

GENEALOGY OF THE FAMILY OF LUDOVICI OF CEYLON.

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I.

Lourens Ludovici of Markt Elbach, b. 1723, m. at Amsterdam, 22 April 1757 *Johanna Margarita Elsebeen Westenhoff* of Fustenau (Westphalia) b 1781, daughter of *Frans Hendrik Westenhoff* of Fustenau, and had by her :—

- I. *Anna Margareta Ludovici*, bap. at Amsterdam 16 April 1758.
- II. *Abida Ludovici*, bap. at Amsterdam 11 Nov. 1759.
- III. *Jan Hendrik Ludovici* (II.).

II.

Jan Hendrik Ludovici, Garrison Surgeon, Matara, bap. at Amsterdam 10 May 1765, d. at Matara 15 March 1804, m. at Galle 17 June 1789 *Gertruida Rudolphina Hoffman*, b. at Galle 22 Nov. 1772, daughter of *Christoffel Willem Hoffman* of Berlin, b. 11 Oct. 1747, and *Johanna Margarita Muurwing* of Galle, daughter of *Johannes Muurwing* of Westervick (Sweden) and *Cassandra Pietersz.* He had by her :—

- I. *Lourens Willem Ludovici*, b. at Galle 19 Nov. 1789, d. 26 May 1797.

¹ *Jan Michiel Ludovici* of Amsterdam, 2nd Surgeon of the hospital, Batavia (probably a brother of *Dr. Jan Hendrik Ludovici*) married at Batavia 17 Dec. 1799. *Abida Janetta Wonneman* of Amsterdam. She died at Batavia on the 16 May, 1815 after having contracted two other marriages (1) at Batavia, 21 Sept. 1805, with *Jan Nicolaas Michell* of Amsterdam, retired Magistrate and Notary Public, Batavia, widower of *Johanna Frederica Preece*, and (2) at Batavia, 10 March 1811, with *Hendrik Veekens* of Amsterdam, opperkoopman and widower of *Gertruida Cornelia Stokkie* of Batavia.

² *Christoffel Willem Hoffman* and *Johanna Margarita Muurwing* were the parents also of *Elisabeth Petronella Hoffman*, b. at Galle 17 March 1774, married there 9 Sept. 1787 *Gerrit van Alken* of Amsterdam, garrison-surgeon. Their children were :—

(a) *Johanna Maria van Alken*, b. at Galle 19 Nov. 1788, m. *Johannes Jacobus Helvetius van Riemsdyk*, b. at Batavia 1781, d. there 9 March 1854, s. of *Willem Vincent Helvetius van Riemsdyk* and *Catharina Johanna Margarita Craan*, daughter of the road-extraordinaire *Jacobus Johannes Craan*, and grandson of the Governor-General *Jeremias van Riemsdyk* by his fourth wife *Adriana Louisa Helvetius*.

(b) *Regnier van Alken*, b. 31 May 1790, d. 5 Aug. 1826, m. 23 Sept. 1819 *Susanna Johanna Henrietta de Vos*, daughter of *Johannes Andreas de Vos* and *Johanna Gerardina Kryger*.

II. *Petrus Jacobus Hendrik Ludovici* (III.).

III. *Johanna Margareta Ludovici*, bap. at Galle 20 Feb. 1791 m. (1) 24 Jan. 1814 *Johan Lodewyk Quyn* of Matara and (2) 4 Nov., 1820 *Johannes Andreas de Vos*.

IV. *Justina Susanna Ludovici*, b. at Galle 25 Feb. 1793, m. Sept. 1813. *Willem Hendrik Aldons*, b. at Colombo 1 Jan. 1792, d. 8 Feb. 1822, s. of *Robert Aldons* and *Maria Catharina Lindeman*.

V. *Dorothea Rudolphina Ludovici*, b. at Galle 12 Aug. 1794, m. 16 Sept. 1816 *Bernard Johan Hendrik von Bergheim* bap. at Galle, 22 Jan. 1792, s. of *Bernard Johan von Bergheim* and *Arnoldina Maria Helena Boon*.

VI. *Wilhelmina Elisabeth Ludovici*, b. at Galle 31 Dec. 1796, m. 12 Ap. 1820 *Henry Pieter van Ingen*, bap. at Galle 29 Dec. 1793, s. of *Cornelis van Ingen* and *Helena Kahle*.

VII. *Henrietta Florentina Ludovici*, b. 23 May 1798, m. 31 May 1819. *Willem Brechman*, bap. at Galle Oct. 1800, s. of *Johannes Hendrik Brechman* and *Maria Buntjens*.

