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The Reynolds Family Association

The thirty-third annual reunion of the Association was held at the Hotel McAlpin, New York City, on Saturday, October 11th, 1924. The usual informal reception to members and friends was held in the reception room at 4 P. M.

THE BUSINESS MEETING

At 5 P. M. the annual business meeting was called to order by the President, Frederick G. Reynolds. In the absence of the chaplain the meeting opened with prayer by A. C. Ripper; then the members sang "America". The minutes of the previous meeting and with the 1923 Annual Report, they were unanimously approved. The Report on Necrology was read and approved as printed further on. Silent prayer was offered for those deceased. The Secretary read a letter from Howard Reynolds expressing regret at not being able to be present, also presenting a need of interest in one of the *name* who, through an attack of Rheumatoid Arthritis when very young, had made her an invalid and rather helpless as to self-support. A committee was appointed to look into the matter. Marion H. Reynolds presented the need of greater interest if the publication of the various lines were to be continued. Officers for 1924-25 were elected, as printed on the previous page.

The thirty-fourth annual reunion of the Association was held at the Hotel McAlpin, New York City, on Saturday, October 17th, 1925. The usual informal reception was held in the Colonial Room of the hotel at 11 A. M.

THE BUSINESS MEETING

In the absence of the President the meeting was opened by Vice-President, Harriet L. Reynolds. In the absence of the Chaplain, prayer was offered by Leonard J. Reynolds followed by the singing of "America." The Secretary read the minutes of the business meeting of the previous year which were approved. The report of Necrology was read and approved as printed farther on. Silent prayer was offered for those deceased. Officers for 1925-26 were elected as printed on a previous page. Fraternal greetings were exchanged with the members of the Stark Association who held their reunions 1924-25 in New London, Conn. Fraternal greetings were extended to those holding reunions as given herein. To those in sickness and sorrow, letters of affection

and sympathy. Many have extended their greetings and regrets at not being able to be present with us at the reunions. The publications were discussed and the SAYBROOK LINE will follow the publication of this Annual. Other publications to be planned for as given elsewhere in this report. It was a great pleasure to extend to our many members who met with us for their first time, a hearty welcome into the Association. On motion a telegram of greeting and affection was sent to Marion H. Reynolds of Alameda, California; also a telegram conveying affection and sympathy in his serious illness to Alvah Reynolds of Altona, Ill. To those members who were ill the Secretary was requested to send a letter of affection. The meeting place for 1926 was discussed and as the sesqui-centennial will be held in Philadelphia in 1926, it was thought well to consider meeting there. The matter was left in the hands of the committee.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

Since the publication of our 1923 Annual, activity in the Association has varied somewhat. With the publication of the large history of JOHN and SARAH REYNOLDS of WATERTOWN, MASS., it became necessary to center much interest in reaching the many descendants who were not members of the R. F. A. and some who did not even know about it. This meant a great deal of correspondence to help awaken interest and thus assist in the financial obligation.

During the two years we have had many inquiries as to their ancestry, some of these we have published in this Annual.

An appeal is made for FIELD Secretaries, viz; members belonging to the D. A. R.; S. A. R.; Colonial Dames and Sons of Colonial Wars, having access to their respective publications may find some record pertaining to the name REYNOLDS which would add to our records. There are those members who may have the time to visit the historical rooms or the libraries where town records could be copied, thus helping the Secretary greatly.

We are pleased to report eighty-seven new members. List of births and marriages are given elsewhere in this Annual.

To the many members who have been so kind as to assist me in this great work, I wish to extend my appreciation. May I seek for a greater co-operation from all in soliciting new members thus strengthening the interest of the R. F. A.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA C. RIPPPIER, *Secretary.*

The Secretary's report was accepted and approved.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

Receipts: (June 30, 1923 to October 11th, 1924, inclusive)

Balance in the Treasury, June 30, 1923.....	\$289.33
*Amount on deposit, Title Guar. Trust Co. Oct. 31, 1923.....	199.74
Sale of History of John and Sarah Reynolds, Watertown, Mass.	\$1,850.50
Sale of thirteen crests.....	45.50
Sale of stationery bearing crest	97.75
Sale of fobs bearing crest.....	21.00
Sale of 1922 Annuals	62.50
Sale of Annuals, previous issues	27.75
Sale of 1923 Annual	10.00
Assessment 1922 Annual.....	6.00
Assessment of One Dollar 1923 Annual	145.00
Advance sale 1924 Annual.....	6.00
Publication Fund "Robert of Boston" Line.....	21.00
Membership dues	431.50
	2,724.50
Total receipts	\$3,213.57

Disbursements:

Brooklyn Daily Eagle, paid on account of printing, 670 copies of History of "John and Sarah Reynolds"	\$2,022.00
Brooklyn Daily Eagle, printing 750 copies 1923 Annuals	360.00
Brooklyn Daily Eagle Printing 1,000 Reprints (page 12)	5.50
Brooklyn Daily Eagle, printing 300 post card notices	9.75
Bainbridge, Kimpton and Haupt Co., copper half-tone engravings	68.29
Bainbridge, Kimpton and Haupt Co., cartons for history	19.18
P. F. Snider, copies of crests.....	37.50
P. F. Snider, 1 die.....	15.00
Papeteries	31.52
Stamping same with die.....	26.15
Index cards for History and Annual.....	18.70
Copying of Civil War records.....	36.40
Copying of Quaker records.....	10.00
Copying of other records	14.50
Multigraphing circular letters, 2 forms	11.50
Photographing letters, mark and record	8.00
General expense connected with history	17.25
Brooklyn Art Press Printing, 800 invitations to 1924 reunion	9.00
Stationery for general correspondence	11.50
Sundry expenses	3.70
Postage on 1923 annuals	19.15
Postage and expressage on history	37.56
Postage on 1924 invitations and receipts	14.00

* Representing balance in the treasury at the time of Mrs. Bromiley's death, see 1917-18 Annual.

Secretary's bill for postage on:

General correspondence	23.32	
Correspondence for History.....	24.00	
Mailing stationery, crests and jewelry sold.....	6.38	
Previous annuals sold	3.21	
Total expended		\$2,863.06

Balance in the treasury, October 11th, 1924.....		\$350.51
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JOHN J. REYNOLDS	{	<i>Auditors.</i>
F. V. R. REYNOLDS		
GEORGE W. REYNOLDS		

Treasurer's report accepted and approved by the meeting.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

Receipts: (October 11, 1924 to October 17, 1925, inclusive)

Balance in the Treasury, October 11, 1924.....		\$350.51
Membership dues	\$390.00	
Sale of bearing pins, crest pins.....	9.00	
Sale of stationery bearing crest.....	77.50	
Sale of fobs bearing crest.....	16.00	
Sale of ten crests	35.00	
Sale of Annuals.....	40.00	
Sale of letter (of Joseph Reynolds to his son Parker Reynolds, 1793)	20.00	
Sale of History of "John and Sarah Reynolds".....	319.00	
Assessment, 1923 annual	14.00	
Cash received (library fund)	6.00	
Cash received (R. of B. fund)	4.00	930.50
Total receipts		\$1,281.01

Disbursements:

Brooklyn Daily Eagle, paid on account of balance due of \$1,000	\$850.00	
Paul F. Snider; copies of crest.....	43.75	
Copies of early records and photo.....	9.75	
Papeteries	19.83	
Stamping same	6.38	
Stationery for general correspondence.....	9.47	
Multigraphing circular letter.....	5.58	
Postage on circular letters.....	5.00	
Stamping names on History.....	1.00	
General expense connected with 1924 reunion.....	7.00	
Postage on Histories sold.....	8.01	
Postage on stationery, crests, and annuals sold.....	6.56	
Postage on general correspondence.....	18.71	
Brooklyn Art Press, printing 750 invitations and reply, and membership cards.....	17.00	
Postage on invitations and receipts.....	14.75	
Total expended		\$1,022.79
Balance in the treasury, October 17, 1925.....		\$258.22

JAMES T. REYNOLDS	{	<i>Auditors:</i>
GEORGE W. REYNOLDS		

Treasurer's report accepted and approved by the meeting.

Obituary

ERIE LA PLATA REYNOLDS: (*Elisha⁶; Jonathan⁵; Ebenczer⁴; Jonathan³; 2 Johns*):

Born Cincinnati, O., February 1, 1849; died November 4, 1923, Richmond, Ind., after an extended illness. He was the son of Elisha Isam and Arminda C. Tucker Reynolds. Was in the shoe business for 25 years, later entered the contracting, building and real estate business, having erected a number of public buildings in Richmond. He had led a retired life for some years. Married (1st) September 6, 1871, *Lilly Hodges Brown*; married (2nd) *Alma Lower*, November 18, 1914, who survives him.

(The Weymouth Line, see No. 199, p. 177, 1922 Annual).

HARRY BILLINGS REYNOLDS, JR.: (*Henry⁹; Charles⁸; 2 Henrys; Jonathan⁵; Ebenczer⁴; Jonathan³; 2 Johns*):

Born Deep River, Conn., January 19, 1922; died September 23, 1923, Essex, Conn., the son of Henry Billings and Audley H. Bartman Reynolds, who survive him.

(The Weymouth Line, see No. 408, p. 187, 1922 Annual).

HAROLD HAYDEN REYNOLDS: (*Hayden⁸; Ephraim⁷; Henry⁶; Jonathan⁵; Ebenczer⁴; Jonathan³; 2 Johns*):

Born Lyme, Conn., August 13, 1884; died May 18, 1924, Hartford Hospital, Hartford, Conn. He was the son of Hayden Lord and Hattie F. Warner Reynolds of Hamburg, Conn.; married *Margaret Sawyer*, November 28, 1907, who survives him and two sons and a daughter, Russell H. and Maurice, and Eleanor; also his parents and three brothers, Lawrence W.; Donald; Paul Reynolds, and two sisters, Mrs. Harris Wood and Miss Harriet R. Reynolds.

(The Weymouth Line, see No. 342, p. 187, 1922 Annual).

HENRY HUN, M.D.: (*Lydia⁸; Marcus Tullius⁷; 2 Stephens; Nathaniel⁴; James³; 2 Johns*):

Born Albany, N. Y., March 21, 1854; died there March 14, 1924, of pneumonia. He was the son of Dr. Thomas and Lydia (Reynolds) Hun; married Lydia Marcia Hand of Albany, N. Y., April 28, 1892. Dr. Hun was a noted neurologist and consulting physician and was of a quiet, charitable and lovable nature, held in high esteem by all who knew him. Was active in his profession up to within a few days of his death. (See next obituary.)

MRS. HENRY HUN:

Née *Miss Lydia Marcia Hand*, born Albany, N. Y., February 1, 1864; died there March 11, 1925. She was the daughter of Judge Samuel and Lydia Coit (Learned) Hand; m. *Henry Hun, M.D.*, of Albany, April 28, 1892. Survived by two sons and a daughter; Dr. Henry Hand Hun and Samuel Hand Hun and Mrs. Kenneth Grey Reynolds all of Albany, N. Y.

(See record No. 3118 in the History of John and Sarah Reynolds).

HOWARD VAN RENSSELAER: (*Laura*⁸; *Marcus Tullius*⁷; 2 *Stephens*; *Nathaniel*⁴; *James*³; 2 *Johns*):

Born Albany, N. Y., June 26, 1858; died March 31, 1925, Washington, D. C., the son of Bayard and Laura (Reynolds) Van Rensselaer; was unmarried and the last of his immediate family.

(See record No. 3127, The History of John and Sarah Reynolds).

