

FROM NINA LUNIE ANDERSON HOMER  
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Dear Ida Lee!

So nice to hear from you. I know what you mean when you say you miss your folks and those in Du Bois. I especially miss Aunt Jane & Les & Helen Louise & my Mother of course. It was always a nice place to visit on Janetta St.

I think most of them were creative and artistic. On my mother's side her grandfather was a ships captain and took the name of Faragut, I think it was. That was the right of sea captains. He was her mother's father. Mother's father was a Baron, the youngest son of a count. Since the oldest son inherited everything, he came to America to seek his fortune. He was a not very prosperous farmer here & went back to Sweden in his old age. Guess the homestead was open to anyone that wanted to.

Her mother was  
Nina Mabel Olson

The father of  
Jennie Sofia Lind Fardig  
was a ships captain and  
took the name Fardig, not  
Faragut.

Nina's father was  
Charles Olson, a parson.

live there (+ work no doubt).

Grandma on Juniatta street did come + live in Ridgway for awhile. Her name was Bengstrom, wasn't it? Zepford corresponded with someone like that, that was looking for relatives. I think he was a teacher in Minn. As you know, Grandma came from an aristocratic family, and she fell in love with the gardener's son. They left Sweden when my father was six months old, because her father had kept her money that her brother's said she could have. Her mother had left it to her and her brothers. They were prosperous + didn't need it.

I am in very good health as compared to others my age. The thing is I have Agina + when I overdo, I must rest completely. Also, I have colon problems like Uncle Harry had. Have not developed cancer as yet. It is very touchy and causes discomfort

Grandma on Juniatta St  
was Emma Louise  
Bengston.

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