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Introduction

The Town of Hempstead, for the most part, is located on the only plain east of the Appalachian Mountains. The boundaries of the approximately sixty thousand-acre Hempstead Plains roughly corresponds in the North to the present-day villages of New Hyde Park, Garden City, Garden City Park, Mineola, Carle Place, Westbury, and New Cassel; Sunrise Highway to the South; and from eastern Queens County in New York City to just east of the Nassau/Suffolk County border.¹ When early settlers first viewed the Plains in its pristine state, they saw a level topography, generously interspersed with small streams. Virtually treeless, it was instead covered by five- to six-foot-high grasses and a profusion of wildflowers.

As early as the 1600s the Plains had been designated as a commons to be used by all primarily for haying and as grazing land for cattle. It was not until 1784, when the Town of North Hempstead separated from the Town of Hempstead, that land was assigned to individual farmers and the cultivation of the Plains began in earnest. The scattered farms interspersed among the equally scattered villages gradually developed into thriving communities. Suburbanization, industrialization, and ultimately urbanization have created that which we see today.²

Flat and, for the most part, unobstructed by trees, the Hempstead Plains was conducive to the early introduction of sporting events. In 1665 Governor Richard Nicolls established the New Market Race Course, the country's first formal race track, in the northwestern section of the Town of Hempstead. Continued interest in horseracing led to the establishment of Belmont Park Racetrack in 1905 and Roosevelt Raceway in 1940.³

Hunting was formalized as a sport when in 1877 Robert Center, William C. Peet, A. August Belmont Purdy, and Frank Gray Griswold rented a farm from the heirs of Alexander Turney Stewart and established the Queens County Drag Hounds Club just east of Garden City on land that would later become Mitchel Field. In 1880 the club moved to Westchester County for two years after which it returned to the Island following its merger with the Rockaway Hunting Club.

In 1880 the Meadow Brook Hunt Club was organized on the future Mitchel Field site thus enabling the Rockaway Hunting Club, which had been established in 1878 in Far Rockaway by J. D. Ceever, Louis Neilson, George Work, Ernest C. La Montagne, Rene La Montagne, Edward Nicoll Dickerson, and William Voss, to lay claim to being the oldest country club in the United States in continuous use.⁴

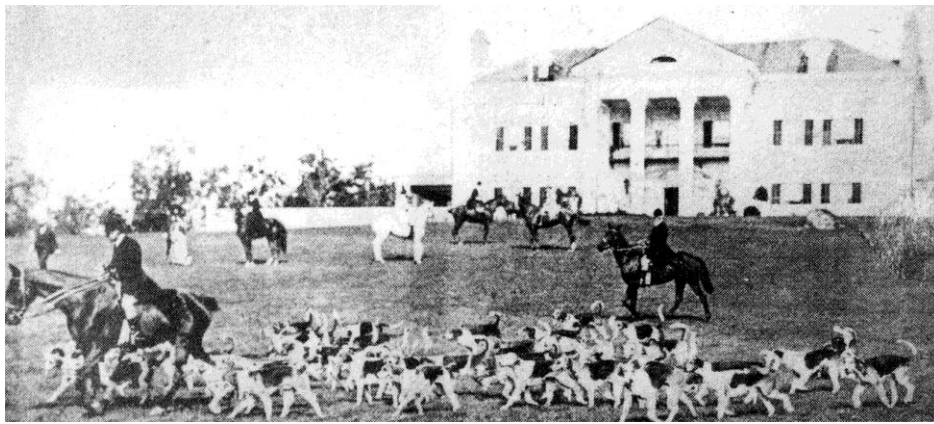
The problems encountered by the two clubs were legendary. The rapid development of Far Rockaway and the lack of adequate numbers of foxes in the area, which had plagued the Rockaway from its inception, induced the club



Rockaway Hunting Club

to relocate to its present site in Lawrence in 1884.⁵ The dramatic increase in both residential and commercial development was a constant concern to both clubs resulting in the secession of hunting at the Rockaway by 1920.⁶

The Meadow Brook chose to relocate their hunting activities to the Jericho area. However, even here they would face similar difficulties when Robert Moses proposed to construct the Northern State Parkway through their hunting grounds. A bitter dispute developed between the club's members and Moses. New York State Governor Alfred E. Smith's highly unusual and impractical solution was to create a tunnel under the parkway so that the foxes could reach the other side of the parkway. Presumably the terrified foxes, which were being chased by hounds and huntsmen, would have the common sense to use the underpass rather than chance crossing the roadway.⁷



*Meadow Brook Hunt Club at Foxhall Parker Keene's
Old Westbury Estate, Rosemary Hall, 1906*

The intense rivalry between the two hunting clubs gradually shifted to polo. Introduced into New York City in 1876 by James Gordon Bennett, it quickly became the rage among the Island's socially elite. In 1881 members of the Meadow Brook Hunt Club formally incorporated the Meadow Brook [original spelling] Polo Club. Its roster of players was a veritable who's who of the Island's social register.⁸ The club's "Big Four," Harry Payne Whitney, Devereaux Milburn, Sr., and Larry and Monty Waterbury, dominated international polo winning the Westchester Cup from Great Britain in 1909 and successfully defending it in 1911 and 1913. With the retirement of Whitney in 1914, the cup was lost and would not be regained until 1921 when Devereaux Milburn, Sr., Louis Ezekiel Stoddard, Sr., James Watson Webb, Sr., and Thomas Hitchcock, Jr. defeated the British team.⁹

The game reached its zenith in the 1920s and 1930s with polo players becoming the era's celebrities. The Meadow Brook, known as the "Heart of American Polo," with its eight fields each larger than seven football fields and its forty thousand-spectator International Field, became the site of the internationally prestigious United States Polo Open and Westchester Cup matches.¹⁰ On days that matches were held, the Island's roads were clogged with traffic as fans attempted to reach the polo fields while other fans were accommodated by special trains scheduled by the Long Island Rail Road. Indeed, polo had become so popular that when the DuPont Company was approached to sponsor a radio program to be aired at 3 o'clock

on Sundays, the company rejected the proposal stating, “Everyone is playing polo.”¹¹ World War II would take a significant toll on the popularity of polo on the Island as the country’s priorities addressed the war effort. Its diminished popularity continued after the war culminating in 1953 when the U.S. Polo Open moved from the Meadow Brook, where it had been held since 1923, to the Oak Brook Polo Club in Hinsdale, Illinois, as the hub of polo activities migrated westward.¹² A year later the Meadow Brook Polo Club’s site was sold to the federal government and became a runway for jet airplanes at Mitchel Field. The club’s activities were relocated to Jericho and in 1968 that site was sold for a housing development. No longer commanding the popularity of its heyday, the Meadow Brook Polo Club currently holds matches at Bethpage State Park and at the club’s field on Whitney Lane in Old Westbury while the Rockaway Hunting Club has shifted its emphasis to golf and tennis.



*Meadow Brook Polo Club’s
International Field*

With the advent of World War I, the airplane was no longer viewed as a phenomenon; it was evolving into an important industry and Long Island was in the forefront. Estates that had been established by polo and hunting club members as well as others of the Island’s socially elite in the communities of Hempstead, Uniondale, Salisbury, and East Meadow gradually gave way to the development of the aviation industry. The large estates of William S. Hofstra, *The Netherlands*, Sidney Dillon Ripley Sr., *The Crossways*, Elliot Roosevelt, Sr., *Half Way Nirvana*, Adolph Ladenburg, *Heathcote*, Jacques Lebaudy, *Phoenix Lodge*, and Oliver Hazard Perry Belmont, *Brookholt*, disappeared as the focus of the Plains changed.

While most people will recognize Roosevelt Field as the site of Charles Lindbergh’s 1927 transatlantic flight, few will be aware of or recognize the significance of Washington Avenue Field, Nassau Boulevard Field, Hempstead Plains Airfield, Camp Mills, Hazelhurst Field, Aviation Field #2, Curtiss Field, and Curtiss Airport in the creation and development of the aviation industry.¹³ Six years after the Wright Brothers’ 1903 flight at Kitty Hawk, Washington Avenue Field (sometimes referred to as Mineola Field) was established by the New York Aeronautic Society on land leased from the Garden City Company. Located adjacent to the present-day site of the Mineola Court House complex in Garden City, the field extended southward from Old Country Road and was bounded on the west by Garden City’s Washington Avenue.¹⁴ The very year the field was established, Glenn Curtiss would win the Scientific American Trophy and \$10,000 when he flew a fifteen-and-a-half-mile circuit over Mineola and Westbury in a historic fifty-eight-minute flight which originated and ended at Washington Avenue Field.¹⁵

The Hempstead Plains again came to the forefront of aviation history when in 1910 the First American International Aerial Tournament was held at the Belmont Park Racetrack. The week-long event attracted some forty contestants and more than seventy-five thousand spectators to watch the competitions between

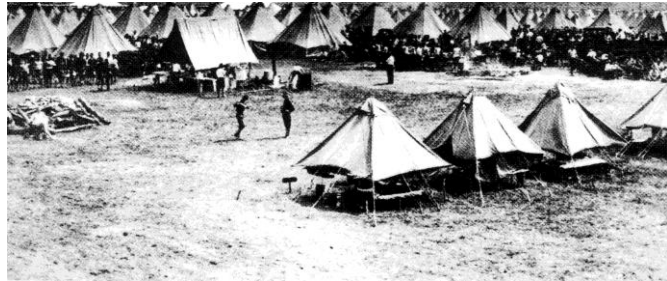
aviators from Europe and the United States. The event was somewhat marred when one of the highlights of the tournament, a race from Belmont Park Racetrack to the Statue of Liberty, a hotly contested event with national pride and international standing at stake, was won by the American entry John Moisant over the Englishman Claude Graham White in an extremely close and disputed finish.¹⁶

Garden City's Nassau Boulevard Field was established in 1910 because of the inadequacies at the Washington Avenue Field. The three hundred and fifty-acre field was located in the northwestern section of Garden City, roughly corresponding to the area between the village's present-day Nassau Boulevard and Merillon Avenue railroad stations. Much more extensive than the Washington Avenue Field, it consisted of thirty-one hangers, five grandstands, repair shops, a refreshment stand, an administrative building, and Giuseppe Bellanca's flying school. Just one year after the establishment of the field it hosted the Island's Second International Aerial Tournament. It was during this meet that Earl Lewis Ovington, the country's first airmail pilot, made the United States' first airmail delivery flying five and a half miles from the Nassau Boulevard Field to Mineola where at five hundred feet he tossed the mail pouch over the side near the Mineola post office.