MRS. WILLIAM FRY REYNOLDS:

Née *Isabella Fisher*, born London, England, January 22, 1835; died February 10, 1924, Evansville, Ind. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher and came to Evansville in 1848 from London with her parents; was one of the city's few remaining pioneer citizens. Active in Daughters of Rebekah, also in charitable work. Married *William Fry Reynolds*; survived by two daughters, Miss Clara Belle and Miss Mary Fisher Reynolds of Evansville, Ind., the latter a member of the Association.

EDGAR MOREAU REYNOLDS: (*Abraham*; *Abraham*; *Samuel*-):

Born Newark, N. J., May 2, 1861; died June 16, 1924, Germantown, Pa.; the son of Abraham M. and Anna E. (Mason) Reynolds; m. *Marian Holbert*, October 20, 1887, Warwick, N. Y. Mr. Reynolds had a wide experience in railroad accounting matters, for many years was auditor of the Lehigh and Hudson River R.R. Co., Warwick, N. Y. At the time of his death he was comptroller of the Lehigh and New England R.R. Co. and an officer or director of the several companies affiliated with the navigation company. Member of Germantown Cricket, Pelham and Town Clubs, the Church Club of Philadelphia and the Penna. Society of New York and The R. F. A. Besides his widow he is survived by two sisters, Miss Clementine R. and Miss Josephine Reynolds of Somerville, N. J., and a brother Abraham Moreau Reynolds of Mountain Lakes, N. J.

JAMES MONTGOMERY REYNOLDS:

Born, Rutheglen, Va., July 4, 1849; died August 21, 1923,

Gallipolis Ferry, W. Va., son of Andrew Jackson and Rhoda Nelson (Terrell) Reynolds; married *Sally K. Crain*, Hillsboro, Ky., July 22, 1879. Besides his widow, he leaves two daughters and four sons: Mrs. James D. Strain of Pittsburgh, Pa., Mrs. David A. Gault, Rea, Pa.; Stonewall J. and Charles P. of South Side, Va., James S. of Gallipolis Ferry, W. Va.; Chauncey I. Reynolds of San Antonio, Texas; also a sister, Mrs. William Bell of Massaponox, Va.

(Mr. Reynolds was probably of the Va. Line.)

MARCUS LEWIS REYNOLDS: (*Lewis*; *Lewis*; —):

Born Easton, Conn., April 15, 1850; died October 31, 1924, Bridgeport, Conn., of pneumonia.

He was the son of Lewis Benedict and Fanny (Peck) Reynolds; married (1st) *Laura S. Banks*, June 26, 1872, Easton, Conn.; died February 1, 1883; married (2nd) *Katie Jane Segears*, June 12, 1890, Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Reynolds was Mayor of Bridgeport, 1906-7; was prominent in political and fraternal circles for many years. An Episcopalian; member of I. O. O. F.; Encampment; K. of P.; Red Men; and was interested in the R. F. A. At the time of his death was President of Lakeview Cemetery. Survived by his widow, he was the last member of his family.

JOSEPH EVERETT REYNOLDS: (*Eli*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; *Eldred*⁵; *John*, Jr.⁴ (*Blind*); *John*³; *Joseph*²; *James*¹):

Born Nashua, N. H., February 23, 1854; died March 1, 1923, Monson, Mass. He was the son of Eli Whitney and Sophronia A. (Scott) Reynolds; married (1st) *Sarah Isadora Rixford*, Hollister, Mass., July 24, 1876, she died November 13, 1918; married (2nd) *Mrs. Harriet M. Barber*, July 22, 1922. Mr. Reynolds was educated in the public schools of Keene, N. H., and Bryant Stratton Commercial College, Boston, Mass. For many years he was engaged in the manufacturing of straw and felt hats in Holliston, Wrentham and Westboro, Mass., and Stamford, Conn. Member of the R. F. A. In 1900, located in Monson, Mass. Besides his widow, two granddaughters, Mrs. Chauncey Allen Steiger, Holyoke, Mass., and Miss Thelma E. Emery survive him.

(The James of Kingston Line).

MRS. SUSAN T. FONES: (*Daniel*⁷; *John*⁶; *Henry*⁵; *John*⁴; 2 *Henrys*; *James*¹):

Née *Susan Champlin Reynolds*, born Coventry, R. I., August 16, 1842; died October 12, 1923, Washington, R. I.; the daughter of Daniel V. and Hannah Hazard (Gardiner) Reynolds; married

David Thomas Fones, May 22, 1873. Member of the R. F. A. for many years. A son, Harrie Gardiner Fones and granddaughter, Marion Hopkins Fones of Washington, R. I., survive.

(The James of Kingstown Line.)

MISS IDA ELNORA REYNOLDS: (*William*⁸; *Peleg*⁷; *Samuel*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; *Samuel*⁴; 2 *Josephs*; *James*¹).

Born Mansfield, Conn., died December 3, 1923, Eaglesville, Conn., an invalid for many years.

She was the daughter of William and Cynthia (Hanks) Reynolds and is survived by a half-sister, Mrs. George Royce of Brimfield, Mass. Member of the R. F. A. for many years, and was greatly interested in it.

(The James of Kingstown Line.)

HUGH ANDERSON HARALSON: (*Margaret*; *Walker*; *Reuben*; *Thomas*).

Born Aug. 22, 1869; died October 24, 1923, Livingston, Ala.

He was the son of Capt. Hugh Anderson and Margaret E. Reynolds Haralson; married 1st, *Bettie Larkin*, May, 1894; died November 1894; married 2nd *Elizabeth Esther Wood*, October 22, 1902, Florence, Ala., who survives him, also three sons and a daughter, Henry W., Hugh A., and Hamilton S. Haralson; and Miss Bessie Reynolds Haralson; his mother, all of Livingston, Ala.; three brothers, Jonathan, James D. and Newton M. Haralson.

(Of the Va. Line.)

LINCOLN C. REYNOLDS: (*Silas*⁸; *Simcon*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; 3 *Nathaniels*; *Robert*¹):

Born Hartford, Maine, October 28, 1860; died May 31, 1924, Oakland, California, of angina pectoris. He married *Byrd Margaret Cannon*, October 14, 1890, Hazel, S. D. At an early age, he went out to the lumber camps in Michigan. About 1893, located Shasta Co., Calif., and eventually developed a large lumber business with sixteen mills and some railroad interests. In 1906, sold out to a syndicate and located on Coos Bay, Oregon, where he remained until 1919; thence removing to Napa, Calif. An extended account of his career will appear in the forthcoming *Robert of Boston Genealogy*. Besides his widow, he leaves four sons and two daughters: Marion H., Frederic L., Thomas and Kenneth; and Mrs. Harold L. Newman and Miss Esther Reynolds.

SIMEON OTIS REYNOLDS: (2 *Simcons*; *Joseph*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; 3 *Nathaniels*; *Robert*¹):

Born Bethel (Upton), Me., February 24, 1844; d. E. Caribou, Me., July 4, 1923. He m. (1st) *Elizabeth Fields*; (2nd) *Miss Waldron*; (3rd) *Ada H. Tompkins*. About 1859, his family removed to the Caribou potato district of Maine, where Simeon thereafter resided. In Civil War, he was a private, aged 18, enlisted August 30, 1862, Co. F. 7th Maine Vol. Inf. Mustered in September 16, 1862, for three years. Fought at Gettysburg. Transferred to First Inf. Vet. Vols. September 20, 1864. Mustered out June 16, 1865. Further account in the forthcoming *Robert of Boston Genealogy*. Five children, four surviving: Edgar P., Ira D., Alice M. (Mrs. Brown), Guy O., living near Ft. Fairfield, Me. His brother Reuel Roscoe lives also at Ft. Fairfield, Me.

MRS. GEORGE ELBERT REYNOLDS:

Née Sarah Lucinda Billar, b. City Island, N. Y., February 22, 1851; d. there February 25, 1923. She was the daughter of Drake Wilson and Mary (Pell) Billar; m. George Elbert Reynolds, June 6, 1877, City Island, N. Y. (See next obituary.)

GEORGE ELBERT REYNOLDS, D.D.S.: (*Squire*; *Daniel*; *Silas*; *Daniel*—):

Born Town of Thompson, Sullivan Co., N. Y., November 30, 1852; d. February 15, 1924, Union Hospital, Bronx, N. Y. He was the son Squire Ember and Anna Eliza (Burham) Reynolds; married *Sarah Lucinda Billar*, June 6, 1877. Dr. Reynolds was a druggist for many years, then a dentist residing most all of his professional life on City Island. A Methodist; Republican; P. M. of Pelham Lodge, F. and A. M.; P. R. of R. A., member of the Van Nest Square Club; both Dr. and Mrs. Reynolds were interested in the R. F. A. Survived by two sons and three daughters; Wilson E. and Samuel F. Reynolds of City Island; Mrs. Gordon E. Ward and Miss Edna L. Reynolds of City Island, and Mrs. Edward J. Sundstrom of Brooklyn, N. Y., also two brothers, Stephen A. and Howard B. Reynolds; seven grandchildren.

WILLIAM GIFFORD REYNOLDS: (*Charles*; *William*; *Parley*; *William*—):

Born Petersburg, N. Y., August 12, 1875; d. October 1, 1924, Lexington Hospital, N. Y. City. He was the son of Charles Whitford and Lucy (Gifford) Reynolds; m. *Florence Bender* of Albany, N. Y., June 1, 1897. Besides his widow and

mother he leaves a son, William G. Reynolds; a granddaughter; two brothers and a sister, Alonzo P. and Noyes H. Reynolds and Mrs. Irving G. Dole.

(See p. 190, 1922 Annual.)

CARL HENRY REYNOLDS: (*Henry*⁹; *Luther*⁸; *Luke*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; 3 *Nathls*²; *Robert*¹):

Born E. Wilton, Me., April 26, 1871; d. January 2, 1921. Brooklyn, N. Y. He was the son of Dr. Henry and *Perfenda* M. (Cheney) Reynolds; m. *Genevieve Harris*, Cohocton, N. Y., October 27, 1897. Mr. Reynolds attended Livermore High School and Colby College. A Mason and Elk. Beside his widow he leaves a son, Lieut. Carl H. Reynolds, U. S. N., San Diego, Cal., and two daughters, Mrs. Robert F. Moore and Miss Janet Reynolds of Brooklyn, N. Y. and his parents. (See next obituary.)

DR. HENRY REYNOLDS: (*Luther*⁸; *Luke*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; 3 *Nathls*; *Robert*¹):

Born Jay, Me., June 4, 1843; d. Livermore Falls, Me., July 24, 1924, after a two months' illness. He m. *Perfenda* M. Cheney, November 17, 1869, daughter of Luther and Mary (Brown) Cheney. Dr. Reynolds attended Amherst College; Bowdoin College; Harvard Medical College, '69. Practised medicine Auburn and Livermore Falls, Me., for 41 years. Agricultural Editor Lewiston Journal 8 years; general editor 5 years; President Livermore Falls Medical Society. Member R. F. A.; Baptist; Republican. Besides his widow, he leaves a son Ralph Walter of Livermore Falls and a daughter, Mrs. George W. Treat, Braintree, Mass.

(The Robert of Boston Line.)

WALTER W. NORTON:

Son of Thomas Lot and Susan Reid Norton died a tragic death during the early hours of June 12, 1924, Lakeville, Conn. Born October 26, 1867, Lakeville, Conn.; married *Lillian Reynolds*, June 24, 1890, who survives him also two daughters, Miss Margaret Reynolds and Mrs. Harriet N. Dempster, and a grandson Walter N. Dempster. Mr. Norton was an active business man at the time of his death, an officer in the Robbins and Burrall Trust Co., also in the Salisbury Savings Society; had interest in numerous community centres. Member of the S. of V.; S. A. R.; Y. M. C. A. and Deacon in the Salisbury Congregation Church.

