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POLLOCK Some Census Sources

There are many Scottish and Irish-born Pollock families in Huron and Bruce Counties who could relatives. It is possible that some of them were responsible for drawing the George Pollock family to the area.

February 1852 Census – Rawdon, QC - C1124, P. 75

Dean Swift 29 England Weslyn. Meth. Farmer

Dorcas Pollock 24 Canada

In 1861, they were at Rawdon aged 39 and 35 and had no children.

1861 Census – Huron Township, Bruce County

Robert Pollock	36	L. Canada	C of E	Labourer
Elizabeth Pollock	30	L. Canada	C of E	
Isabella Pollock	9	U. Canada		
Maria Pollock	7	U. Canada		
Gordon Pollock	4	U. Canada		
Mary Dorcas Pollock	2	U. Canada		

1871 Census – Ashfield, N. Huron – C9930, p.63

Dean Swift	48	England	C of E	Hotel Keeper
Dorkes [sic] Swift	48	O [sic]	"	
Isabella Swift	7	O^1	"	going to school
Ellen Cavin	18	Ο	W. Meth	servant
Mary Polock [sic] ²	11	0	C of E	going to school
George Polock	33 [sic]	O [sic]	"	farmer
Sarah Polock	30 [sic 35]	O [sic]	"	neither reads nor writes
Rev. James Jones	27	England	"	minister

1871 Census – Huron Township, S. Bruce County C9933

Robert Pollock	48	Ireland	C of E	Farmer
Elizabeth Pollock	31 [sic]	Q		
Isabella Pollock	17	0		
Maria Pollock	15	0		
Gordon Pollock	14	0		
Mary Dorcas Pollock	12	0		
George Pollock	10	0		
Robert Pollock	8	0		
Sarah Jane Pollock	6	0		
Eliza Pollock	3	0		

1881 Census - Goderich, Huron Centre, Ontario, C-13273

Dean Swift	60	England	Church of England
Darcus [sic] Swift	55	Ireland [sic]	Church of England
Isabella Swift	17	Ontario	Church of England
Sarah Pollock	40	Ontario ³	Church of England

1881 Census – Huron, Bruce South, Ontario, C-13274

Robert Pollock	60	Quebec [sic]	Church of England
Elizabeth Pollock	46	Quebec	Church of England
Isabella Pollock	26	Ontario	ditto for all children
Gordon Pollock	24	Ontario	
Maria Pollock	25	Ontario	
George Pollock	19	Ontario	
Mary Pollock	21	Ontario	
Robert Pollock	17	Ontario	
Sarah Pollock	14	Ontario	
Lizzia [sic] Pollock	11	Ontario	
William Pollock	9	Ontario	
Thomas Pollock	7	Ontario	

Also see John Pollock family at Stanley Township, Huron County and Kinloss Township, Bruce County as referred to in footnote

This suggests date of the family's arrival in Ontario was after 1861 and before 1864.

Possibly Mary Dorcas 12, the daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Pollock; she was also recorded with her parents.

She was born at Rawdon, QC as mentioned above.