The meet also saw the first demonstration of aerial reconnaissance by the military when Lieutenants Henry Harley "Hap" Arnold and Thomas DeWitt Milling successfully demonstrated how concealed enemy soldiers could be located from the air.¹⁷

By 1912 the constant complaints of excessive noise by the area's residents caused the Washington Avenue and Nassau Boulevard Fields to be relocated to the nine hundred-acre Hempstead Plains Airfield, which had been established in 1911 east of Garden City's Clinton Road. For its time, it was a truly impressive facility with thirty-five hangers, Glenn Curtiss' flying school, and four grandstands that could accommodate sixteen hundred spectators.¹⁸

Five years after the establishment of the Hempstead Plains Airfield, Camp Mills was established near the airfield as a training facility and a principal embarkation center for World War I soldiers. Named for Brigadier General Albert L. Mills, it quickly evolved from a tent encampment to an 838-building compound. Facilities sufficient to support fifty thousand troops included 9 administrative buildings,



Camp Mills

398 enlisted men's barracks, 36 officers' quarters, 108 lavatories, 105 mess halls, 69 quarantine huts, 2 delousing stations, and a 2,500-bed hospital. The site had its own water and sewer pump stations and an electrical sub-station. A Liberty Theatre, a library, and seven post exchanges were available to the troops; three stables and two haysheds were provided for the horses of the mounted troops.¹⁹ In 1918 Camp Mills was merged with the adjacent Aviation Field #2 to become Mitchel Field, a training facility for Army pilots. With the ending of hostilities, Mitchel Field became the only army post in the northeastern United States, the defense point for the metropolitan area, and a

center for aviation experimentation.²⁰ With the outbreak of World War II Mitchel Field became the headquarters of the army's First Air Force and continued its role as the primary defense for the New York metropolitan area. By 1945 the field had become the headquarters of the Air Defense Command for the entire United States.

Mitchel Field would also become a victim of the area's population density when in 1949 all tactical aircraft were moved off the Island to other air bases. It finally closed in 1961 with most of its property being conveyed to Nassau County. Mitchel Field was the last airfield used for military operations in Nassau County. Today it is the site of Hofstra University's northern campus, Nassau Veterans' Memorial Coliseum, the Long Island Children's Museum, the Nassau County Firefighters Museum, and the Cradle of Aviation Museum together with hotels, restaurants, and a host of office buildings.

Hazelhurst Field had been established in 1917 on the site of the former Hempstead Plains Airfield as a World War I army pilot training center, on property previously used by the New York National Guard. The naming of the field honored Second Lieutenant Leighton Wilson Hazelhurst, Jr., who was killed in an airplane accident on June 11, 1912, at College Park, Maryland.²¹ In 1918 Hazelhurst was renamed Roosevelt Field in honor of President Theodore Roosevelt's son Quentin, who had trained at Hazelhurst and who was killed in 1918 during aerial combat over France.²²

Abandoned by the military after World War I, Roosevelt Field became a civilian commercial airport. By the mid-1930s it had become the country's largest and busiest private airport. In the period between the two world wars Roosevelt Field became the center of aeronautical experimentation, daredevil air shows, and record-breaking cross-country and transatlantic flights. Its decline was precipitated by a massive increase in the area's population, its lack of proximity to Manhattan, and the development of LaGuardia Airport which began operation in 1939. The real estate development company of Webb and Knapp purchased two hundred and fifty acres of the field as well as one hundred and ten acres of the adjacent Westbury Golf Club in 1951 for the construction of Roosevelt Field Shopping Mall thus ending another chapter in aviation history on the Plains.²³

In 1920 the western half of Roosevelt Field was sold to the Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Corporation and renamed Curtiss Field. In 1929 Curtiss Field was reincorporated into Roosevelt Field when the company built Curtiss Airport in Valley Stream. From 1930 to 1933 the Valley Stream facility was the largest commercial airport on Long Island but was forced to close in 1933 due to financial pressures caused by the Depression.²⁴

The Aviation Country Club was established on the Hempstead Plains in 1929 in what was a more unusual use of the aviation facilities as the post-Lindbergh mania for flying became a leisure activity for the Island's socially elite. Seventy-six of the club's one hundred and seventy-five members owned their own planes while most of the remaining membership were licensed pilots. The club which, sold and rented planes, had a landing field, hangar, mechanics, fuel, and a flight instructor. The four-bedroom clubhouse had an adjacent swimming pool and tennis courts. In 1948 the club, which never had an accident in its almost twenty-year history, was sold to William Jaidr Levitt, Sr. and became part of Levittown.²⁵ For a while a few of the club's

members entertained the idea of relocating the club to a small private airport in Commack but abandoned the idea due to lack of interest by the general membership. In 1950 the Aviation Country Club formally dissolved. The only reminder of the club's existence in the area is a street named Pilots Lane in Levittown.

Without question, the existence of the Island's approximately eighty airfields contributed to the continuing development of Long Island's aviation industry. In 1917 Glenn Curtiss built a plant in Garden City for the Curtiss Engineering Corporation. Devoted to aeronautical research and development, it was a separate company from his Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Corporation, based in Hammondsport, New York.²⁶ The Garden City facility became a training ground for aeronautical engineers who were able to test their designs in the company's ten-foot-diameter wind-tunnel, which at the time was the largest in the country. In 1920 Curtiss decided to close his Hammondsport factory and move the headquarters of the Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Corporation, as well as most of its airplane production, to Garden City where his company manufactured three-quarters of the nation's planes.²⁷ In 1929 the Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Corporation merged with Wright Aeronautical Corporation to form the Curtiss-Wright Corporation. Two years later the firm relocated its manufacturing facilities to Buffalo, New York.



Curtiss Garden City factory, aerial view

Beginning with the Curtiss Engineering Corporation, the Island's aviation industry mushroomed into such industry leaders as Grumann (Bethpage and Calverton), Republic (Bethpage), Sperry Gyroscope (Garden City, Lake Success, and Bethpage), and Fairchild Camera and Instrument (Farmingdale), which, in turn, gave impetus to the Island's numerous aviation sub-contractors.

With the end of the Cold War and the resulting reduction in the military complex, aviation companies gradually began to merge and relocate off the Island. Today the industry, which employed about five thousand workers by the end of the 1930s and which had reached its peak of some ninety to one hundred thousand employees during World War II, accounts for only about twenty-five to thirty thousand of the Island's jobs.

In an odd twist of fate, the military bases and the aeronautical industry they spawned on the Hempstead Plains, once the powerhouse of the Island's economy, became victims of the post-war boom in residential and industrial development which they were instrumental in creating. The original flora of the Plains has been diminished as well by suburbanization to a fraction of its original sixty thousand acres. Seventy-nine acres, the Hempstead Plain Preserve just south of Charles Lindbergh Boulevard and nineteen additional acres located on the campus of Nassau Community College, are all that remain.²⁸ The estate homes in the Five Towns area, that have survived, have, in many instances, had their architectural integrity compromised by subsequent owners. What remains virtually untouched is what Garden City residents refer to as the original estate area located in the central section of their village. The estate areas in the villages of Hempstead, East Meadow, Uniondale, and Salisbury are, however, forever gone.

Endnotes

1. The area south of Sunrise Highway for the most part was a swampy area into which the streams from the Plains to its north drained. Henry Hicks, with foreword by Judith A. Spinzia and afterwards by Natalie A. Naylor, "The Hempstead Plains and It's Flora, 1871," *Nassau County Historical Society Journal* 58 (2003), pp. 30-40.

2. The population of the Village of Hempstead has risen from 2,316 in 1870 to an estimated 53,896 in 2008 while that of Nassau County has increased from 31,134 to an estimated 1,351,625 during the same period.

3. Historians generally agree that the New Market Race Track was located in the northwestern section of the Town of Hempstead but there is a lack of consensus as to its exact location. They have placed the site of the tract in the present day villages of New Hyde Park, Garden City, and Garden City Park prior to its relocation in the early 1800s to a site three miles west of Jamaica in Queens County when it became the Union Race Track.