(See No. 2624, in the History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

MRS. CONRAD C. REID: (*Smith*⁶; *Zada*⁷; *Patty*⁶; *Jonathan*; *Hezekiah*⁴; *Jonathan*³; 2 *Johns*):

Born North Amherst, O., March 10, 1845; d. August 28, 1924, Avon Lake, O. She was the daughter of Smith Elliott and Mary (Walker) Crandall; married *Conrad Cornelius Reid*, February 7, 1865, at Oberlin, O. Member of the Western Reserve Chapter D. A. R.; First Congregational Church, Lorain, O., and the R. F. A. A teacher in the Amherst Schools; inaugurated the first "Memorial Exercises" in Lorain Co., the first year Decoration Day was observed after the Civil War, her brother was the first soldier brought home (dead) to Lorain Co. and his grave decorated that day. Was one of the early crusaders in the great Temperance cause. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. David E. Parsons and Mrs. Florence H. Bush of Avon Lake, O., a son, Col. George C. Reid, Guam, M. I., and a brother Almeron Crandall of Long Beach, Calif., all members of the R. F. A.

(See record No. 3282-4 in the History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

REUBEN REYNOLDS: (*Roswell*; *Joseph*;—):

Born Jefferson, Schoharie Co., N. Y., February 28, 1842; d. February 23, 1924, Long Beach, Calif., the youngest son of Roswell B. and Jerusha (Ruland) Reynolds; m. *Pollyette Edmunds Parduc*, February 11, 1868; d. January 7, 1824. Mr. Reynolds was a successful business man in Oneonta, Sidney and Unadilla, N. Y., Grand Rapids, Mich., and Long Beach, Calif., was an extensive property owner of Long Beach, going there in 1903. Member of the Chamber of Commerce; F. & A. M.; A. A. O. M. S. An only daughter, Mrs. Eva Reynolds Jones of Long Beach, Calif., and four grandchildren survive.

MISS ABBY REED REYNOLDS: (*Joseph*⁶; *George*⁵; 2 *Josephs*; *Nathaniel*²; *Robert*¹):

Born Amenia, N. Y., March 2, 1837; died there January 25, 1925; the daughter of Joseph and Electa (Guernsey) Reynolds. Miss Reynolds had been an invalid for a long time. Member of The Amenia Baptist Church; also the R. F. A.

(The Robert of Boston Line.)

ARTHUR WOOD REYNOLDS: (*George*³; *Silas*⁸; *Simcon*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; 3 *Nathaniels*; *Robert*¹):

Born Caribou, Me., August 22, 1888; d. July 2, 1923, Portland, Ore., of heart disease. He was the son of George F. and Florence E. (Wood) Reynolds. Was an expert machinist. Unmarried. Survived by his father; four brothers, Harland, Bur-

leigh, John and Harold; three sisters, Mrs. Perry Dodson, Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Miss Florence Reynolds.

(The Robert of Boston Line.)

MRS. WILLIAM A. REYNOLDS:

Née *Anna Todd*, born Dover, Del., April 22, 1839; died September 13, 1923, Wilmington, Del. She was the daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Schee) Todd; married *William A. Reynolds*, August 1, 1861; died July 21, 1906. Mrs. Reynolds was greatly interested in the Association. Survived by four daughters and a son; Miss Elizabeth S. Reynolds and Mrs. Eugene W. Manning of Wilmington, Del., Mrs. Edward H. Eckel of Ft. Worth, Tex., and Mrs. Alfred C. Willits, Holmsburg, Pa.; and Mr. William K. Reynolds of Cleveland, O., also nine grandchildren.

(The James of Kingstown Line.)

MRS. WILLIAM W. GORSLINE: (*Thomas*⁵; *Thomas*⁴; *Samuel*³; *Francis*²; *Henry*¹):

Née *Margaret Jane Reynolds*, born Reynoldsville, Pa., June 19, 1850; died there September 20, 1921. Daughter of Thomas and Juliana (Smith) Reynolds; married *William Wallace Gorsline*, Nov. 19, 1879. Mrs. Gorsline was deeply interested in the Association. Of her immediate family, a sister, Mrs. Clarinda E. Seeley of Reynoldsville, Pa., survives.

MRS. L. D. COREY: (*Elizabeth*⁷; *Tilton*⁶; *Thomas*⁵; 2 *Samuels*; *Francis*²; *Henry*¹):

Née *Ella Evelyn Seeley*, born Reynoldsville, Pa., April 16, 1868; died Oct. 18, 1924, Dunkirk, N. Y., having met her death in a most tragic way; married *L. D. Corey*, of Olean, N. Y., October 15, 1924, while on their motor trip a collision occurred throwing Mrs. Corey out, sustaining injuries that caused her death. She was the daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Reynolds) Seeley; was a most talented person. Survived by her husband; father; sister Helen M. Seeley and brothers Todd L. and Arthur L. Seeley. Both Mrs. Gorsline and Mrs. Corey were descendants of one of the pioneer families of Reynoldsville, Pa.

(The Henry of Chichester Line.)

MRS. EDWIN F. HOPKINS:

Née *Elnora M. Reynolds* (*William A.*⁸; *William*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; 2 *Calebs*; *Joshua*³; *John*²; *John*¹), born Scipio, N. Y., January 2, 1870; died Groton, N. Y., July 28, 1924. She was the daughter of William Alanson and Catherine (Hudson) Reynolds; married

Edwin F. Hopkins, February 4, 1896, who survives her, also a son, Paul Reynolds Hopkins, both of Groton, N. Y.

(See No. 2259 of The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

JOSEPH REYNOLDS: (*Abijah*⁷; *Joseph*⁶; 2 *Calebs*; *Joshua*³; *John*²; *John*¹):

Born Zales Mills, N. Y., March 22, 1839; died November 10, 1923, Maple Rapids, Mich. He was the son of Abijah and Free-love (Gale) Reynolds; married *Mary E. Kenyon*, 1874, who survives him, also, four daughters; Mrs. Carrie Sharkley, Merrifield, N. Y.; Mrs. Will Hogan, Lansing, Mich.; Mrs. Charles Jeffords, Owasso, Mich., Mrs. John Reynolds, Maple Rapids, Mich., also seven grandchildren. Mr. Reynolds was a harness maker, later in life a farmer. Civil War veteran, having enlisted as a Private, Battery I, 3rd N. Y. Vol. Light Artillery (originally 19th Vol. Infantry).

(See No. 1206. The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

REV. GEORGE SHERWOOD WHITNEY: (*George*⁸; *Emily*⁷; *Parker*⁶; 3 *Josephs*; *Jonathan*²; *John*¹):

Born Delafield, Wisc., May 14, 1868; died March 1, 1924, Augusta, Ga. He was the son of Rev. George A. and Marion J. (Sherwood) Whitney; married (1st) *Josephine E. Loomis*, Lyons, Ia., who died January 30, 1898, Thomasville, Ga.; married (2nd) *Julia F. Stark*, of Thomasville, Ga., August 9, 1900, and is survived by her.

(See No. 2529. The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

GILES SPENCER CONGDON: (*Dorcas*⁷; *John*⁶; *Henry*⁵; *John*⁴; 2 *Henrys*; *James*¹):

Born Bristol, R. I., November 7, 1843; died there May 1, 1924. He was the son of Franklin E. and Dorcas (Reynolds) Congdon; married *Mary E. Mason*, November 15, 1870, daughter of James E. and Nancy (Allyn) Mason. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted in Co. A, 3rd R. I. Heavy Artillery, and served four years of the conflict. A charter member of Bab-bitt Post, No. 15, G. A. R., was interested in all matters pertaining to same; seldom failed to attend a convention or re-union. Methodist; member of the R. F. A. Besides his widow, a son Joseph B. and grandson, Harold Congdon of Bristol, R. I., and a brother, John R. Congdon of Philadelphia, survive.

(The James of Kingstown Line.)

DOUGLAS LEVAN REYNOLDS: (*Floyd*⁶; *George*⁸; *John*⁷; *Andrew*⁶; 2 *Reubens*; *Joseph*³; *Jonathan*²; *John*¹):

Born Albany, N. Y., September 24, 1914; died there December

14, 1924. He was the son of Floyd and (Mary LeVan) Reynolds of Delmar, N. Y. His parents and twin brother, Roger Allen Reynolds, survive.

(See No. 4456, The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

THE HONORABLE JAMES E. CAMPBELL: (*Laura*⁸; *John*⁷; *Parker*⁶; *3 Josephs*; *Jonathan*²; *John*¹):

Born Middletown, O., July 7, 1832; died December 17, 1924, Columbus, O. He was stricken with heart trouble shortly after returning from a testimonial dinner in honor of former Judge John E. Sater, where he had delivered an address. Son of Andrew and Laura P. (Reynolds) Campbell; married *Elizabeth Owens* of Hamilton, O., January 4, 1870; died July 10, 1913. Admitted to the bar, 1865, practised law at Hamilton and Columbus, O.; prosecuting attorney, Butler Co., O., 1870-80; member of 48th to 50th Congresses, 1883-9; Governor of Ohio, 1890-92. A Democrat; Presbyterian, and greatly interested in all that pertained to the name of "Reynolds". Survived by two sons and two daughters: Andrew O. and James E. Campbell; Mrs. John M. Taylor and Mrs. J. J. Coons; a grandson, James Edwin Campbell Taylor all of Columbus, O. Member of Columbus Club; Scioto Country Club; F. and A. M.; Elk and the G. A. R.

(See No. 1411, The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

THE HONORABLE GARDINER GREENE:

Former Superior Court Judge of Conn., son of Gardiner and Mary Ricketts (Adams) Greene, born Norwich, Conn., August 31, 1851; died there February 10, 1925. Graduated from the Norwich Free Academy, 1868; Yale, 1873; Columbia Law School, 1877; admitted to the N. Y. State bar the same year, N. Y. City; Conn. bar at Norwich, 1878; retired from the bench August 31, 1921, upon reaching the age limit of 70 years. At the time of his death was President of Dime Savings Bank; trustee of the Berkeley Divinity School; trustee of Norwich Free Academy. A devoted member of Christ Church. Married *Louise Eustis Reynolds* of Norwich, Conn., April 14, 1894, who survives him.

(See record in the forthcoming History of the Saybrook Line.)

GEORGE W. REYNOLDS: (*Robert*; *David*—):

Born Sempronius, Cayuga Co., N. Y., October 11, 1833; died there January 17, 1925. He was the son of Robert and Anna (Draper) Reynolds; married *Mary Ellison* in 1861; died 1877. Educated at Homer Academy, Homer, N. Y.; attended the University at Rochester, N. Y., prepared for the ministry; after the war taught school and in later years went to farming; a remark-

able man, active until the last. In 1861, with his three brothers, Robert, Stowell and Ross enlisted in the 3rd N. Y. Artillery and served until 1865. Stowell and Ross were killed in action; Robert and George were wounded but recovered. Survived by two daughters and a son; Mrs. Howard B. Wood, Sempronius, N. Y., Mrs. E. S. Hart, Summerhill, N. Y., and Asa B. Reynolds of Cortland, N. Y., a member of the R. F. A.

(We hope during the year to have the history of this branch, ready for publication.)