VIII. *Maria Elisabeth Ludovici*, b. 3 Aug. 1801, m. at Galle 1832 *Johan Michel Ernst*, bap. at Matara 25 Feb. 1781, s. of *Nicolaas Ernst* of Neustadt on the Aisch (Franconia) and *Gertruida Podree*.

IX. *Johan Hendrik Ludovici*, b. 28 Nov. 1802, d. at Matara 27 Oct. 1861, m. 7 June 1832 *Sophia Veenekum*, daughter of Lieut. *Carl Lodewyk Veenekum* of Mecklenburg and *Maria Elisabeth Weerman*, and had by her :—

1. *Leopold Ludovici*, Proctor, compiler of the "Lapidarium Zeylanicum," and editor of the "Ceylon Examiner", b. 11 Ap. 1833, m. at Matara 7 Nov. 1859 *Henrietta Ernst*, daughter *Johan Michael Ernst* and *Maria Elisabeth Ludovici*.

2. *Charles Helvetius Ludovici*, b. 23 July 1834.

3. *Louisa Adelaida Ludovici*, b. 5 March 1837.

4. *James Rudolph Ludovici*, b. 23 Dec. 1839, m. July 1870 *Emma Ebert*, and had by her :—

- (1) *Lorenza van Alken Ludovici*, b. July 1871, d. 24 Dec. 1905 m. June 1899 ¹² *E. J. Buntjens*.

- (2) *Lilian Ludovici*, b. Nov. 1872, d. June 1893, m. 1892 *M. Aunardt*.

- (3) *Ethel Ludovici*.

- (4) *Mabel Ludovici*, b. Nov. 1875.

- (5) *Rhoda Ludovici*.

- (6) *Henrietta Ludovici*, b. June 1878.

- (7) *Florence Ludovici*, b. Nov. 1879.

- (8) *Emma Ludovici*, b. Sept. 1880, d. young.

III.

Petrus Jacobus Hendrik Ludovici, Secretary, District Court, Galle b. 3 Feb. 1791, d. July, 1875, m. (1) 7 June 1816 *Henrietta Josephina Smit*, bap. at Galle Oct. 1802, daughter of *Joseph Smit* of Dusseldorp and

Petronella Henrietta Vollenhoven, and (2) at Matara 24 Nov. 1834 *Johanna Wilhelmina Justina Lorenz*.¹

Of the 1st marriage :—

I. *Charles Daniel Ludovici*, b. 4 July 1817, m. (1) 25 Oct. 1841 *Clara Maria Matilda van der Straaten*, daughter of *Philippus Josephus van der Straaten* and *Wilhelmina Johanna Gertruida Andree*, and had by her:—

1. *Harriet Matilda Ludovici*, b. 31 Aug. 1842.

Charles Daniel Ludovici, m. (2) 21 Dec. 1846 *Catherina Wilhelmina Zybrandz*.

II. *Stephen Henry Ludovici*, b. 28 June, 1819, d. 26 Ap. 1840.

III. *Willem Hendrick Ludovici*, b. 21 Nov. 1820, d. 11 July 1847, m. at Calcutta *Caroline Bond*.

IV. *Harriet Carolina Ludovici*, b. 11 June 1825, m. (1) 31 July 1848 *Nathaniel Austin*, s. of *Nathaniel Austin*, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, Galle, and *Sophia Frederica Catesby*, and (2) 4 Feb. 1858 *James Swan*,² Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary.

V. *Susanna Magdalena Ludovici*, b. 10 July 1827, m. 10 July 1857 *Gerrardus Henricus Anthonisz*, b. 30 Sept. 1806, s. of *Abraham Concilianus Anthonisz* and *Johanna Elisabeth Frede*.

VI. *Pieter Frederich Ludovici*, b. 20 Sept. 1829, d. 17 March 1881.

VII. *John William Ludovici*, Proctor, Supreme Court, b. 23 Nov. 1830, m. 14 May 1855 *Georgiana Wilhelmina de Vos*, daughter of *Pieter Willem de Vos* and *Charlotte Eliza van Hagt*.

VIII. *Cecilia Magdalena Ludovici*, b. 4 August 1832.

Of the second marriage :—

IX. *Anna Wilhelmina Henrietta Emelia Ludovici*, b. 4 Jan. 1836, m. 26 Jan. 1860 *Henry Martin Anthonisz*, Secretary, Municipality, Galle, b. 28 Sept. 1827, s. of *Leonardus Henricus Anthonisz* and *Susanna Dorothea Deutrom*.