The Belmont Park Racetrack is situated on the grounds of de Forest Manice's estate *Oatlands*. The track's original Turf and Field Clubhouse was the estate's main residence. See Manice entry in this volume.

Roosevelt Raceway was the site of an ill-fated automobile racetrack created to host the dormant Vanderbilt Cup races, a project that was abandoned after only two races. It became the site of Roosevelt Raceway in 1940. Harness racing ceased at Roosevelt Raceway in 1988.



Vanderbilt Cup Race

4. Charles S. Pelham-Clinton, "Fox Hunting Near the Metropolis" *The Cosmopolitan* 7 (May 1889), pp. 82-83, 87 and "Country Clubs and Hunt Clubs" *Scribners Magazine* July - Dec. 1895, p. 308.

5. Mrs. John King Van Rensselaer and Frederic Van De Water, *The Social Ladder* (New York: Henry Holt & Company, 1924), p. 288.

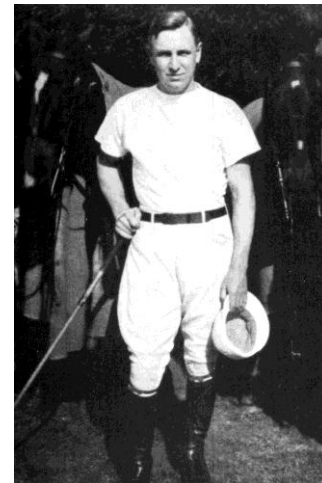
6. George de Forest Lord, *Now or Then* (Bloomington, IN: AuthorHouse, 2007), p. 13.

7. Cleveland Amory, *Who Killed Society?* (New York: Harper & Brothers, Publishers, 1960), p. 87.

8. For prominent Long Island polo players George Herbert Bostwick, Sr., Winston Frederick Churchill Guest, William Averell Harriman, Thomas Hitchcock, Jr. and Sr., David Stewart Iglehart, Foxhall Parker Keene, and Devereaux Milburn, Sr. see entries in Spinzia, *Long Island's Prominent North Shore Families: Their Estates and Their Country Homes*, volume I (College Station, TX: VirtualBookworm, 2006); Charles Cary Rumsey, Sr., James Watson Webb, Sr., and Harry Payne Whitney in Spinzia, *Long Island's Prominent North Shore Families: Their Estates and Their Country Homes*, volume II (College Station, TX: VirtualBookworm, 2006); August Belmont II, Oliver William Bird, Jr., and Elliot Roosevelt, Sr. in this volume.

9. Thomas Hitchcock, Jr. was awarded a ten-goal rating (the highest) in eighteen of nineteen seasons from 1922 through 1940 and is considered by many to be the greatest player in the history of polo. He was a member of the United States Polo Open teams in 1923, 1927, 1935, and 1936; a member of the Westchester Cup teams of 1921, 1924, 1927, 1930, and 1939; and captain of the United States Olympic Polo team of 1924.

10. Edward J. Smits, *Nassau Suburbia, USA: The First Seventy-five Years of Nassau County, New York 1899-1974* (Garden City: Doubleday & Company, Inc., 1974), p. 127.



Thomas Hitchcock, Jr.

11. Amory, *Who Killed Society?* p. 87

Polo made several contributions to the fashion world by introducing the camel hair polo coat, the polo shirt, and the button-down collar dress shirt, which was developed by Brooks Brothers in 1913.

12. The U.S. Polo Open ended a forty-one-year hiatus when in 1994 it returned to the Meadow Brook for two consecutive years.

13. The Hempstead Plains Airfield, Camp Mills, Hazelhurst Field, Aviation Field #2, and Curtiss Field were located slightly to the east of Garden City's Clinton Road; Curtiss Airport was in Valley Stream; and the Washington Avenue and Nassau Boulevard Fields were in Garden City.

14. Mildred Smith, *History of Garden City* (Garden City: Garden City Historical Society, 1980), p. 85.

15. See Curtiss entry in this volume for Glenn Curtiss' Garden City residence.

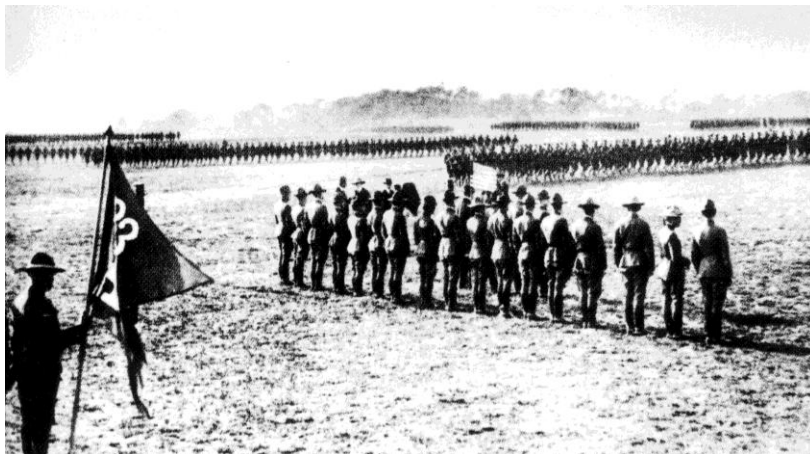
16. Bernie Bookbinder, *Long Island: People and Places Past and Present* (New York: Harry N. Abrams, Inc., 1983), p. 165.

17. Henry Harley "Hap" Arnold would become a five-star general in the Army and, later, in the Air Force. He is the only officer to hold a five-star grade in two different branches of the military. Thomas DeWitt Milling would end his military career as a brigadier general.

18. Smith, *History of Garden City*, pp. 70 and 86.

19. Smith, *History of Garden City*, p. 100.

Douglas MacArthur trained the Rainbow Division at Camp Mills prior to its embarkation for France during World War I.



Rainbow Division on parade at Camp Mills, 1917

20. James Harold "Jimmy" Doolittle, who during World War II was awarded the Medal of Honor for planning and leading the 1942 B-25 bomber raid on Japan from the aircraft carrier USS *Hornet*, was a member of Mitchel Field's Naval Testing Board, a high-speed airplane racer, a test pilot, and an aeronautical engineer, who took an active role in the development of instrument flying. In 1929, while stationed at Mitchel Field, he successfully tested Sperry's horizon and directional gyroscopes to take off, fly, and land a plane solely by the use of instruments thereby becoming the first pilot to ever "fly blind."

21. Also known as Aviation Field #2, Hazelhurst was later incorporated into Mitchel Field.

22. By 1918 Hazelhurst and Mitchel Field had become the two largest airfields in the United States.

23. Smits, *Nassau Suburbia, USA*, p. 108.

24. In 1956 the northern portion of Curtiss Airport would become Valley Stream's Green Acres Mall.

A plaque, originally installed at the Green Acres Mall but now on display at the American Airpower Museum in East Farmingdale, honors the Ninety-Nines, an international organization of licensed women fliers, organized in 1929 at Curtiss Airport. In 1931 the ninety-nine charter members elected Amelia Earhart the organization's first president.

25. For a description of William Laird Levitt, Sr.'s Mill Neck estate *La Colline*, see Spinzia, *Long Island's Prominent North Shore Families*, vol. I.
26. The Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Corporation owned fifty-one percent of the Garden City-based Curtiss Engineering Corporation.
27. C. R. Roseberry, *Glenn Curtiss: Pioneer of Flight* (Syracuse, NY: Syracuse University Press, 1991), p. 429.
28. The nineteen-acre preserve at Nassau Community College is managed by The Nature Conservancy. The Hempstead Plains Preserve is supervised by Nassau County Department of Parks, Recreation, and Museums.

Oliver Hazard Perry Belmont Estate, *Brookholt*



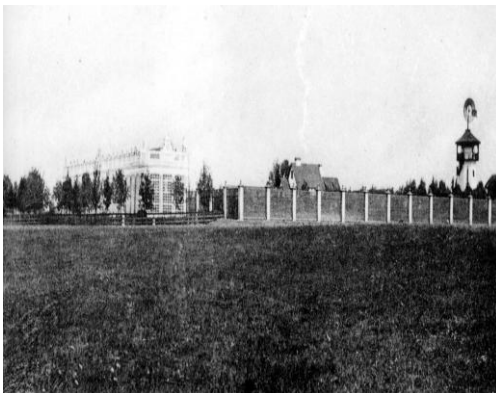
Brookholt entrance, 1907



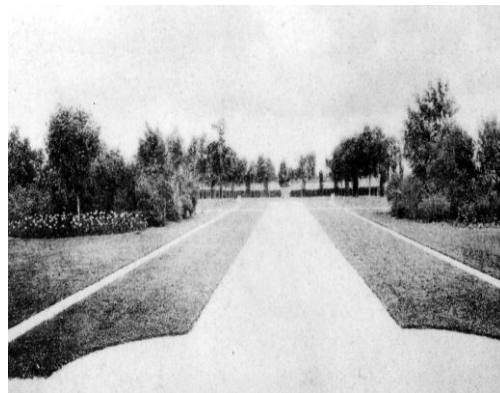
side/front facade



front facade, 1907



winter garden, 1906



Italian garden

Belmont, Oliver Hazard Perry (1858-1908)

Occupation(s): financier - partner, August Belmont & Co. (investment banking firm)
publisher - *The Verdict*
politician - member, United States Congress, 13th district, 1901-1903

Marriage(s): M/1 – Sally Whiting
M/2 - 1896-1908 – Alva Erskine Smith (1853-1933)
- writer - *Melinda and Her Sisters* (suffragist opera/with Elsa Maxwell);
One Month's Log of the Seminole, 1916;
two unpublished autobiographies, 1917, 1933
journalist - numerous newspaper and magazine articles
Civic Activism:
woman's suffrage - founder and president, Political Equality Association, NYC;
first president, National Woman's Party;
purchased building in Washington, DC, for National Woman's Party [now, known as the Sewall–Belmont House];
primary benefactor and president of board, Hempstead Hospital, Hempstead [not the present-day hospital also named Hempstead Hospital];
established, Brookholt School of Agriculture for Women at East Meadow estate;
built and supported, Sea Side Hospital for Sick Children, Great River;
built mission church for Our Lady of Loretta Roman Catholic Church, 1904 (near *Brookholt*);
paid for rectory furnishing for St Mark's Episcopal Church, Islip (the church was financed by her first husband, William Kissam Vanderbilt, Sr.)