JOHN MINER GRAY:

Born Ledyard, Conn., October 6, 1860; died April 29, 1924. Mr. Gray was the son of Austin Ledyard and Betsey (Smith) Gray; married *Flora I. Peckham*, January 12, 1875. A prominent citizen of Ledyard, having been a business man there; Deacon in the Congregational Church, and 35 years superintendent of Sunday school. Besides his widow, he leaves a daughter and two sons; Mrs. Joseph Dean, member of the Association, and John Reynolds Grey both of New London, Conn., and Leslie P. Grey of Ledyard, Conn.

(See No. 273, p. 185, of 1922 Annual.)

MRS. RUSSELL G. REYNOLDS:

Née *Elizabeth Mason Oriatt*, born Washington, Conn., October 25, 1823; died February 17, 1925, Winchester, Mass.; married *Russell Gains Reynolds*, March 27, 1844. Survived by daughter and son, Mrs. Wellington Smart, Winchester, Mass., and Mr. Howard Reynolds of New York City, also 5 grandchildren. Mrs. Reynolds was our oldest member, living to the great age of 101 years and 4 months; was of *The Weymouth Line*.

(See No. 107, p. 164, 1922 Annual.)

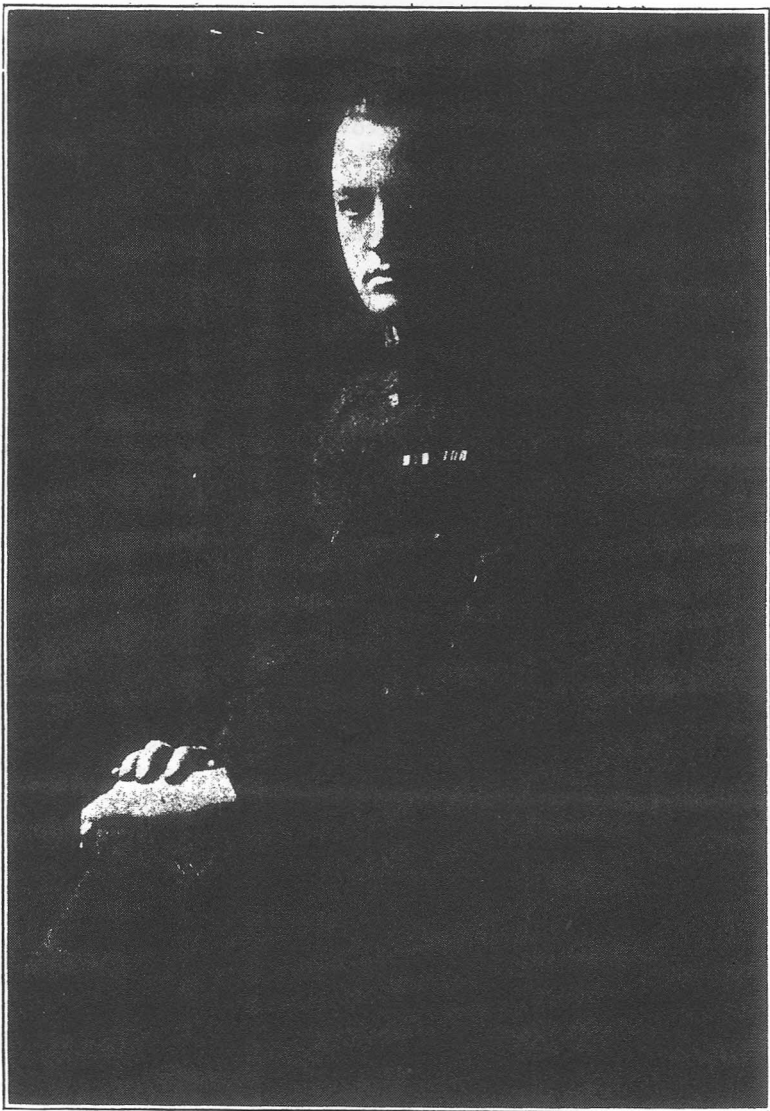
MISS KATE ELEANOR REYNOLDS: (*James*⁷; *Abel*⁶; *Timothy*⁵; 2 *Ebenzers*; *Jonathan*²; *John*¹):

Born Ft. Madison, Ia., July 15, 1858; died April 10, 1925, Shenandoah, Ia.; the daughter of James Harvey and Catherine (Bates) Reynolds. Taught school for many years. Member of the Congregational Church also the R. F. A. Survived by five sisters, Mary, Anna, and Mattie Reynolds, Mrs. Jessie H. Burgner and Mrs. Jennie M. Deighton all of Shenandoah, Ia.; all members of the Association.

(See No. 1813, The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

SAMUEL JESSUP WHITE REYNOLDS: (*George*⁸; *Hosca*⁷; *Andrew*⁶; 2 *Reubens*; *Joseph*²; *Jonathan*²; *John*¹):

Born Franklin, N. Y., December 12, 1854; died April 10,



JOHNth EDGAR REYNOLDS

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1925, Binghamton, N. Y. He was the son of George and Miriam A. (Hotchkiss) Reynolds; married *Emma Frances Gates*, August 1, 1877; died September 18, 1906, Oneonta, N. Y. A member of the F. and A. M. and was greatly interested in the R. F. A. Survived by two sons, Stanley Stewart Reynolds of Utica, N. Y., and Paul Everett Reynolds of Cuylerville, N. Y.; four grandchildren and a sister Mrs. Jay D. Pruyn, Franklin, N. Y.

(See No. 2694, The History of John and Sarah Reynolds.)

JOHN¹⁰ EDGAR REYNOLDS: (2 Johns; Daniel⁷; John⁶; Henry⁵; John⁴; 2 Henrys; James³):

Born New Britain, Conn., June 17, 1895; died May 27, 1925, Broadway, North Haven, Conn. It was from an injury, a kick received while playing football at school that finally caused his death. Son of John F. and Carrie E. (Butterworth) Reynolds; married *Helen Bradley Henry* of Hamden, Conn., June 11, 1921. A graduate of Moses Brown School of Providence, R. I., was held in high esteem there by the faculty on account of his disposition and general good feeling to help others, was a fine athlete, had won many medals and silver cups, was noted for football, baseball and all sports. When this country entered the world war he volunteered and enlisted at New Haven in Company K, 102nd regiment, 26th Division, was promoted to Corporal on ship going over seas; landed in France in September, 1917. He was badly gassed in one of the drives; was wounded at the battle of Schiespray, was confined at base hospital No. 9 for some time. After recovery was sent to Saint Aignon-Noyes the replacement depot where he served nine months with honors giving very efficient service as passes, letters and recommendations from his superior officer show. He was discharged at Camp Devons, Mass., in April, 1919. Returned home and entered business with his father and became Secretary and Asst. Treasurer of the Stiles & Reynolds Brick Co. of North Haven. Member of Corinthian Lodge F. and A. M.; Y. M. Athletic Club; N. H. Vol. Fire Dept.; Sec. of Citizens Benefit Asso.; Past-Com. of the William Murray American Legion and because of his great interest, the Post has changed its name in honor of him on account of his service in organizing same. Was also a member of the R. F. A. Besides his widow, he leaves a small son, John F. Reynolds, 3rd; his parents and two sisters, Mrs. William A. Sanford, of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Lovell J. Holabird of Hamden, Conn., all members of the Association.

(The James of Kingstown line.)

MISS CHARLOTTE COOK HULL: (Ann⁷; John⁶; Benj.⁵; John⁴; Peter³; Francis²; James¹):

Born Providence, R. I., February 15, 1858; died there July 22, 1925. She was the daughter of Edward C. and Ann G. (Reynolds) Hull. A member of The First Baptist Church of Providence, for many years. Her cheerfulness, despite years of suffering and her warm Christian character, greatly endeared her to all who knew her. Of her immediate family surviving, are a sister, Mrs. John F. Greene of Providence, a niece, Mrs. William A. Reynolds of Davisville, R. I., and Miss Ruth P. Reynolds, a grand-niece, all members of the Association.

(The James of Kingstown line.)

FRANCIS H. MATTHEWS:

Born January 19, 1872, and Lucille Matthews, born July 5, 1910, husband and daughter of *Antoinette B. Johnson Matthews*, met a most tragic death September 27, 1924. The family was returning from Wilmington and their automobile was struck by a Wabash train near New Lenox, Ill. Mr. Matthews died instantly, Lucille six hours later, Mrs. Matthews and son Wilbur were both injured.

(They are of The Washington Co. of Md. line. See Nos. 367-443-445, p. 221, 1922 Annual.)

MADELYN PROUTY:

Born Worcester, Mass., May 8, 1916; died there September 1, 1924, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Prouty.

(The Robert of Boston line.)

OTHER GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

MARRIAGES:

Miss Ellen Mabel Reynolds to Mr. Clarence Frederick DuBray, Sherbrooke, Quebec, Can., Dec. 21, 1912.

Mr. Floyd G. Reynolds to Miss Dorothea W. Bruce, St. Paul Park, Minn., May 26, 1923.

Miss Hazel Marguerite Towner to Mr. Henry Gordon Bowlerling, Rosindale, Mass., Sept. 24, 1923.

Miss Lorna Adelaide Reynolds to Mr. Ralph M. deRose, Port Henry, N. Y., October 27, 1923.

Mrs. Marian Congdon Pearce to Mr. Harry J. Andrews, Philadelphia, Pa., December 8, 1923.

Miss Mabel Naomi Reynolds to Mr. Frederick Brueckner, Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y., February 27, 1924.

Miss Harriet Evelyn Small to Dr. Earl E. Fipphen, Worcester, Mass., May 31, 1924.

Miss Margaret Anna Reynolds to Mr. Lovell Johnson Holabird, North Haven, Conn., June 18, 1924.

Mr. Kenneth Gray Reynolds to Miss Lydia Marcia Hun, Albany, N. Y., June 21, 1924.

Mr. H. Earl Reynolds to Miss Ethel Virginia Curry, Meadville, Pa., July 17, 1924.

Mr. Alvah Burnet Crandell to Miss Elizabeth Purcell, Chicago, Ill., May 3, 1924.

Mr. Lawrence Temple Tuttle Kelt to Miss Laura Jane Barrel, Pasadena, Calif., October 25, 1924.

Miss Marcia VanNess to Mr. Arthur E. Hunt, Brooklyn, N. Y., November 1, 1924.

Miss Winifred B. Wood to Mr. Alden Grenell Hoyt, Pittsfield, Mass., May 10, 1924.

Dr. George Stoddard Reynolds to Miss Elisabeth Lee Hilles, Sponk, L. I., N. Y., August 1, 1925.

Mr. Theodore A. Reynolds to Miss Dorothea Rider, Long Beach, Calif., September 30, 1925.

BIRTHS:

November 16, 1915—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. DuBray, Newport, Vt., daughter, Helen Pauline.

August 15, 1921—Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Dunbar, Kuling, China, son, Philip, Jr.

January 20, 1922—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Ritchey, St. Joseph, Mo., son, Edward Reynolds.

September 26, 1922—Mr. and Mrs. Anson Howe Smith, Minot, Mass., son, Robert Reynolds.

June 1, 1922—Mr. and Mrs. T. Harold Reynolds, Turners Falls, Mass., daughter, Doris.

January 27, 1923—Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Reynolds, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., son, John C.

March 23, 1923—Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Mather Gibson, Hampton, Va., son, Stuart Mather, Jr.

September 24, 1923—Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Roth, Buffalo, N. Y., daughter, Elizabeth Willson.

October 7, 1923—Dr. and Mrs. Paul Burbank, Hampton, Va., daughter, Barbara Gibson.

