

# HADLEY NEWSLETTER

(Hadley, Headley, Hadlee, Hadly, Hadleigh, etc and their related kin)

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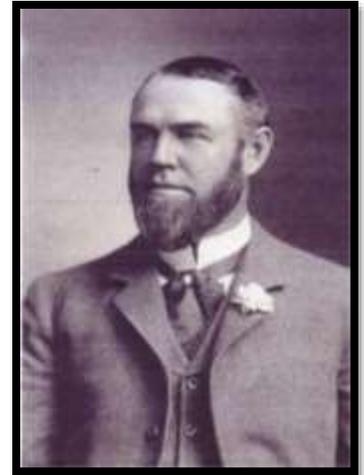
## Please meet Everest Wells Hadley:

Everest (1856-1933) was the only child born to Dr Elijah and Isabella (Smith) Hadley in Chicago, Illinois, where his father was a successful and prominent dentist. Everest was a young boy when his father was commissioned a Lieutenant in the American Civil War.

Everest, known as EW, spent much of his adult life on the West Coast of the US and it was there he acquired prominence and his wealth in a number of business ventures.

It was there he built a 41-room home, along with home for his children. His own home included a "turn table" in his garage. This was a reflection of his association with the railroads and allowed him the luxury of not having to back out of his garage. It was there his wife was also murdered.

We think you will find the attached biographical profile of Everest and his family interesting and worth your time reading his biographical profile found at [www.hadleygenealogy.com](http://www.hadleygenealogy.com). Open this link and click on the fifth button of the left side, (*Hadley Family News*). The article titled "*E W Hadley Biography, pdf*" will be toward the top. We appreciate the efforts of William Hadley for his research, and for writing this biographical profile of his relatives.



Everest Wells Hadley

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## Hadley marrying a Hadley?

**Question:** When a male Hadley and a female Hadley marry, is that legal?

**Answer:** There is not an easy or universal answer to that question. The best answer we can develop is – it depends. After reading various definitions of incest, we have not found **any** marriages within our Hadley family that would be classified as incest.

However, our research has revealed, there have been a number of male Hadleys marrying female Hadleys, although those marriages would definitely not be classified as incest. Some examples are:

1. Thomas Hadley (1820–1901) marrying Frances Jane Hadley (1827- ?), 1<sup>st</sup> cousins and both were born and lived in Canada.
2. Josiah Hadley (1821-1905) marrying Judith Ann Hadley (1839-1903.) Both were born in Canada and were 2<sup>nd</sup> cousin.
3. Charles Archibald Hadley 1855-1944) marrying Esther Hadley. (We suspect Esther had previously been married to a Hadley since Hadley was not her maiden name).

4. Philip Norman Hadley (1928- 2001). His second marriage was to a woman who had previously been married to a Hadley and who is still living.
5. We know of one living couple; she was born a Hadley and he changed his sir name to Hadley.
6. Gilman Hadley (1809-1889) in 1834 married his cousin Rachel Morgan Hadley (1817-1888).
7. Ezekiel Hadley (1823-1898). In 1855 his second marriage was to his cousin Amanda Edwards (1849-1882) whose mother was Nancy M Hadley (1805-1864).
8. Franklin Hadley (1835-1917) married his first cousin Sabra B Hadley (1834-1906). Both were born and married in Goffstown, NH in 1860 and where they lived their entire lives.
9. Edward Amos Hadley (1866-1941) married his second cousin Emma M Hadley (1866-1955). Both were raised in Hillsborough County, New Hampshire, but in different towns.

Another interesting situation of a Hadley marrying a Hadley is as follows:

A male Hadley divorced his first wife and she then married a relative of his. In doing so, she retained her married name of Hadley. This male Hadley then remarried and divorced his second wife and she too remarried a Hadley relative. This provides for the two ex-wives becoming related to each other. It is not known if these two wives are friendly to each other or have ever made the connection that they are now related to each other. (Some of these Hadleys are still living so no names are being used).

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### Hadleyville, Nova Scotia, Canada:

For those interested in seeing a current view of Hadleyville Nova Scotia, click on the link:

<https://earth.google.com/web/search/Hadleyville,+NS/@45.46554539,-61.27934938,32.54497528a,0d,25.5715926y,257.1630235h,89.20891057t,0r/data=CnoaUBJKiUweDRiNWNkZDQ5MTFIMzhkMTE6MHgzMDM2Zjk1MmJiMTIyM2M2GWgibHh6u0ZAIRADXfsCpE7AKg9IYWRSZlX2aWxsZSwgTIMYASABliYKJAnowiFS9Bw1QBHlwiFS9Bw1wBkKx7ngTfxAQCHMQp6K2ERRwClachZFUjdtTFISchIyNDI1d0trX1dWVm1BEA> that has been forwarded to us by Jim Hillyer, a Canadian who is part of our Hadley family and living in British Columbia. Thanks Jim, for sending us the link.

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*"I predict future happiness for Americans if they can prevent the government from wasting the labors of the people, under the pretense of taking care of them." Thomas Jefferson*

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