Address: Fulton Avenue, East Meadow
Name of estate: *Brookholt*
Year of construction: c. 1897
Style of architecture: Colonial Revival
Architect(s): Richard Howland Hunt designed the 1897 house (for O. H. P. Belmont)
John Russell Pope designed a Georgian-style farmhouse, 1906 (for O. H. P. Belmont)*

Landscape architect(s):
House extant: no; demolished c. 1950
Nassau County Museum Collection has photographs of the estate.
Historical notes:

The house, originally named *Brookholt*, was built by Oliver Hazard Perry Belmont.

[See previous entry for information on the Belmont family.]

The estate was subsequently owned by Alexander Smith Cochran, who sold it in 1923 to the Cold Stream Golf Club. [*The New York Times* November 18, 1923, p. XII.]

[For information about Alva Erskine Smith (Vanderbilt) Belmont's North and South Shore estates, see Spinzia, *Long Island's Prominent North Shore Families*, vol. I – Belmont entry – and *Long Island's Prominent South Shore Families* – Vanderbilt entry.]

*The 1906 Georgian-style farmhouse was also demolished.

Dean, Howard Brush, Sr. (1897-1950)

Occupation(s): financier - partner, Struthers and Dean (stock brokerage firm)
capitalist - vice-president, Pan American Airways;
vice-president, Pan American Grace Airways

Civic Activism: governor, Association of Stock Exchange Firms

Marriage(s): 1920-1950 – Maria Fahys Cook (1900-1983)

Address: 119 Fifth Street, Garden City

Name of estate:

Year of construction:

Style of architecture:

Architect(s):

Landscape architect(s):

House extant: no

Historical notes:

The *Long Island Society Register, 1929* lists the Deans as residing at 119 Fifth Street, Garden City.

He was the son of Herbert Hollingshead and Marion Atwater Brush Dean of *Deanlea* in Lattingtown.

Maria Fahys Cook Dean was the daughter of Henry Francis and Lena Marianna Fahys Cook of *Clench-Warton* in North Haven. Maria subsequently married Dudley DeVore Roberts, Jr. of East Hampton.

The Deans' daughter Marianne married William C. Felch. Their son Howard Brush Dean, Jr. married Andree Belden Maitland, the daughter of James William and Sylvia Wigglesworth Maitland of Hewlett Bay Park, and resided in East Hampton.

[See Spinzia, *Long Island's Prominent North Shore Families*, vol. I – Dean entry; *Long Island's Prominent Families in the Town of Southampton* – Cook entry; and *Long Island's Prominent Families in the Town of East Hampton* – Dean and Roberts entries.]

The Deans' grandson Dr. Howard Brush Dean III was Governor of Vermont from 1991-2003 and was unsuccessful in becoming the Democratic candidate for the presidency in the 2004 election. He then headed the Democratic National Committee through the 2008 election.

The house was subsequently owned by George Andrew Carlin.

Lebaudy, Jacques (1868-1919)

Occupation(s): capitalist - owner, Huanchaca Silver Mine, Chile
Marriage(s): 1896-1919 – Augustine Delliere
- entertainers and associated professions - French actress
Address: Valentine’s Road, Salisbury
Name of estate: *Phoenix Lodge*
Year of construction:
Style of architecture: Modified Colonial Revival
Architect(s):
Landscape architect(s):
House extant: no*
Historical notes:

The house, originally named *Phoenix Lodge*, was owned by James Biddle Eustis, George Peabody Eustis, Marie C. Eustis Hoffman, and William M. K. Olcott. In 1913 Olcott sold the house to Lebaudy, who continued to call it *Phoenix Lodge*.

He was the son of French sugar refining magnet Jules Lebaudy and Amicie Piou Lebaudy. Jacques’ sister was Countess Marie Teresa Jeanne Lebaudy de Fels.

In 1903, after inheriting \$8 million from his parents, Jacques converted his yacht *Frasquita* into a battleship and sailed to North Africa where he proclaimed himself Jacques I Emperor of the Sahara. After being rebuffed by the French and Spanish governments, both of which laid claims to portions of North Africa, Lebaudy came to Long Island. Becoming increasingly unstable, he was confined to the state hospital in Amityville. He was released by a court order from the Amityville facility but was again institutionalized after assaulting his wife, but, then, again released. While his wife and eighteen-year-old daughter were on the second floor of their Long Island mansion, Lebaudy attempted to burn down the house. Hearing the noise, Mrs. Lebaudy came down the stairs and shot him five times, killing him instantly.

In 1922 Augustine Delliere Lebaudy married her bodyguard Henri Sudreau and took up residence in France.

The Lebaudys’ daughter Marguerite married Henri Sudreau’s son Roger and also resided in France.

*In 1926 the estate was purchased by Lannin Realty Company. In 1935 several of the estate’s service buildings were destroyed by a second fire.



front facade, c. 1919

Taylor, Talbot Jones, Jr. (1866-1938)

Occupation(s): financier - partner, Talbot J. Taylor and Co. (stock brokerage firm)*

Marriage(s): M/1 – 1892-div. 1908 – Jessica Harwar Keene
M/2 – Marie Isabella Zane Cowles

Address: Longwood Crossing, Lawrence
Name of estate: *Talbot House*
Year of construction: c. 1895
Style of architecture: Neo-Tudor
Architect(s): Lamb and Rich designed the house (for T. J. Taylor, Jr.)



front facade, c. 1904

Landscape architect(s):
House extant: no; demolished c. 1914**
Historical notes:

The house, originally named *Talbot House*, was built by Talbot Jones Taylor, Jr.

He was the son of Talbot Jones Taylor, Sr. of Cantonsville, MD. His brother William, who resided in Lawrence, married Sarah A. Hard and, subsequently, Mary Bliss Prentice.

Jessica Harwar Keene Taylor was the daughter of James Robert and Sara Jay Daingerfield Keene of Lawrence. Her bother Foxhall married Mary Lawrence, the daughter of Frederick N. Lawrence of Manhattan, and resided at *Rosemary Hall* in Old Westbury.

Talbot Jones and Jessica Harwar Keene Taylor, Jr.'s son Talbot Jones Taylor III married Louise Tiffany Frank and resided in Lawrence.

*Taylor was in partnership with his brother James Blackstone Taylor, Sr. of Jericho and brother-in-law Foxhall Parker Keene of Old Westbury. [See Spinzia, *Long Island's Prominent North Shore Families*, vol. I – Keene entry – and vol. II – Taylor entry.]

**The stables survives and has been converted into a residence.

[See following entry for additional family information.]

Talbot Jones Taylor, Jr. Estate, *Talbot House*



hall, 1906



drawing room, 1906



master suite, northwest bedroom, 1906



dining room, 1906



library, 1906

Tjaden, Olive Frances (1905-1997)

Occupation(s): architect - *[See Architects appendix for selected list of commissions in the Town of Hempstead.]**

Civic Activism: director, Museum of Fine Arts, Fort Lauderdale, FL;
inspector, Federal Housing Administration;
vice-president, Alumnae Association of College of Architecture,
Art, and Planning, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Marriage(s): M/1 – div. – Carl Johnson
M/2 – Roswell Charles Van Sickle
- inventor - hydraulically operated circuit breaker with
tandem piston construction

Address: 104 Eleventh Street, Garden City

Name of estate:

Year of construction:

Style of architecture: Neo-Tudor

Architect(s): Olive Frances Tjaden designed her own residence

Landscape architect(s): Olive Frances Tjaden designed her own landscaping

House extant: yes

Historical notes:

The house was built by Olive Frances Tjaden Johnson. She designed over two thousand buildings, four hundred of which were on Long Island. In addition, she planned the house for the 1939 World's Fair, Inwood Country Club in Atlantic Beach, apartment buildings in Lawrence, and the remodeling of the Congregational Church in Garden City.

Olive Tjaden entered Cornell University at the age of fifteen and completed the university's five-year architectural degree in four years. She was the only woman in her class of 1928 to graduate with an architectural degree and was the youngest registered architect in New York State. The university's Tjaden Hall and Van Sickle Art Gallery are named in her honor. In 1938, Olive was the first woman to be inducted into the American Institute of Architects and, for over two decades, was considered to be the most prominent woman architect in the Northeast. [Sarah Allaback, *The First American Women Architects* (Urbana, IL: University of Illinois Press, 2008), p. 40.]