November 7, 1923—Mr. and Mrs. T. Harold Reynolds, Turners Falls, Mass., son, Thomas Gates.

December 23, 1923—Mr. and Mrs. Lester J. Reynolds, Kinderhook, N. Y., daughter, Elizabeth.

February 5, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reynolds, Chazy, N. Y., daughter, Esther Amelia.

March 16, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Flemming, Lonsdale, R. I., daughter, Alice.

April 11, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Roy I. Reynolds, Trimountain, Mich., son, Donald Smith.

May 5, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Anson Howe Smith, Minot, Mass., son, Anson Howe, Jr.

June 25, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Felt, Chatsworth, Ill., daughter, Shirley Ann.

June 30, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. James Harold Newman, Bay City, Ore., daughter, May Maria.

July 28, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Warren D. Healy, Chicago, Ill., daughter, Athene Louise.

August 10, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Searight, Logansport, Ind., daughter, Clara Louise.

August 11, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence G. Weaver, Evanston, Ill., son, Walden Phelps.

September 10, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reynolds, Mt. Kisco, N. Y., son, Harry Hudson.

October 3, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd M. Tracy, Galesburg, Ill., daughter, Martha Merle.

November 13, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Roth, Buffalo, N. Y., son, Howard Kellogg.

December 23, 1924—Mr. and Mrs. Damian LeRoy Reynolds, San Francisco, Calif., son, Robert LeRoy.

January 1, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. Stewart H. VanKleeck, White Plains, N. Y., daughter, Irene May.

February 7, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Dunbar, Shanghai, China, daughter, Virginia.

April 10, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. William M. Ahlstrom, Mentor, O., son, William Mather.

May 30, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Martin, Mason City, Ia., son, James.

June 3, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. Lovell J. Holabird, New Haven, Conn., daughter, Elizabeth Ann.

September 4, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. David B. Lehman, Santa Ana, Calif., son, David B., Jr.

October 16, 1925—Dr. and Mrs. M. D. McMichael, Mason City, Ia., daughter, Sarah Ann.

November 8, 1925—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Crane, Mt. Kisco, N. Y., daughter, Julia Gorham.

February 17, 1926—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth G. Reynolds, Albany, N. Y., son, Marcus T., 2nd.

REUNIONS

The descendants of HENRY BILLINGS REYNOLDS (1796-1876) held their reunion at Brighton Beach on the shore of Long Island Sound on August 23rd, 1924, also on August 21st, 1925, was held another reunion at Hammonasset State Park, Conn., where an enjoyable time was had on both occasions and an increasing interest was manifested. This particular branch is known as *The Weymouth Line*.

The initial gathering of this family on August 23rd, 1892 resulted in the formation of *The Reynolds Family Association*.

The Thirty-first annual reunion of the REYNOLDS and PHELPS FAMILIES was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hart, Madison, Ohio, August 19th, 1924, 58 attended, one branch of *The Saybrook Line*.

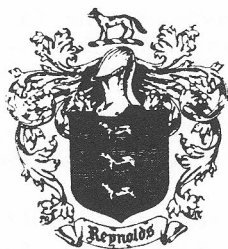
The descendants of JESSE and CYNTHIA (CARROLL) REYNOLDS held their twenty-eighth annual reunion at the summer home of Dr. Raymond C. Almy on Owasco Lake, N. Y., August, 1924. Also on August 11th, 1925, at the home of Mr. George Reynolds, Newark, N. Y. Mr. George Reynolds is the surviving brother of this branch of the family who formed this gathering. At both of these reunions a very enjoyable time was had with a large number present. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds of Austin, Texas.

The 94th birthday anniversary of our beloved Alvah Reynolds of Altona, Ill., was observed May 26th, 1924, rather than the 22nd of May (his birthday), for the convenience of the family at the home of his son, Charles C. Reynolds. For fifteen years the family have gathered to celebrate this occasion enjoyed by children, grand and great-grandchildren, as well as friends.

Mr. Wellington J. Reynolds of Chicago, Ill., was awarded a silver medal in the Annual Salon of the Société des Artistes Français, for his painting, "Ave Maria," held in the historic Hotel des Tulleries in Paris, June, 1925. Mr. Reynolds is of *The Washington Co. of Md., Line*, his record will be found in the 1922 Annual, page 217.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The authentic Reynolds crest for framing, printed in appropriate permanent colors by a lithographic artist, is attractive and may be purchased from the Secretary for \$3.50. It is about 10" x 12" square.



The watch fobs are gold plated on bronze, which will retain an old Roman gold color. Upon it the family crest is engraved by an expert; complete with a heavy grosgrain ribbon for \$4.00 Gold-plated pins, bearing the family crest as above printed, \$1.50.

Note-paper and other stationery, twenty-four sheets of paper and envelopes, with the above crest engraved upon each sheet, \$1.00 and \$1.25 a box; engraved correspondence cards, excellent quality, \$1.00 a box.

Beginning with 1899, the Association has published each year an annual book.

The following Annuals can now be purchased of the Secretary:

- 1909, 1910-11; 1912 and 1913 Annuals. 50c a copy.
- 1914 Annual. Henry of Chichester, Pa., Genealogy. A very good beginning on the publication of a large line. Also the Robert Reynolds of Boonesborough, Md., Line. 40 pages. Copies at 75c each.
- 1915 Annual. The only considerable account of Robert and Mary Reynolds of Boston published. Robert's curious will; fifth generation of his descendants, tying on the 1907 Annual above described. Also a list of books on Reynoldses of all Lines. Plenty of copies at \$1 each. 60 pages.
- 1916 Annual. Revolutionary Soldiers Number, containing official records of 456 Reynoldses who served in the American Revolution. This is an excellent handbook for those who wish to join the D. A. R. or S. A. R., Colonial Dames, etc. Also some excellent notes on Henry of Chichester by Mr. Edward B. Raub; and the story of Henry's razor. Further notes and corrections on the Robert of Boston Genealogy as published in 1915. 116 pages. Copies \$1 each.

- 1917 Annual. Some incomplete lists of Civil War Soldiers and Soldiers in the Great War of 1914-1918. Copies at 50c each. 56 pages.
- 1920 Annual. Genealogy of John Reynolds of Kent Co., Delaware. 78 pages. Copies at 50c each.
- 1921 Annual. The Complete Census of 1790 of all Reynoldses in the United States. Miscellaneous Early Reynoldses; Captain Nathaniel Reynolds (Robert of Boston Line) of Machias and Lubec, Maine, in the Revolution, a tragic but romantic story. 96 pages. \$1 each.
- 1922 Annual. An excellent account of James of North Kingstown; maps and pictures; one line of descent. The complete Genealogy of John Reynolds of Weymouth-Stonington. The complete Genealogy of the Washington County, Md., Line. Captives of the Wyandottes, concerning that Line. The Three Nathaniels of Boston (Robert of Boston Line) with maps and excellent notes. Family of Rev. Bowen Reynolds of North Carolina, etc. Queries. Plenty of copies, \$2.50 each. 282 pages, illustrated.
- 1923 Annual. Some Vermont Reynolds records; early Reynolds marriages in New York State; other historical information. 48 pages + Index. \$2.00 a copy including a year's membership in the Association.
- 1925 Annual. History and records of GEORGE⁵ REYNOLDS of Reynolds Corners, Saratoga Co., N. Y.; marriage licenses Canterbury, Kent, Eng. (1619-1676); other genealogical records. Refer to Secretary for price.

The Secretary should be notified promptly of births, marriages, deaths and changes of address.

The Secretary is especially anxious to receive family records from all who are descended from the early Pennsylvania Reynoldses. If you are of this strain please write in, giving complete details of your own and your parents' and grandparents' genealogical history.

MRS. ANNA C. RIPPIER, *Secretary*, 413 Third St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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CANTERBURY, KENT, MARRIAGE LICENSES, 1619-1676

(Continued from page 196 of the 1922 Annual)

Prepared by Marion H. Reynolds, A. B.

Alameda, Calif.

- 1639 Feb. 10 John Heeler, of Faversham, yeoman, bach. abt. 25, whose father, Joseph, consents, and Jane Reynoldes of Davington, virgin, 23, dau. Alice Reynolds, of Norton, wid., who also consents. At Faversham.
- 1636 July 5 George Hickmote, of Horsmonden, husbandman, bach. 36, and Elizabeth Reynolds, of Goudhurst, wid. of Robert Reynolds, late dec. at Goudhurst.
- 1619 Nov. 16 John Kinge of Little Chart, husbandman, bach. 27 & Elizabeth Reynolds, same parish, wid. about 30, relict of Wm. Reynolds of the city of London dec. At St. Margarets, Cant.
1620. Sept. Geo. Kingsnode, of Boughton, Malherbe, coverlet-maker, widr. 27 & Ann Reignolds of Egerton, maiden, 19, dau. Wm. Reignolds, same parish, miller.
- 1645 June 5 Wm. Kingsnode, of Sherdswell, miller, bach. 22, whose father consents & Frances Reignoldes, of Charing, virgin, 21, parents dead.
- 1631 July 27 Reignold Mantle, of Mersham, yeoman, bach. 23, at his own govt & Ann Reignoldes, of Wittersham, virgin, 18, dau. Richard Reynolds, same parish, yeoman, Henry Reynolds, same parish, yeoman, is her brother. At Wittersham.
- 1624 Sept. 27 Michael Moone, of Boughton Aluph, yeoman, bach. 28, & Jane Reynoldes, of Wye, virgin, abt. 21, dau. Jonas Reynolds, same parish, yeoman.
- 1631 Sept. 12 Stephen Reader, of Preston u. Wingham, husbandman, bach. 26, & Jane Reynoldes, same parish, spinster, abt. 20, parents dead, but at govt of Ralph Reynolds, same parish, who consents.
- 1643 Dec. 30 John Sager, of S James, Dover, tailor, bach. 25, & Martha Reynolds, same parish, virgin, 30, dau. James Reynolds, of Rye in Sussex.
- 1631 July 23 Richard Smith, of Wickham, husbandman, bach. 24, & Jane Reynoldes, same parish, virgin, of like age, dau. Robert Reynoldes, of Littlebourne, who consents.
- 1635 Aug. 11 Matthias Stokes, of S. Peters, Sandwich, merchant, bach. 26, & Elizabeth Reynolds of S. Mays in Sandwich, 23, dau. Elizabeth Reynolds, widow.
- 1624 June 14 Peter Turner, of Rolvendon, husbandman, bach. 24, & Ellen Reynoldes, same parish, virgin, 20, dau. John Reynolds, same parish, carp. at Maidstone.
- 1619 May 25 Robert Upton & Mary Raynolds, same parish, at St. Georges, Cant.
- 1623 Feb. 11 John Willis, of St. Marys, Dover, & Thomasine Reynolds of St. James, in Dover at St. Marys.

