. Thornton] Smith: 1. Enos F., born September 13, 1846, died in infancy. 2. Emma A., born June 13, 1848; married C. C. Pingrey, living at Delevan, N.Y. 3. Lydia H., born March 25, 1851, died March 21, 1896; married F. J. Cluny. 4. Buel R., born August 24, 1853; now living at Pike, Wyoming county, New York. 5. Flora E., born October 14, 1855; now living at East Aurora, New York; married M. C. Langmade. 6. William V., born August 6, 1857; now living at Flint, Michigan. 7. Jasper E., born in Yorkshire, Cattaraugus county, New York, January 22, 1860; [married at Olean on May 6, 1891 to Mary Louise Lee]. 8. Jessie E., born March 14, 1863; living at Franklinville, New York; married Edward Rowland. 9. Cora E., born March 15, 1867; living at Delevan, New York; married ____ Pingrey. 10. Earl, born March 24, 1869, died in infancy.

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