She was the daughter of John and Hilda Tjaden of Queens Village, NY.

*Although married twice, Tjaden used her maiden name professionally.

Her Garden City office was located at 109 Seventh Street.

She relocated to Florida in 1945.



front facade, 2009

Wickersham, George Woodward, Sr. (1858-1936)

Occupation(s): statesman - United States Attorney General (Taft administration)*;
attorney - partner, Strong and Cadwalader;
partner, Cadwalader, Wickersham, and Taft
diplomat - special commissioner to Cuba, United States War
Trade Board during World War I
journalist - special correspondence, *The New York Tribune*, at
Paris Peace Conference, 1919
Civic Activism: chairman, National Commission on Law Observance & Enforcement
(Wickersham Commission), 1928-1931;
president, New York Association for Improving Condition of the Poor;
president, Council on Foreign Relations, 1933-1936;
president, League of National Association, 1928;
member, President Wilson’s Industrial Conference, 1919;
chairman, Harvard Research Committee on International Justice;
president, American Law Institute;
president, National Probation Association;
president, American Prison Association

Marriage(s): 1883-1936 – Mildred Wendell (1855-1944)

Address: Hollywood Crossing, Lawrence
Name of estate: *Marshfield*
Year of construction: c. 1904
Style of architecture: Neo-Georgian
Architect(s): Foster, Gade, and Graham designed
a house (for G. Wickersham)**
Landscape architect(s): Mary Rutherford Jay designed the
Japanese garden, 1914
(for G. Wickersham)



front facade

House extant: no
Historical notes:

The house, originally named *Marshfield*, was built by George Woodward Wickersham, Sr. The *Long Island Society Register*, 1929 lists George W. and Mildred Wendell Wickersham as residing at *Marshfield*, Hollywood Crossing, Cedarhurst [Lawrence].

He was the son of Samuel Morris and Elizabeth Cox Woodward Wickersham of Pittsburgh, PA. Mildred Wendell Wickersham was the daughter of Cornelius Wendell of Washington, DC.

George Woodward and Mildred Wendell Wickersham, Sr.’s daughter Gwendolyn married Albert John Akin II and resided at *Homewood* in Hewlett Harbor. She subsequently married Henry Ives Cobb, Jr. with whom she resided in Hewlett. Their son Cornelius married Rosalie Neilson Hinckley and resided at *Briarwood* in Lawrence. Their daughter Constance remained unmarried.

[See previous entry for additional family information.]

*Wickersham prepared the income tax amendment to the United States Constitution, 1913, thereby legalizing the federal income tax.

**Foster, Gade, and Graham designed a small shingle-style cottage for the estate.



Marshfield, Japanese garden



Marshfield, gardens and windmill

Statesmen and Diplomats

Listed are only those statesmen and diplomats who resided in the Town of Hempstead.

Statesmen

Department of State

Acting Secretaries of State –

Polk, Frank Lyon, Sr. – Wilson administration
Lawrence and Muttontown

Under Secretaries, Assistant Secretaries, and Deputy Secretaries of State –

Brown, Lewis Dean
– Under Secretary for Management (Nixon and Ford administrations)
Garden City

Polk, Frank Lyon, Sr.
– Under Secretary of State (Wilson administration)
Lawrence and Muttontown

Department of Justice

Attorneys General –

Wickersham, George Woodward, Sr. – Taft administration
Marshfield, Lawrence

Department of Energy

Secretaries of Energy –

Chu, Steven – Obama administration
Garden City

Diplomats

Blackwood, Arthur Temple
– British Vice-Consul in Baltimore during World War II
Hewlett Neck

Brown, Lewis Dean
– Vice-Consul, Leopoldville, Belgian Congo, 1946-1948
– Vice-Consul, Ottawa, Canada, 1948-1952
– Second Secretary-Consul, Paris, France, 1955-1958
– Ambassador to Senegal, 1967-1970*
– Ambassador to Gambia, 1967-1970*
– Ambassador to Jordan, 1970-1973
– Special Envoy to Cyprus, 1974
– Special Envoy to Lebanon, 1975
Garden City

*Brown served as Ambassador to Senegal and Gambia simultaneously.

Statesmen and Diplomats

diplomats (cont'd)

Eustis, James Biddle

– Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to France, 1893-1897
Salisbury

Osterhout, Howard

– Member United States Peace Commission (Hoover administration)
Garden City

Page, Walter Hines, Sr.

– Ambassador to Court of St. James (Wilson administration)
Garden City and Bay Shore

Polk, Frank Lyon, Sr.

– United States Plenipotentiary to negotiate peace, 1919
– Chairman, United States delegation to Paris Peace Conference, 1919
Lawrence and Muttontown

Sayer, Murray

– Vice-Consul, Stockholm, Sweden, 1917-1919
Garden City

Smith, Clarence Browning

– Delegate (unofficial) to Austrian Reparation Commission after World War I
Garden City

Southgate, Richard

– served in: United States Embassy in Paris, 1917-1918
United States Embassy in Rome, 1919-1921
United States Legation in Guatemala, 1921-1922
United States Embassy in Constantinople, 1922-1923
United States Embassy in Havana, 1925-26
– Chief of Protocol and Chief of International Conferences, 1929-1939
– Member, American delegation to Limitation of Armaments Conference, 1921
– Member, London Naval Conference, 1935
– Member, Aviation Conference, 1937
– Chief of Protocol, United States Department of State
Hewlett

Wickersham, George Woodward, Sr.

– Special Commissioner to Cuba, United States War Trade Board during World War I
Marshfield, Lawrence

Advisors and Personal Secretaries

Sayer, Murray

– Secretary to Auditor, Government of Porto Rico, 1906-1907
Garden City

Villages

The village references used in this compilation are the current (2010) village or hamlet boundaries and should not be confused with zip code designations. When the owner who contracted for the original construction of the house is known, it is indicated by an asterisk.

BALDWIN

- * Glover, John Irwin

CEDARHURST

- Brown, Frederick Rhinelander
- Browne, Curtis Northrop
- Claflin, Avery
- d'Utassy, George
- Edsell, Levi Perin
- Elliman, Lawrence Bogert, Sr., *Cluny Lodge*
- La Montagne, Montaigu
- * Levy, Isaac D., *Roselle Manor*
- Orvis, Schuyler Adams, Sr.
- Pardee, Dr. Harold Ensign Bennett,
The Wild Oat
- Pardee, Dr. Irving Hotchkiss,
Edgewater Cottage
- Post, Stephen Rushmore
- Rasmus, Carl S.
- Rawlins, Herbert Noel, Jr.
- Rawlins, Herbert Noel, Sr.
- Schley, Buchanan, Jr.
- Shaw, Munson G., Sr.
- Sizer, Theodore
- Slade, Josephine Bissell Roe
- Slocum, Henry Warner, Jr.
- Thompson, Joseph Tod Hunter, *Holly Holm*
- * Tilford, Frank
- Vandewater, Benjamin Cornelius
- Vandewater, James Horatio P.
- Vandewater, Neil Horatio

EAST MEADOW

- * Belmont, Oliver Hazard Perry, *Brookholt*
- Brisbane, Arthur
- Cochran, Alexander Smith
- Jordan, Edward Bailey, Jr.
- Konta, Geoffrey, *East Meadows*
- * Lannin, Joseph J.
- Lowden, Richard
- * Smith, James Clinch
- Terry, Thomas H., *Hempstead Farm*
- Vogel, Henry J.

ELMONT

- * Manice, de Forest, *Oatlands*

FLORAL PARK

- * Childs, John Lewis
- Schwieters, John Francis

GARDEN CITY

- Ackerman, Raymond Pryor
- Adams, John Trevor, Sr.
- * Addison, James, Jr.
- Anderson, Roy Bennett, Sr.
- Aten, Courtenay Nixon
- Atwater, A. G. Cox, Sr.
- Atwater, Bert L.
- Backus, Henry Clinton
- Baker, Elwood W.
- Baldwin, William Mood
- Becker, Claude M.
- Beebe, Harry W.
- Beebe, John Eldridge, Sr.
- Belcher, Edwin W., Jr.
- * Bené, John Raymond
- Benkard, Henry Horton
- Berdell, Theodore Van Duzer
- Bishop, Clifford Monroe
- Black, Archibald
- Blanchard, George H.
- Bloomer, James Ralph, Jr.
- Boardman, Andrew H.
- Bodine, William H. J.
- Bond, Walter Huntington
- Bossert, John
- Bowman, Archibald
- Breck, Duer du Pont
- Briggs, Albert M.
- Brown, Arthur A.
- Brown, Lewis Dean
- * Brown Lewis Philip
- Brush, Gilbert Palmer
- Burtis, Divine Franklin, III
- * Carl, James Harvey, Jr.
- Carlin, George Andrew
- Chalfant, Edward N.
- * Chu, Ju Chin
- Chu, Steven

Villages

GARDEN CITY (cont'd)