- 1619 June 1 Wm. Worsley, of Ashford, yeoman, bach. 34, & Eleanor Reynolds, same parish, widow of late Thomas Reynolds, same parish, St. Margarets, Cant.
- 1625 Sept. 24 Thos. Reynolds, of Preston, n. Wingham, yeoman, bach. 25, & Joan Redwood, same parish, virgin, 25, dau. John Redwood, same parish, at Whitestalle, "because Arthur Fletcher intends to give them their wedding dinner."
- 1638 Oct. 18 Arthur Reynolds, of St. Andrews, Cant., butcher, bach. 26, whose father, Jonas Reynolds, consents, & Catherine Walker, same parish, widow, at Hackington.
- 1630 Jan. 26 Giles Reynolds, of Gt. Chart, trugger, bach. 23, & Mary Murton, same parish, virgin, 26, dau. Ralph Murton, same parish. Edw. Murton, of Gt. Church, bonds.
- 1640 Oct. 14 Henry Reynolds, of Stone in Oxney, yeoman, bach. 30, whose father, Richard Reynolds, consents, & Mary Martin, same parish, virgin, 17, dau. Mr. Thos. Martin, clerk, vicar of Stone, at same.
- 1626 May 22 James Reynolds, of St. May's in Romney Marsh, yeoman, widr. 37, & Sarah Berrick, of Bummarsh, widow, abt. 30, relict of Wm. Berrick, late same parish, dec.
- 1629 Sept. 16 James Reynolds, of Rye in Sussex, shipwright, widr., & Alice Newman, of St. Clements in Sandwich, widow Robt. Newman, late same parish, dec.
- 1636 July 16 James Reynolds, of Burmarsh, grocer, widr., & Mary Smith, of Westhythe, widow of John Smith, late dec. Wm. Smith, of Cant., bonds.
- 1638 Oct. 24 James of Burmarsh, yeoman, widr., & Elizabeth Browne of Whitfield, widow of Thos. Browne, late of Alkham, dec.
- 1629 Aug. 28 John Reynolds of Sandwich, woolendraper, bach., 22, son of Wm. Reynolds of St. Bartholomews Hospital, n. Sandwich, who consents, & Joan Patteson of same parish, virgin, 21, parents dead.
- 1631 Oct. 17 John Reynolds of Sandwich, woolendraper, widr., & Catherine Draiton of S. M. Northgate, Cant., virgin, 17, & dau. Peter Drayton, late of St. Andrews and now at govt of her "fatherinlaw" (stepfather?) Mr. Thos. Goold, who consents.
- 1628 June 10 Jonas Reynolds of Biddenhen, yeoman, widr., about 50, & Alice Haccomplaint of Halden, widow, 45, at Headcorn.
- 1637 Nov. 8 Michael Reynolds of Cranbrook, cordwainer, bach. 22, whose father, Peter consents, & Ann Botting, same parish, virgin, 24, dau. Richard Botting, clothier, same parish.
- 1625 July 29 Ralph Reynolds of Preston, n. Wingham, yeoman, bach., 34, & Susan Neame of Woodnesborough, wid. 32, relict of Richard Neame, same parish, dec., at Preston, John Reinholdes, bonds.

- 1620 Nov. 21 Robert Reynolds of Egerton, miller, bach., 23, in the govt of his father, Wm. Reignolds, same parish, miller, who consents, & Pauline Younge of Charing, wid., about 30, wid. of Nicholas Younge, dec. abt. 2 yrs. since, cordwinder.
- 1619 Oct. 27 Wm. Reynolds of Faversham, miller, bach., 50, & Margaret Bedle, same parish, widow, about 50, relict of John Bedle, late of Lynstead.
- 1626 July 24 Robt. Reynolds of Tenterden, miller, widr., about 30, & Avice Cooper of Rolvenden, widow, 40, relict of one Cooper, late same parish, miller.
- 1632 June 9 William Reynolds of Canterbury, woollen draper, bach., 24, & Jane Wyborne of Elmstone, virgin, 20, dau. Mr. Petley Wyborne, clerk, same parish, who consents, as is testified by brother, Roger Wyborne, of Preston, yeoman.
- 1631 Feb. 23 Richard Reynolds of Walmer, husbandman, bach., 20, both parents dead, & Agnes Perkins, same parish, spinster, 22, dau. Christopher Perkins of Ripple, husbandman.
- 1638 Oct. 31 Ralph Reynolds of Preston, n. Wighman, yeoman, widr., & Margaret Taylor of Milton, n. Sittingbourne, widow, Michael Pett of Preston, bonds.
- 1642 May 24 Robert Reynolds & Margaret Ryall of St. Mary's in Dover.
- 1639 Sept. 11 Thomas Reynolds of St. Mildreds, Cant., brickmaker, bach., 25, whose mother consents, & Prudence Balden, same parish, virgin, 20, whose parents are dead.
- 1642 May 30 Robert Reynolds of St. Marys in the Marsh, husbandman, widr., & Margaret New, same parish, widow of John New, same parish, dec.
- 1641 Feb. 7 Roger Reynolds of Norton, yeoman, bach., 26, & Mary Pilcher of Faversham, virgin, 22, parents dead, at Norton.
- 1667 Apr. 17 Wm. Austen of Chilham, yeoman, bach., 26, whose parents are dead, & Mary Reynolds of Godmersham, maiden, 23, dau. Alice Reynolds, same parish, widow of Henry Reynolds, same parish, St. Margarets, Cant.
- 1663 June 4 Simon Dunkin of Deal, seaman, widr., & Elizabeth Reynolds, same parish, widow of Thos. Reynolds, late of same parish, seaman at Northbourne.
- 1675 Sept. 7 John Godfrey of Aylesford, yeoman, bach., 34, & Elizabeth Reynolds of Boxley, maiden, 23, whose parents consent, at St. Margarets, Cant. Wm. Reynolds, farmer of Hunton, bonds.
- 1673 Nov. 11 Hartley Mark of Dover, mariner, bach., 29, & Sarah Reynolds, same parish, maiden, 23, whose parents are dead, St. Marys, Dover.
- 1676 Sept. 26 Richard Harvey of Northbourne, yeoman, bach., 22, & Elizabeth Reignolds of Sandwich, widow, at S. M. Bredin, Cant., Thos. Paramore of Sandwich, bonds.

- 1664 Apr. 28 Richard Hilles of Willesborough, husbandman, widr., & Jane Reignoldes, same parish, virgin, 30, dau. James Reignoldes same parish, widr. who consents at St. Margarets, Cant.
- 1675 Oct. 11 John Holloway of Brookland, husbandman, bach., 21, whose mother consents, & Martha Reynolds, same parish, wid. at St. Andrews, Cant.
- 1663 Oct. 8 Samuel Humphrey, of Tong, husbandman, widr., & Ann Reynolds of Milton, n. Sittingbourne, 25, whose parents are dead, St. Margarets, Cant.
- 1669 June 30 John Johnson of Warehorne, husbandman, bach. & Joan Reynoldes of Appledore, wid. of Daniel Reynolds, late same parish at St. Margarets, Cant.
- 1674 May 21 Marsh. Nicholas of Bapchild, husband, widr. & Mary Reynolds of Tong, spr. 30 at Holy Cross, Cant.
- 1666 Dec. 22 John Pratt of Deal, alebrewer, bach., 22, son of John Pratt, same parish, alebrewer & Rebecca Renell of St. Peter, Sandwich, maiden, 27, dau. John Renell, same parish, innholder.
- 1673 May 26 Ludwig Prevost of S. Mildred, Cant., silkweaver & Mary Reyall of St. Peter, Cant., wid. at S. Mildred.
- 1674 Mch. 23 Simon Short of Hollingbourne, miller, bach., 30 & Ann Reynolds, same parish, spinster, 21.
- 1662 June 6 Attained Smith of Goudhurst, tanner, bach., 28 & Mary Reynoldes, same parish, wid.
- 1666 Apr. 28 Thos. Swanne of Maidstone, weaver, widr. & Mary Reynoldes, same parish, wid. of Stephen Reynolds, same parish, weaver, at Borden.
- 1662 Oct. 4 Alex Usborne of S. Alphage, Cant., grocer, widr. & Sarah Reynoldes, of St. Pauls, Cant., wid.
- 1674 May 5 James Williams of Ch. Ch. Cant., upholsterer, bach., 24 & Sarah Reynolds of St. Pauls, Cant., maiden, 23.
- 1670 Mch. 2 Abraham Reynolds of Reculver, husbandman, bach., 25 & Elizabeth Mount, same parish, wid. at St. Andrew, Cant.
- 1665 Sept. 25 Daniel Reynolds of Appledore, tailor, widr. & Joan Wright, same parish, wid. of John Wright, late same parish at St. Margaret, Cant.
- 1666 Feb. 18 John Reynolds of St. James, Dover, gardener, bach., 29, parents dead, & Susan Hile, same parish, maiden, 27, at Ripple.
- 1673 May 17 John Reynolds of Sandwich, miller, bach., 28 & Sarah Mewes of Holy Cross, Cant. maiden, 20, whose mother Sarah Mewes, alias Clarke, consents, John Clarke fatherinlaw at Holy Cross.
- 1675 Aug. 10 John Reynolds of St. Mildreds, Cant. husbandman, bach., 40 & Sarah Hogben, same parish, maiden, 30, at same.
- 1670 Feb. 20 Richard Reynolds of Whitstable, seaman. bach., 21, parents dead & Elizabeth Hayard, same parish, spinster, 20, dau., Edw. Hayard, carp., St. Marg., Cant.

- 1665 May 13 Thos. Reynolds of Wingham, yeoman, bach., 23, and Cath. Paramore of Eastry, virgin, 20, dau. Mr. Safer Paramore, gent. at Eastry.
- 1665 Oct. 3 Thos. Reynolds of Whitstable, mariner, widr. & Ann Sainte of Seasalter, wid. of Robt. Sainte, late same parish at Seasalter.
- 1674 Feb. 9 Thos. Reynolds of Hollingbourne, clerk, widr. & Elizabeth Woodward of Maidstone, spinster, 50, at Otham, allegation by Ann Reynolds, Spr.
- 1674 July 9 William Reynolds of Sandwich, maltster, bach., 23 & Elizabeth Paramore of Eastry, maiden, 22, dau. Saphir Paramore of Eastry at St. George, Cant.
- 1675 Feb. 7 Wm. Reynolds of Dover, carp., 22 & Abigail Gilbert, same parish, maiden, 24.

(Publication will be continued next year.)

R. F. A. WINDOWS

The windows of the R. F. A. look out on many a scene,
On city streets and country roads and wide sweet fields of green,
On mountains towering steep and high and valleys lying low,
On southern luxury of bloom and chill of northern snow,
(On eastern hustle, 'mid-west thrift, and the far western slope
Where the Sierras guard the homes of beauty, health and hope.

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The windows of the R. F. A. look in on many a heart
That strives in daily earnestness to bear a worthy part
In the eternal scheme of life that the Great Maker planned,
And find the things of highest good that scatter from His Hand.

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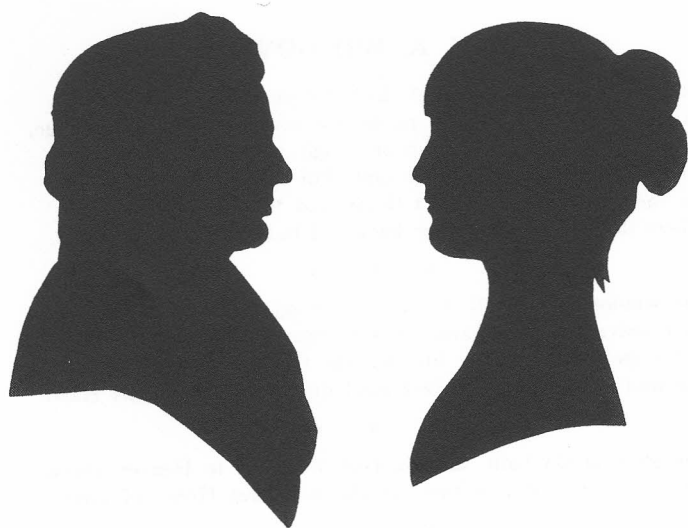
One glowing sky-light, faith in God, looks up to Heaven above,
And shows to each uplifted eye the wondrous Home of Love.