X. *Edwin Andrew Lorenz Ludovici* (IV.).

XI. *Maria Henrietta Ludovici*, b. 28 May 1839, d. 29 Aug. 1841.

XII. *Frederich George Ludovici*, b. 2 Sept. 1840, d. 10 Aug. 1847.

XIII. *Caroline Harriet Ludovici*, b. 26 Sept. 1842, d. Nov. 1866.

XIV. *Eliza Sophia Ludovici*, b. 14 March 1844, d. 1882.

XV. *Julia Maria Ludovici*, b. 16 May 1848.

¹ Daughter of *Johann Friedrich Lorenz* of Tempelburg, Police Magistrate, Matara, and *Maria Elizabeth Andree* b. at Cochin 10 Jan. 1788, d. at Galle 22 April 1809, daughter of *Johann Friedrich Andree* of Golding, Capt.-Lieut. of Cochin, and *Josina Magdalena van Haren* of Cochin, no doubt daughter of *Reynier van Haren* of Campen, opperkoopman and hoofd administrateur of Cochin, b. at Campen 12 Dec. 1734, d. at Cochin 16 March 1789. *Josina Magdalena van Haren* was married secondly at Galle 27 Feb. 1791 to *Dirk Haiting*.

² Son of *Joseph Swan* and *Louisa Anna Govilllard*, b. 1793, daughter of *Noel August Govilllard* of St. Pol, Artois, Pays de Calais, Surgeon, Luxemburg Regiment, and *Anna Burnat* of Matara.

IV.

Edwin Andrew Lorenz Ludovici b. 19 June 1837, d. at Galle 30 July 1910, m. at Colombo April 1861 *Maria Evelyn Toussaint*, daughter of *Frederich Toussaint* and *Wilhelmina Frederica Kriekenbeek*, and had by her :—

I. *Marianne Evelyn Ludovici*, b. 1 Oct. 1863.

II. *Edwin Ludovici*, Surgeon, b. at Colombo 28 June, 1865, m. (1) at Colombo 30 May 1892 *Catharina Charlotte Selina Holer* b. 20 July 1866.

Died at Galle 8 July 1904, and had by her :—

(1) *Evelyn Marianne Ludovici*, b. at Colombo 14 April 1894.

(2) *William Henry Edwin Ludovici*, b. 23 Feb. 1896.

(3) *James Lorenz Ludovici*, b. 10 Oct. 1897.

(4) *George Henry Ludovici*, b. 1 March 1899.

(5) *Catharine Edith Ludovici*, b. 27 Dec. 1900.

He married (2) at Galle 15 Nov. 1907 *Edith de Vos* and had by her :—

(6) *Arabella Elizabeth Ludovici*, b. at Galle 28 Sept. 1908.

(7) *Lourenz Victor Ludovici*, b. at Galle 13 Dec. 1909.

III. *Frederich Toussaint Ludovici*, District Engineer, P. W. D. b. 29 June 1866, d. at Galle 15 April 1904, m. at Colombo 26 March 1894 *Grace Mabel Grenier*, daughter of *Gerrit Grenier*, Registrar, Supreme Court, and *Anna Eliza Ebell*, and had by her :—

(1) *Frederich Ludovici* b. 19 March 1895.

(2) *Edwin Francis Ludovici* b. 25 May 1897, d. 7 Jan. 1898.

(3) *Herbert Ludovici*, b. 19 July 1900.

(4) *Anna Mabel Ludovici*, b. 4 June 1903.

IV. *Amy Ludovici*, b. 14 Dec. 1867.

V. *Lucilla Julia Ludovici*, b. 25 March 1869.

VI. *Francis Harriet Ludovici*, b. 24 Nov. 1870.

VII. *Henry Lawrence Ludovici*, Surgeon, b. at Colombo 22 May 1874, m. at Galle 26 Dec. 1900 *Ethel Lydia de Vos*.

VIII. *William Ambrose Ludovici*, Assistant Superintendent of Police b. 10 Feb 1876, m. at Galle 26 Sept. 1906 *Theresa Eleanor de Vos*, and had by her :—

(1) *William de Vos Ludovici*, b. 19 Oct. 1907.

IX. *Pieter James Owen Ludovici*, b. 10 Sept. 1877, m. at Colombo 27 Sept. 1909 *Zoë de Hoedt*, and had by her :—

1. *James Vernon Ludovici*, b. at Colombo 19 Sept. 1910.

¹ Daughter of *George Augustus Hole*, Superintendent, Salt Department, Putlam, and *Katherina Jane Walbeeff*. The parents of *George Augustus Hole* were the Revd. *George Hole*, Wesleyan Minister, and *Selina Tranchell*, daughter of *Gustavus Adolphus Tranchell*, Lt.-Col. C. R. R., and *Elizabeth Selway*.

² *Edith de Vos*, *Ethe. Lydec de Vos*, *Theresa Eleanor De Vos* are daughters of *William Edward de Vos*, Crown Proctor, Galle and *Sophia Emelia Speidewinde*.