- Clute, Frank M.
Coffin, William Haskell
* Cottone, Anthony
* Coupe, Frank J.
Covert, Charles Edward
Coward, Loren Montague
Cruikshank, William Morris, Sr.
Curtiss, Glenn Hammond, Sr.
Daingerfield, Algernon
Davidson, Thomas Charles, Sr.
Davies, Edward Livingston
de Aguilar, F. Paul, Jr.
Dean, Howard Brush, Sr.
De Mercado, Frank
* De Mille, Nelson Richard
* De Mott, Harry M.
Denny, Archibald Marshall, Sr.
Doolittle, Frederick William, Jr.
* Dooman, Dr. David Stoddard
Dow, Harold Gilman
Downer, J. Halsey, Sr.
Downey, E. Kelly
Driggs, Edmund Hope, Jr.
Dunnell, Frank Lyman, Sr.
Dunning, Clarence S.
* Durand, Celestin Aloysius, Sr.
Durand, James Francis
Duval, William H., Jr.
Earnshaw, Geoffrey S.
Egginton, Hersey
Einhaus, Harry Madison
Emery, George S.
Emmons, Walter Reed, Sr.
Enequist, John Theodore, Jr.
* Enequist, William Lars
Engles, William Franklin, Sr.
English, William K.
Engs, Russell L., Sr.
Fairchild, Willard, Sr.
Fanning, Edward J.
Farquhar, William Joslyn, Sr.
Fearey, Morton L.
* Fensterer, Dr. Gustave A.
Ferris, Dr. Henry Clay
Ferris, Morris Patterson
* Fletcher, Thomas Clement
* Floyd, Nicoll, Jr.
Floyd, Nicoll, Sr.
* Forman, Harold Baldwin
Fowler, Benjamin Kimball True
Fraser, Dougall C., Sr.
Fraser, John W.
Frew, Walter Edwin
* Fulton, Ralph Whittier
Gardner, Bertram
Gaston, George Albert
* Geer, Enos Throop, Sr.
* Geoghegan, Joseph G.
Gerard, Ernest D.
Gesell, Dr. Herbert R.
Gleason, Marshall Wilfred
Gormley, John Vincent
* Grattan, Harry Plunket
* Gray, James M.
* Greason, Samuel, Jr.
Griffin, Domenic Bodkin, Sr.
* Gross, Andre E.
* Gulick, Ernestus Schenck
Gurney, Thomas Nichols
Halsted, Gilbert Coutant, Jr.
* Halsted, Harold Camerden
Hamilton, Campbell Thorpe
Hamlin, Francis Bacon, Sr.
Hammond, Harry Stevens, Sr.
Hammond, John Stevens, Sr.
Hart, Alexander Richmond
Hart, Augustine Snow, Sr.
Hastings, A. Abbott
Heath, Cuyler
* Hendrickson, Charles Le Roy
* Hoag, Charles H.
* Hodgson, Robert John, Jr.
Horton, Chauncey Todd, Sr.
Houghton, Owen Edward
Howe, Wallis Eastburn, Jr.
Hubbell, George Loring, Jr.
Hubbell, George Loring, Sr., *Lonesomehurst*
Hubbell, John Platt, Sr.
* Hubbell, Ralph Peters
* Hubbell, Sherwood
Hunter, Fenley
Huntington, Ellery Channing, Jr.
Hussey, Thomas J.
Hutchinson, William Furman
* Irwin, Louis Henry
* Irwin, Marion Griffin
Iverson, Sterling Hollingshead, Sr.
Jackson, Rickard Gilbert
Jewell, John V., Jr.
Jewell, John V., Sr.
Johnson, Lee
Jones, Howard S.
Keating, William J.
Kendall, William Beals
Kimball, Frank A.
Kirkman, Alexander Sampson
Kirkman, Sidney A.
Knapp, Robert C.
Kobbe, Carolyn Wheeler

Villages

GARDEN CITY (cont'd)

- Koehler, Robert H.
- Koons, Franklin Stevenson
- Lamy, Henry B., Jr.
- Lasher, Dr. Frank H.
- * Lawrence, Clifford W.
- * Lehrenkrauss, Charles Frederick W.
- * Mabon, Samuel Clifton
- Mallett, Percy Smith
- Mallouk, George Elias
- Marshall, Avril E.
- McKinny, Alexander, Jr.
- McKinny, Alexander, Sr.
- * Meeker, Samuel Mundy, Jr.
- Meissner, William Christen
- Mellen, Chase, Sr.
- Meneely, Charles Dickinson
- Miller, John Robinson, Sr.
- Minton, Henry Miller
- Mooney, Franklin Drake
- * Moore, Arthur Standish
- Moore, Edward Stevens
- Moore, Rufus Ellis
- Moran, Michael Arthur
- Moran, Robert G.
- Morehouse, David
- Morrell, Robert Whiting
- Morrow, Dr. Albert Sidney, Sr.
- Morse, Roy Bertram
- Moyers, Bill
- Munson, Lawrence J.
- Murphy, William Gordon, Jr.
- Murray, Francis King
- Naething, Charles Frederick
- Nichols, John Treadwell
- O'Connor, Eugene Franklin, Jr.
- Ohnewald, George Henry
- Olena, Alfred Douglas
- * Orr, Henry Steers
- Osborne, Lawrence Woodhull
- * Ossman, John, Sr.
- Osterhout, Howard
- Page, Walter Hines, Sr.
- Parker, Donald Mayro
- Parker, Glowacki Redfield
- Parsons, Argyll Rosse, Sr.
- Peace, Arthur W.
- * Peacock, Grant A.
- Pearsall, Harris Montgomery
- Pell, William Watson
- * Persell, Harry A.
- Peterkin, DeWitt, Sr.
- Peters, Ralph, Jr.
- * Peters, Ralph, Sr., *Wyndymeede*
- * Pidgeon, Ashley E.
- Pratt, James Edward
- Pratt, James Guy
- Pratt, Robert Edward, Sr.
- Putnam, Hobart Hayes
- Reeves, Edward Duer, Sr.
- Rhett, William Brisbane, Sr.
- Ripley, Joseph Pierce
- Roche, The Reverend Spencer Summerfield
- Roever, Charles Simund
- Rose, Reginald Perry
- Rowe, Reginald M., Sr.
- St. John, Edward Atkinson
- St. John, Frank Lamar
- Salmon, Hamilton Henry, Jr.
- Salmon, Hamilton Henry, Sr.
- Sayer, Murray
- Schley, Henry Spaulding, Sr.
- Smith, Clarence Browning
- Smith, Cyrus Porter, Sr.
- Smith, Herbert Ludlam, Sr.
- * Southworth, Theodore
- Sperry, Lawrence Burst
- Spinzia, Ralph
- Stoddard, Caswell W.
- Stuberfield, William Francis
- Studwell, Joseph Colson Knapp
- Swett, The Reverend Canon Paul F., Sr.
- Tapscott, Ralph Henry
- * Tarbell, Gage Eli
- Taylor, Dr. Quintard
- Taylor, Willard Underhill, Sr.
- Thomas, Edward C. O.
- Tibbs, Benjamin H.
- * Tjaden, Olive Frances
- Tompers, George U.
- Townley, The Reverend Frank Maxwell
- Townsend, Edward Nicoll, Jr.
- Townsend, Edward Nicoll, Sr.
- Townsend, R. Tailer, Sr.
- Townsend, Robert
- Tunmore, John Septimus
- Turnbull, John Gourlay, III
- Twining, Charles, *Iris Acre*
- Tyner, Gerald Kerwin
- Underhill, Rawson Kipp
- * Underhill, Enoch William
- Van Vranken, Dr. John Kellum, Sr.
- Van Zandt, Federick N.
- Vaughan, Donald Cuyler, Sr.
- Veitch, Charles Whitely
- Voege, Harry William
- * Waddell, Wallace MacNab, Sr.
- Ward, Sylvanus Dwight
- Ward-Smith, Kenneth
- Weed, Leroy Jefferson

Villages

GARDEN CITY (cont'd)

Welton, Dr. Thurston Scott
Whitman, Roger Bradbury
Whitney, Arthur Edward
Wigglesworth, Henry
Wilson, Marshall Orme, Sr.
Winkhaus, John T., Sr.
Wood, Arthur W. B.
* Woodruff, Timothy Lester
* Woodward, William G., Sr.
* Wyld, Robert Hasbrouck
Young, Benjamin Swan
Youngs, William J.