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O windows of the R. F. A.! Our eyes are glad for you,
And take in all your pictured joys as we sit gazing through.

—*Celia Mary Reynolds.*

Read by Miss Rhoda Reynolds of Greenwich, Conn.,
October 17, 1925.



SILHOUETTES OF WILLIAM BELCHER REYNOLDS AND HIS WIFE
ELIZABETH CARTER REYNOLDS

OF THE SIXTH GENERATION, ROBERT OF BOSTON LINE.

RESEARCH WORK AND PUBLICATION POLICY

(Continuing with the publication given on pages 30-33 of our 1923 Annual)

The records and history of *John and Sarah Reynolds of Norwich, Conn.*, known as the Saybrook Line will follow the publication of this Annual.

The *Robert of Boston, Genealogy* (1630-1925) by Marion H. Reynolds A. B., Alameda, Calif., see page 48.

The following Branches under preparation:

One branch of the Reynolds' of *Anne Arundel Co. of Md.*

The wing known as *Isle la Motte*, founded about 1800.

Also the *Petersburg* and *Hoosic group*.

Corrections and additional records relative to Benjamin⁴ Reynolds, (No. 170), p. 89; additional records pertaining to George⁴ Reynolds (No. 236) p. 98; also of Peter³ Reynolds, (No. 58), p. 72 and of Henry⁵ Reynolds (No. 19) p. 71 all of the 1922 Annual. *James of Kingstown Line*.

Ephraim Reynolds and descendants are being gathered by E. Francis Atwood, Sisseton, N. D.

Additional records have been received relative to the Lines as follows: *Henry of Chichester Line; Washington Co. of Md.; The Weymouth Line; The Watertown Line.*

Anyone having further knowledge of the Reynolds' as given below will greatly assist the Secretary in placing them under the proper Line, will also help to reach others of these particular families, thus developing other branches.

19. *William Reynolds*, went from Orange County, N. Y., to Yates County in 1812, m. ——— Sutherland—had son Jesse, daughter Polly. Jesse m. Cynthia Carroll; had 13 children; among them were, Lewis H. m. Mary J. Chidsey; George m. Elizabeth Chidsey; James m. Harriet Ayres, and Sidney S. Descendants mostly in Yates County, N. Y. Among them Dr. Raymond C. Almy, Auburn, N. Y., a member of the Association.
20. *Ibrahim Reynolds*, of Steuben County, N. Y., had children; Oliver, Gideon, Jollah, Ibrahim, Volney m. Harriet Goldsmith; the latter moved to Seneca County, Ohio, about 1840; Wright Township, Hinsdale County, Michigan, 1857. A Justice of the Peace there for 30 years. Ibrahim had daughters; Lida (McLane); Amanda (Bishop), and Hannah (Sloat). Among the descendants is the Hon. Earl D. Reynolds of Rockford, Ill., a member of the Association.
21. *Thomas Reynolds*, b. Feb. 15, 1764, Tyrone, Ireland; d. 1838 Jessamine County, Ky., m. Margaret Schnapp or Snapp b. Feb. 14, 1765, Washington County, Pa., d. 1862 Jessamine County, Ky., had Mary, Honor, Elizabeth, William, Thomas, Barnett E., Lucy, Sallie, George Mortimer, Amanda F., and Nancy. William, the fourth son, b. Jessamine County, Ky., Jan. 7, 1795; d. there 1847-8. He was a widower with 2 daughters, Martha and Georgianna; m. as his second wife Mrs. Spotswood England (Mary Woolfolk Ford); two more children were born; William Fry, b. Aug. 17, 1833;

d. Aug. 25, 1863, and Mary Elizabeth m. Arunah Gillett. There are descendants in Jessamine and Garrard Counties, Ky., among them, Miss Mary F. Reynolds, Evansville, Ind., a member of the Association.

22. *George Reynolds*, b. Glasgow, Scotland, 1730; d. 1796, possibly in Pa.; m. Margaret Schoppe. Their children were, Mary, George, Nellie, William, David, Anne, Thomas and Richard. David (1785-1845) m. 1st Mary Woodward (1788-1825); m. 2nd, Jane Ross (1801-1888); William (1783-1845), m. Agnes McNay (1783-1853). Many descendants are living in Kittanning, Pa.

According to some members of this family, George was wounded in the "French and Indian" War. Record sent us from Mr. H. H. Shenk, Archivist, Penna. State Library, gives the following information, "George Reynolds was a Captain in the First Battalion of the Penna Regiment of Provincial Troops Nov. 20, 1756, and at that time was stationed at Fort Norris."

From the Department of Internal Affairs, Harrisburg, Pa., we received this information: "A warrant was issued on Mar. 20, 1786, to George Reynolds for a tract of 207 acres in Woodcock Valley, Huntingdon Co."

Who can give further information relative to this family?

23. *Joshua Reynolds*, b. England, 1736, came to Philada., Pa., and later went to Mt. Pleasant Township, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; m. ———. St. John. Joshua had brothers, two of whom were lost at sea. Joshua's son, William, b. 1781, was in the war of 1812; also a member of Penna. Legislature, 1836-7. William had sons; William, Jr., Joshua, John and James. From the Department of Internal Affairs, we are informed, "on Feb. 2, 1785, a warrant was granted to Joshua Reynolds for 234½ acres of land in Mt. Pleasant Township, Westmoreland Co." A William C. Reynolds served in the House of Representatives, representing the Co. of Luzerne at the same time.

Information wanted by Mrs. F. C. Seanor, Greensburg, Pa., a member of the Association.

24. *John Reynolds*, b. Reading, Pa., July 24, 1775; d. Danville, Pa., Feb. 28, 1855; son of John Reynolds, b. in Ireland, came to America before the Revolution; d. and b. in Reading, Pa. John, Jr., m. Anna Maria Ruppert of Reading, Pa. Among their children were Daniel (1803-1877), Jacob, Mary, Sarah, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Katharine and John Ruppert, b. 1820, m. Mary Lucretia Perrin. They had James Taylor, Charles C., William D., Emma (Vanorder), Lillian (Moss) and Katharine.

John, Sr. Had brother Stephen who moved to Lewistown, Pa., later Ohio; was a shoemaker by trade, and James, who went to Philadelphia, Pa., a tailor.

A John Reynolds appears on the Tax List of Reading Pa., first as a single man and then as a married man. A John Reynolds took the oath of allegiance in Berks County, 1777-1778. Among the marriage records of Philip Pauli and his son William (1793-1825) is given that of Oct. 22, 1799 *John Reinhold and Anna Maria Ruppert, Reading, Pa.* In the Trinity Lutheran baptismal records is that of Katharine, daughter of John and Anna Maria Reynolds.

Information furnished by Mrs. C. M. Steinmetz of Reading, Pa.

Inquiry made by James Taylor Reynolds, Manasquan, N. J., a member of the Association.

ROBERT OF BOSTON DESCENDANTS

By Marion H. Reynolds, A.B.

Alameda, Calif.

WILLIAM BELCHER REYNOLDS: (*Edward*⁵; *John*⁴; *Benjamin*³; *Nathaniel*²; *Robert*¹) b. Boston, Jany. 16, 1797; d. Longwood, Brookline, Mass., Feby. 19, 1866, aged 69. He m. *Miss Elizabeth Margaret Carter* of Newburyport, Mass., April 24, 1821, ceremony by Rev. Leonard Withington. She was b. April 9, 1799; d. Sept. 4, 1866; daughter of Joshus and Elizabeth (Duncan) Carter. Miss Elizabeth Duncan m. 1, John Thaxter; 2, Joshus Carter. William entered his father's Boston office in 1811, "keeping up the same general business," and was an active and energetic business man throughout his lifetime. For many years he was senior partner of William B. Reynolds & Co., commission merchants, at 201 State Street, Boston. He was one of the founders of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Boston, and for many years its senior warden.

A brief account of his ancestor Robert is printed in the 1915 *Annual*; an extended account of Captain Nathaniel and his son Benjamin is in the 1922 *Annual* (p. 235-65); and some mention of Edward and William is made on page 47 of the 1915 *Annual*, which should be read. The fine old silhouettes of William and Elizabeth are reproduced upon the opposite page. The originals are owned by Miss Madeline Reynolds of Cambridge, a member of the Association. The seven children of William and Elizabeth were born in Boston:

WILLIAM THOMAS, b. Sept. 1, 1822; d. July 2, 1900; m. *Julia Spalding*.

GEORGE DUNCAN, b. Feby. 1, 1825; d. Jany. 7, 1828, in infancy.

ELIZABETH DUNCAN, b. June 22, 1829; d. Jany. 10, 1909; unmarried, Boston.

ELLEN MARIA POTTER, b. Jany. 7, 1832; d. July 5, 1908, Boston; m. *John Duncan Bryant*, attorney, Oct. 18, 1864; no children.

CAROLINE MARGARET, b. Feby. 23, 1834; d. Feby. 13, 1857; m. *Henry Veazie Ward* of Baltimore, April 9, 1856; one child. He remarried.

FRANK WAYLAND, b. April 28, 1836; d. Nov. 10, 1905; m. *Cordelia F. Weld*.

ANNA THAXTER, b. Nov. 15, 1840, Roxbury; d. Jany. 10, 1919; never married. She was deeply interested in the compilation of the Robert of Boston Genealogy and assisted the Editor with much material and the notes of her brother Frank who collected such information for many years. She lived in Boston and Cambridge.

25. *James Reynolds*, d. Elkador, Ia.; son of William of Virginia; m. Elizabeth Russell; d. of John and Sarah (Lovett) Russell; moved from London County, Va., in 1807 to Fairfield County, Ohio. Among their children were, Minerva, Edward W., Elias, Anna, and James Lincoln. Some of the descendants located in Wisconsin.
Inquiry made by Mrs. L. C. Gildersleeve, Wayne, Nebraska, a member of the Association.
26. *Samuel Reynolds* (1764-1838), m. Sarah Woodward, both buried in Basking Ridge, N. J. Among their children were Abraham b. 1790 and Samuel b. 1792; who can give further information?

(To be continued)

THE JOY OF ACCOMPLISHMENT

'Tis done at last,—the Reynolds line
From John and Sarah traced
Adown to nineteen-twenty-four
On lasting record placed.

What years of patient work it tells—
This volumn large and fine
Upon whose pages thought and skill
With grand results combine!

What journeyings were made to find
The names and facts and dates!
What letters sped for wide research
To many towns and states!

And now to many hearts there comes,
These swiftly-passing days,
The joy of full accomplishment,
The honor and the praise.

So is it often in our lives,—
Things done perhaps with pain
And hours of heavy weariness
Bring richest joy and gain.

The Saviour of us all found joy
In work His Father gave,
And shall not we our hardest tasks
Face with stout hearts and brave.

Because from His soon-finished work
He said, "My joy I give
To you" who take my work to do—
Who seek my life to live?

—*Celia Mary Reynolds.*

Read by Mrs. Florence Winant, of Newark, N. J.,
October 11, 1924.

The After-Dinner Addresses

Extracts from speeches at the banquet at the thirty-third annual reunion of the Reynolds Family Association, McAlpin Hotel, New York City, October 11, 1924.

MR. FREDERICK G. REYNOLDS, *President of the Association*: I want to take this opportunity of extending a greeting to all of the members of the Reynolds Family Association and to their guests. I am glad to see so many present tonight.