HEMPSTEAD

Addison, Charles Lambert
* Alexandre, J. Henry, Sr.
Almirall, Raymond Francis
Amerman, William H. H., Jr.
Anderson, Ellery O., *Waycroft*
* Bannerman, Parry Elwood
Barrett, Gilbert Conklin, Sr.
Belmont, August, II, *Blemton Manor*
Bromfield, Percy Butler
Bromfield, Percy Rushmore
Brown, Albert Winton, Sr.
Cameron, Walter Scott
Carlin, George Andrew
Carroll, Royall Phelps
Chamberlin, Dr. William Taylor
Corwith, Lester F.
Courtenay, Adrian Henry, Sr.
Crandall, Dr. Floyd Milford, *The Pines*
Cruikshank, James
Duncan, Alexander Butler, *The Meadows*
Duryea, Wright
Edwards, Jesse
Eldridge, Lewis Angevine, Sr.
Fisher, Dr. Lamont H.
Forshay, Ralph Hoyt
Frost, Newberry
Hanemann, Edward L.
Harper, Joseph Abner
Harriman, Edward Henry
* Hofstra, William Sake, *The Netherlands*
Hoppin, Samuel Howland
Hurry, Renwick
Ingraham, Frederick
Ingraham, Richard, III
Jones, Dr. Dunham Carroll, *Bleak House*
Kellum, John
Kendrick, Frederick William, *Boxley*
* Kennedy, Henry Van Rensselaer, *Three Oaks*
* Kernochan, James Lorillard, *The Meadows*

Kilmer, Dr. Theron Wendell, Sr.
Leighton, Alexander E.
Leighton, George Bridge
Leighton, John L.
Ludlum, Dr. Charles H.
MacDowell, Noah, Jr.
Mulford, Miss Fannie
Myers, Charles
Paterson, Basil Alexander
Paterson, David Alexander
Pease, Walter Albert, Jr., *Bethpage*
Petit, Townsend B., Sr.
Rawlins, George Foster
Russell, Frank Henry
Stevenson, Maxwell, *The Lodge*
Tew, Benjamin Taylor
Thompson, Dr. Benjamin Franklin
Townsend, Stephen Van Rensselaer, Sr.
Vanderveer, Charles, Jr.
Van Vranken, Dr. Garrett D.
Van Vranken, John Kellum, Sr.
Ward, Rodney Allen
Weller, Augustus Nobel
Whipple, Dana de Peyster, Sr.
Wright, Wilfred LaSalles

HEWLETT

Ballantine, Herbert W., Sr., *Meadowview*
Bertschmann, Jean Jacques
Bonner, Douglas Griswold, Sr.
Cartwright, Henry Rogers, Jr., *Applecot*
Cobb, Henry Ives, Jr.
Farr, John, Jr.
Gruner, Otto Harry, Sr.
* Macy, Valentine Everit, Sr.
Malcolm, George Ide, Jr.
Malcolm, George Ide, Sr.
Matthews, John
Miller, Lawrence McKeever, Sr.
Moller, Hans Eskildsen
Philbin, Stephen Holladay
Robins, Thomas, Jr.
Southgate, Richard
Stewart, Samuel B., Jr.
Welsh, Joseph Wickes, Jr.
Whipple, Julian Van Ness, *Rustee Granit*
Whitlock, Bache McEvers, Jr., *Meadowview*

HEWLETT BAY PARK

Allison, Dr. Benjamin R.
Beadleston, Chauncey Perry

Villages

HEWLETT BAY PARK (cont'd)

Bigelow, Bushnell
Blanchard, Walter Scott, Sr.
Boulton, Howard, Sr.
Braman, Chester Alwyn, Jr.
Buck, Harold Winthrop
* Cady, Everett Ware, Sr.
* Carter, Russell Steenback, *The Villa Blue*
Chambers, William Ely, Sr., *Cornerware*
Childs, Edwards Herrick
Cobb, Boughton, Sr., *The Chimney Corner*
Coe, Elmore Holloway
* Connable, Arthur W., *Boxwood*
Crane, Clinton Hoadley, Jr.
Davis, William Shippen, Sr.
Delafield, Lewis Livingston, III
Deshler, Charles Franklin, Jr.
Finlayson, Daniel Aylesbury, Jr.
Fuller, Paul, Jr., *Four Winds*
Goodhue, Francis Abbot, Jr.
Goodwin, Robert Henning, *Cedar Corners*
Green, Harry Thomas Sinclair
Greenleaf, John C., Sr.
Griswold, John Augustus, Sr.
Gwynne, Walter Lee
Haneman, John Theodore, Sr., *Aboha Hanta*
Harper, Joseph Henry, Jr.
Harrar, Dr. James Aitken
* Harris, Tracy Hyde, *Wistaria Lodge*
Iverson, Maynard C.
Jones, Thomas Catesby, Sr., *Green Plains*
Kane, John P., Jr.
Kilbreth, James Truesdell, Jr.
King, Hugh Purviance, Sr.
Kip, Ira A., Jr.
Lancaster, John Edward, Jr.
Larkin, John Adrian, Sr.
Lewis, Henry Llewellyn Daingerfield, Jr.,
Merriefield
Lovering, Joseph Sears, Sr., *Sunny Ridge*
* Macy, Carleton, *Meadowwood*
* Macy, Carleton, *Wonderwhy*
* Macy Carroll, *Birch Corners*
Maitland, James William
Meany, Shannon Lord, Sr.
Miller, Danforth, Sr., *Birch Corners*
Morris, Alfred Hennen
Norris, Donald Lee, Sr.
Olney, Sigourney Butler, Sr.
Osborne, Robert K.
Philbin, Ewin Reginald, Sr., *Pine Tree House*
Pierce, Walter Bryant, Jr.
Pratt, Frederick Theodore
Proctor, William Ross, Jr.
Ridder, Joseph Edward

Rives, Francis Bayard, *Mapleglades*
Robins, Samuel Davis, Sr.
Russell, Dr. Thomas Hendrick, *Channel's End*
Schultz, Albert B., Sr.
Slee, James Noah H., Jr.
Slesinger, Laurence Anthony
Stevenson, Joseph Hutchinson, *The Farm*
Strong, Edwin A.
Van Rensselaer, Bernard Sanders
Van Tine, Addison A.
Veeder, Paul Lansing, *Meadowood*
Voss, William, *Merriefield*
* Whiton, Henry Devereux
Wright, John B.
Zara, Francesco A.

HEWLETT HARBOR

Akin, Albert John, II, *Homewood*
Auerbach, John Hone, Sr., *Seawane*
* Auerbach, Joseph Smith, *Seawane*
Dwyer, Martin, Sr.
Franklyn, Reginald Gebhard
Long, William Henderson, Jr., *Noranda*
* Marshall, Levin Rothrock, Sr., *Hawkswood*
Milholland, James Clarke
Mixer, George, Sr.
Morris, Stuyvesant Fish, Jr.
Nicoll, DeLancey, Jr.
Paine, Edward Stetson
Peabody, Rushton, Sr., *Cherry Bounce*
* Pearce, Arthur Williams
Pier, Roy B., *Breezy Way*
Richard, Auguste
Rolston, Brown, Sr.
Sellar, Norrie, Sr.
Thomas, Theodore Gaillard, III
Thompson, James Walter
Timpson, Carl William, Sr., *Windy Top*

HEWLETT NECK

Blackwood, Arthur Temple
Delafield, Robert Hare, Jr.
Dwight, Philip J.
French, Seth Barton, Sr.
Handy, Courtlandt W.
Herrick, Harold Edward, Sr.
* Hewlett, Robert Sanderson
Kobbe, Frederick William
Locke, Campbell, Sr.
Logan, John A., III
* Morris, McLean F.
Robb, Hampton

Villages

HEWLETT NECK (cont'd)

Roosevelt, Oliver Wolcott, Sr.
Searle, John Endicott, Sr.
Steven, William Dixon
Tucker, St. George Brooke
Van Rensselaer, Kiliaen M., II
Van Rensselaer, Maunsell B., *The Haven*
Varlet, Viscount René Georges
Veeder, Francis Lansing
Wallace, Edward Secomb
Warren, Charles Elliott, Sr., *Still Pond*

LAWRENCE

Adams, Charles C., Sr., *Oak Lodge*
Adams, William, Jr.
Adams, William, III, *Landfall*
Adams, William Herbert
Alexandre, Frderick F., Sr., *Nieman*
Almy, Frederick, Jr.
Anderton, Dr. William B., *Ye Corners*
Auchincloss, Joseph Howland, Sr.
Auchincloss, Samuel Sloan, Sr., *Whale Acres*
Ballantine, John Herbert
Barnard, John Augustus, *Tigh-na-Curach*
Barnes, Roderic Barbour
Bateson, Edgar Farrar, Sr.
Belsterling, Charles Starne
Benedict, Le Grand Lockwood, Jr.
Bentley, Edward Manross
Bentley, Edward Sailsbury, *Cherrygarth*
Bierwirth, John Edward
Bierwirth, Dr. Julius Carl
Blagden, Thomas
Blaine, Graham B., Sr.
Bogert, Henry Lawrence, Jr.
* Boulton, William Bowen, Sr., *Avila*
Bowker, Horace, Sr.
Breed, William Constable, *Whale Acres*
Brooks, Ernest, Sr., *The Moorings*
Brownback, Garrett A.
Burr, Robert Page, Sr.
* Burr, Winthrop, Sr., *Orchard Hall*
Burton, John Howes, *Albro House*
* Burton, Robert Lewis, *Albro House*
Carpenter, Edward Novell
Clark, Samuel Adams, Sr.
Crane, Warren Seabury, Jr.
* Crane, Warren Seabury, Sr., *East View*
Dall, Charles Whitney, Sr.
Dall, Stewart Maurice, Sr.
Darlington, The Reverend Gilbert S.
Delafield, Lewis Livingston, Jr.,
Norton Perkins Cottage
Derby, Robert Mason, Sr.

De Veau, George Putnam
Devereux, Alvin, II
Dixon, Courtland Palmer, II, *The Causeway*
Dixon, William Palmer, Jr.
DuBois, Arthur M.
DuBois, Peter, *Driftwood*
Dunham, Carroll, III, *Stone Lodge*
Dunstan, James Samuel, *Brightside*
Eaton, Walter B., *The Corral*
Eddy, William Higbie, Sr.
Edsell, Ralph James, Jr.
Edsell, Ralph James, Sr.
* Erhart, William H., *Five Oaks*
Ferris, Morris Douw, Sr.
Finch, Stephen Baker
* Forrest, Richard E., *Longwood*
Francke, Albert, Sr.
Gamel, Isaac
Garde, John Franklin, Jr.
Geer, William Montague, Jr.
Gildersleeve, Raleigh C., *Red House*
Goadby, Arthur, *Wistaria*
Green, Walton Atwater
Greene, Herbert Gouverneur
Grew, Henry Sturgis, Jr.
Hamill, Robert Lyon, Sr.
Hard, Anson Wales, Sr., *Driftwood*
Hard, De Courcy Lawrence, Sr., *Briarwood*
* Harper, Joseph Henry, Sr., *Brightside*
Harrison, Milton Strong, Jr.
Hatch, Alden R., *Somerleas*
* Hazard, William Ayrault, Sr., *Meadow Hall*
Herrick, Harold, *The Meadows*
Hewlett, George H., *Rock Hall*
* Hewlett, James Monroe
Hinckley, Julian
Hinckley, Samuel Neilson, *Son Ridge*
* Hinckley, Samuel Parker, *Sunset Hall*
Hodges, John King
Hoxie, I. Richmond, Sr.
Hurd, George Frederick
Keene, James Robert
* Kniffin, Howard Summers, Sr., *Restleigh*
Knopf, Samuel
Koehne, John Lawrence, Sr.
Koehne, Richard Sperry, Sr.
* Ladd, William F., Jr.
Lanman, Jonathan Trumbull, Sr., *The Braes*
Lawrence, John L., Sr., *Moorlands*
Lawrence, Newbold Trotter, Sr., *Homewood*
Lefferts, Franklin Baker
* Lefferts, Marshall Clifford, Sr., *Hedgewood*
Lewis, Edison
Livingston, John Griswold, Sr.

Villages

LAWRENCE (cont'd)

- * Lord, Daniel de Forest, V, *Sosiego*
- Lord, Franklin Butler, Sr.
- Low, Ethelbert Ide
- Ludlow, Alden, Rodney, Jr.
- Lynch, Edmund Ambrose, Sr.
- Lynch, George Philip, Sr.
- Macy, George Henry, *The Bungalow*
- * Mann, Samuel Vernon, Jr., *Grove Point*
- Marmo, Anthony
- Marshall, Howard, *Cedarcroft*
- Martin, Thomas Stephen, *Mistletoe Way*
- McKee, Lanier, *Recess*
- McWilliam, Culver B.
- * Merrill, Payson, Sr.
- Meyerkort, John, Jr.
- Miller, William Wilson, *Villa Nancy*
- Moller, Charles George, III
- Morrow, Robert
- Mumford, Philip Gurdon, *Journey's End*
- Newton, Arthur Ulysses
- Niles, George Casper
- Norris, Alfred Lockwood
- Norris, Alfred Oliphant
- Olney, Peter Butler, Jr.
- Olney, Peter Butler, Sr., *Meadowside*
- Pardee, Dr. Ensign Bennett, *Edgewater*
- Parker, Henry Seabury, Sr.
- Patterson, Edward Liddon, *Rock Hall*
- * Peabody, Richard Augustus, *Terrace Hall*
- Peck, Arthur Knowlton, Sr.
[Peck owned two houses in Lawrence.]
- Peck, Lee Wallace
- Pell, Walden, Jr., *Oak Lawn*
- * Perkins, Norton, *Whale Acres*
- Philbin, Jessie Holladay
- * Philips, Frederic D., *Greyhouse*
- Philips, William Frederic, *Fairway*
- Pinkus, Frederick S.
- Pittman, Ernest Wetmore
- Polk, Frank Lyon, Sr.
- * Porter, Henry Hobart, Jr., *Lauderdale*
- Potter, Lars Sellstedt, Jr.
- Pratt, Reginald Tyler
- Prescott, William F.
- Pritchard, Clarence Franklin
- Quinby, John Gurley, Jr.
- Raymond, William, Sr.
- Rees, Harold Baxter, Sr.
- Richards, Junius Alexander, Sr.
- Roberts, Albert Samuel, Jr., *Longwood Hall*
- Robinson, Beverley Randolph
- * Rogers, Edward Sidney
- Ruperti, Justus, *Marigolds*
- Rutter, John Alexandre, Sr.
- Rutter, Nathaniel Edward, Jr.

- Sage, Russell, *Cedar Croft*
- Sanford, George Baylies, *The Byways*
- Sargent, Charles Sprague, Jr.
- Seymour, Origen Storrs, *Sosiego*
- Sherman, Charles E., *The Brae*
- * Sklar, Dr. Leo, *Byrnewood*
- Sloan, Benson Bennett, Sr., *Ballyrocket*
- * Sloan, Thomas Donaldson, Sr., *Wilton Gables*
- Smith, Augustine Jacquelin, *Sunnyside*
- Stanton, Louis Lee, Jr.
- Stanton, Louis Lee, Sr.
- * Stevens, Byam Kirby, Sr.
- Stevens, Eben, *The Mount*
- Stewart, John Henderson, Jr.
- Stone, Herman Foster, *The Moorings*
- Sturgis, Henry Sprague
- Sturgis, William J., Sr.
- Talmage, John Frelinghusen
- Talmage, Prentice, Sr.
- * Taylor, Talbot Jones, Jr., *Talbot House*
- Taylor, Talbot Jones, III
- Taylor, William Reed Kirkland
- Thayer, Benjamin Bowditch, Jr.
- Thorpe, Warren, Sr.
- Throop, Enos Thompson, IV
- Tyner, John Hill
- Voss, William Hude Neilson,
Bannister Cottage
- Walsh, James W., Jr.
- Walsh, James W., III
- Weeks, Herbert A., *Meenahga*
- Weeks, Louis Seabury, Sr.
- Welsh, Joseph Weekes, Sr.
- White, Victor Gerald, Sr.
- Whitman, Alexander Harvey, Sr.
- Whitman, Eben Esmond, Sr.
- Wickersham, Cornelius Wendell, Sr.,
Briarwood
- * Wickersham, George Woodward, Sr.,
Marshfield
- Williams, Ichabod Thomas, II
- Williams, Thomas, II
- Williams, Thomas Resolved, *Windemere*
- Wood, Howard Ogden, Jr.
- Woolverton, William Henderson, Jr.
- Work, James Henry, Jr., *Engleside*
- Work, James Henry, Sr., *The Gowans*
- Wyeth, Leonard J., III

SALISBURY

- Davie, Preston, Sr., *The Oasis*
- Ellis, Ralph Nicholson, Sr.
- Eustis, George Peabody

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- Eustis, James Biddle
* Ladenburg, Adolph, *Heathcote*
Lebaudy, Jacques, *Phoenix Lodge*
Olcott, William Morrow Knox, *Phoenix Lodge*
* Roosevelt, Elliott, Sr., *Half Way Nirvana*

UNIONDALE

- Bird, Oliver William, Jr., *Green Hedge*
Hadden, James E. Smith, *Uniondale Farm*
Rennard, John Townsend
* Ripley, Sidney Dillon, Sr., *The Crossways*
Scott, Charles Robert, *The Crossways*

WEST HEMPSTEAD

- Brower, Howard Stanley, *Longdrive*
Earle, Alexander Morse, Sr.
Otto, Carl L.
Parker, Carleton Allen, *Stonehouse*

WOODMERE

- Atwell, George Joseph, Sr.
Banks, Harold Purdy
Brett, George Platt, Jr., *Justamere Cottage*
Camprubi, Jose Aymar
Candler, Flamen Ball
Chapman, Gilbert Whipple, Sr.
* Chapman, Henry Otis, Sr.
Cooper, Leslie B.
Delafield, Maturin Livingston, II
Fosdick, Clark
Furst, Michael
Gwynne, Frederick Walker, Sr.
Hodges, Wetmore, Sr.
* Jacobi, Harold, Sr.
Kingsland, Harold N.
La Mont, Herbert Murray
* Lord, George de Forest, Sr.
Mills, Edward Shorrey
Morgenthau, Julius Caesar, Sr.
Murray, Herman Stump
Neilson, Robert Hude
Nichols, John Dykes, *Nicholyn*
Parkhurst, William Man
Remick, Joseph Gould
* Schieffelin, John Jay, Sr.
* Schill, Emil
Scott, Henry Clarkson, Sr.
Shepard, Frederick White
Sise, John
Spinzia, Peter

- Stebbins, George Ledyard
Van Sicken, George West

WOODSBURGH

- Ballantine, John Holme, II, *Homeridge*
Bradford, George Dexter
Cox, Daniel Hargate
* Fox, William, *Fox Hall*
Hatch, Frederick Horace
Herrick, Newbold Lawrence, Sr.
Knowlton, Eben Joseph
Marshall, Charles Alexander
Marshall, James Markham
* McCrea, James Alexander, II
* Peck, Arthur Nelson
Sloan, Robert Sage, Sr., *Chilton Gables*
Wainwright, Loudon Snowden, Sr.