The other day when I entered my office someone said "A package arrived for you today". In looking it over, I found a box about so large and with the corners all nicely rounded off as if with a file and a postal card tacked on the top with my name and showing that the box came from Roscoe Reynolds of Fort Fairfield, Maine. I didn't know what was in it—whether it was fruit or chicken or what it might be. When I opened it I found that there were five potatoes which were samples of the product of his farm. Of course we are always interested in whatever line of endeavor our members are engaged in and I wrote him a letter and told him that I appreciated the gift which he had sent me and that I certainly wished him success in the producing of potatoes. I brought the largest one to the meeting tonight so that you could have an idea of what some of our members are accomplishing in the way of farming. This one potato weighs two and three-quarters pounds—one potato! There was no letter under separate cover and the second day I said, "Well, he must have written something about it", and finally I dug down into the bottom of the box and here was what I found—a type-written letter.

Before relinquishing my office I want to extend to my secretary my deep appreciation of what she has done during my term of office. She has been my mouth-piece and my right hand worker. In fact, she has done all of the work and I have filled the office. I also want to thank Marion for his many helpful talks and his advice. I deeply appreciate his contribution.

Now I will turn the gavel over to our Toastmaster, Mr. G. W. Reynolds, who will tell you what we have in store in the speechmaking line.

MR. G. W. REYNOLDS, *Toastmaster*:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen, Kinsmen: The Toastmaster suggests a vote of thanks to our retiring President for the

cient service he has given us during his administration. Under his guidance the Association has prospered. I will make the motion myself, second it, and ask for a rising vote as an expression of your appreciation of the work which Mr. Frederick G. Reynolds has done as our President. (All rise.)

I heard a suggestion a few minutes ago that the Reynolds Family Association is possibly somewhat behind the times in that some of our ladies seem to be smoking. Possibly this is due to the fact that "smokes" have not been offered, but, personally, I think in not smoking, they retain the traditions of gentlemen and are to be congratulated for being so gloriously "behind the times".

There is a story which comes from the West about a man who drove up to a gasoline supply station in a beautiful Rolls Royce Limousine and asked: "How far is it to Denver?" The station manager told him it was one hundred miles. "Well," said he, "Give me twenty gallons of gasoline and a gallon of oil." A few days later another man drove up in a Studebaker car and asked the same question. Upon being told that it was one hundred miles to Denver, he said: "Give me ten gallons of gas and a quart of oil." A little later another party drove up; this time, a man, his wife and five children in a Ford. The garage man again answered the question: "How far is it to Denver?" On getting the answer, the driver of the Ford said: "Give me a gallon of gas and a can of Three-in-One Oil and hold the darn thing until I get in."

This story seems to me to furnish conclusive evidence that the GRANDFATHER of Mr. Mutt, of Mutt and Jeff newspaper fame, must have owned a Ford car. Mr. Mutt was invited by Sir Sidney to go for a motor ride, and as he went to get into the car, he saw a beautiful coat of arms on the door and said: "Sir Sidney, what is that on the door of your car?" "Why, Mutt, that is my family coat of arms, something of which I am very proud. I can trace my family record back to William the Conqueror." Mutt said, "That is wonderful, Sir Sidney, wonderful!" "Well, Mutt, how far can you trace your ancestry?" "Well, Sir Sidney, I don't know, but when my GRANDFATHER suddenly resigned as cashier of a bank in Joplin, Missouri, they traced him as far as they could, but they didn't catch him."

I think Mr. Mutt's predicament was somewhat similar to that of a man who paid a genealogist one hundred dollars to look up his family history and after it was all finished paid him five hundred dollars hush money.

I am glad to say that so far as I know all branches of the Reynolds Family history go back farther than that of the grandfather. However, I want to offer a kindly suggestion or rather

to raise a question as to whether our genealogies, which run back eight to ten generations, greatly antedating the record of Mr. Mutt, should not be continued back to Adam. In support of this theory, I have in my possession the genealogy of the President of the Jewett Family Association of America, which is literally carried back through biblical records to Father Adam. Of course there is one thing that might interfere; those of our number who believe in evolution might not be satisfied with Adam, and insist that it be carried back still further. The other day I heard a gentleman ask another if he believed that the human race sprang from monkeys and he replied, "Not yet". So I think until this question is settled perhaps it would be better for us to pursue our present method of going back as far as the records carry us, and if, at some time in the future the evolutionists or the Adamites get this thing settled, we can perhaps, then, have the perfect genealogy. For the present, we shall turn to something of more immediate interest.

Our first speaker of the evening is Mr. Leonard J. Reynolds, who is of the line of Robert of Boston. Mr. Reynolds will speak to us on a subject of his own selection.

MR. LEONARD J. REYNOLDS: *Mr. Toastmaster, fellow Kinsmen and Friends:* I am sure I had no expectation of being called upon first. I thought I could get my cue from what was said by several speakers before me but, being obliged to get on my feet without any cue of that sort, I feel very much like the Irishman who fell down a well and when his companion called down to him, "Pat, are you dead?" he said, "No, I'm not dead but I'm speechless."

It occurred to me, however, Mr. Toastmaster, to say just a word here tonight about the justification for people belonging to family associations like this and pursuing the study of genealogy—looking up our ancestry, in other words. I find it very difficult to interest many of my relatives in this association and to interest other people in things of the sort because so many people will say, "I don't take any stock in genealogy or in ancestors. I believe every man should be judged for what he is and not for what his ancestors were." Well now, that is undoubtedly so. If we kept up this Association merely for the pride we might take for ourselves in being of old New England or old Colonial blood or old this or old that it certainly would not get us very far. I believe that an immigrant, the first day he arrives here from Ellis Island, if he is imbued with the principles of American democracy is just as good an American the day he lands as any of us who can trace our genealogy back to 1620 perhaps and there have been such immigrants. I recall reading a year or so ago the autobiography of Professor Pupin, the electrical wizard of Columbia

University. He tells how in Serbia, where he came from, he studied the life of Lincoln and became imbued with the principles shown by Lincoln's life so that when he landed here at Ellis Island he knew the life and the principles. Such an immigrant, I say, is just as good an American as any of us the day he lands.

It is not that we are any better because our ancestors were in the Colonial Wars or the War of the Revolution or the War of 1812 than anybody else but I do think, Mr. Toastmaster, that it is a fitting thing for us in associations of this sort to honor the memory of our ancestors, to know who they were, where they were born, who they married. (The first wife, the second wife—sometimes the third in those old Colonial days.) Who their children were and what they did.

An old uncle of mine used to say that he had never heard of a Reynolds who was very good or very bad, very bright or very dull, very rich or very poor. We do not find their names adorning the pages of history but for that very reason it becomes us to honor their memories, to consider the hardships which they endured as pioneers struggling as fishermen or farmers along the bleak New England coasts, eking out a living from the soil of Vermont, perhaps undergoing the privations of the Revolutionary War or the other wars in our history. We do not need to go as far as the Chinese in their ancestor worship and deification but it does seem to me that these ancestors of ours who did so much and suffered such hardships and privations to found a home in a land where democracy and religious freedom should prevail should be honored. I say this, that we—not merely in the Reynolds Family but in other Old Colonial lines—should meet in Associations like this and should contribute of our means toward such work as the publication of genealogical works—records and books such as we have undertaken in this line.

TOASTMASTER: Mr. Reynolds' keen interest in our Association is so inspiring that if it could be communicated to other members of the Reynolds Family, we would have to get a larger room for holding our Annual Banquet. I hope that time will come.

We have had letters from several members expressing their regret at not being able to be with us tonight.

I shall also read a letter from Mr. Roscoe Reynolds. We are indebted to Mr. Reynolds for the sample of Maine potatoes grown on his farm.

Fort Fairfield, Me., October 8th, 1924.

Toastmaster and Members of the Reynolds Family Association:

In place of my presence I send regrets and a contribution to the literary program.

Since last March, when I first became acquainted by corre-

spondence, with Marion H. Reynolds, who is doing a very self-sacrificing office for the upbuilding of the Association which resulted in my becoming a member and a growing interest in my people through the perusal of the very interesting annuals and find them all very interesting. Miss Celia Mary Reynolds' contributions to many, if not all the publications, are gems of thought and inspiration to all who read them.

Am just past 75 years old and enjoy good health. Longevity is a family trait which has its usefulness as an example to the young.

I shall look forward with pleasure for the report of the meeting.

Sincerely,

R. ROSCOE REYNOLDS.

TOASTMASTER: It was very thoughtful of Mr. Reynolds to contribute as he has to our entertainment. It was a very lovely thing for a man 75 years of age to take the trouble to send us samples of his farm products and to write the letter and poem which have just been read.

Miss Harriet Reynolds, who is of the line of John of Watertown and is so well known to most of you, has recently returned from a very delightful vacation abroad and has consented to tell us something of her trip.

MISS HARRIET REYNOLDS: *Mr. Toastmaster, Relatives and Friends:* I had the great pleasure of taking a trip around the world last winter and am very happy to tell you something about it tonight. There were a party of fourteen who went from Greenwich, Connecticut.

We left New York on January fifteenth; sailed for a few days on the Atlantic Ocean; just skirted the Gulf of Mexico; skimmed over the blue surface of the Caribbean Sea; up through the Gulf of California and then for a three weeks voyage across the boundless Pacific and from Yokohama, Japan, our voyage covered all of Kipling's Seven Seas of the world.

We sailed on the beautiful Inland Sea of Japan; China Sea; Yellow Sea, the Bay of Bengal, the Arabian Gulf, the Red Sea and the Mediterranean Sea itself. In fact, more than half of our voyage around the world was spent on the sea or on the water.

Our ship was the DAKOTA, one of the Cunard Line's most beautiful steamers. It was a great liner, run like a majestic private yacht, equipped with every comfort and luxury and this beautiful ship was our home during our entire journey of nearly twenty-six thousand miles.

We cruised on all of the picturesque waters and sailed along

all of the romantic shores of the world. We saw the glorious sunsets at Java and the glorious sunrise in the southern skies.

I had the coveted opportunity of seeing things I had read about and heard about all my life, such as the beautiful Taj Mahal in India, the Waikiki Beach in Honolulu, the elephants piling lumber in the lumber yards in India and many other wonderful sights. We went in a houseboat one morning at six o'clock out on the Ganges and sailed for several hours and watched the natives bathe in the Ganges River. We ate with chopsticks in China and Japan. In Japan we rode in jinrickshas; in China in sedan chairs; in India on elephants; in Egypt on camels and donkeys. It was all very thrilling and very interesting.

Our well planned itinerary gave us satisfying visits. These tours are arranged very wonderfully. Where the harbor is large enough the steamer goes right up to the dock. Often we anchor far out and are taken to the port in tenders.

Our first docking port was at Havana, Cuba, and upon arriving were met by automobiles. Spent a day in motoring around the beautiful city of Havana and had luncheon at the most beautiful hotel there.

From Havana we went through the wonderful Panama Canal. We landed there two days before we were taken through the canal and had everything explained to us so that when we sailed through we were better able to understand it. Started through the locks at six o'clock in the morning and everybody was out bright and early. It cost \$14,000 for our ship to be taken through the Canal.

From the Panama Canal we went to Los Angeles and motored all through southern California and had a most beautiful time.

From Los Angeles went to the Hawaiian Islands and stopped at Honolulu and out to the Waikiki Beach.

Then we had a two weeks sail from Honolulu to Yokohama. Yokohama was the city which suffered greatly from the earthquake and the wreckage caused by the earthquake was not exaggerated. From Yokohama we went to Tokyo. I had the pleasure of taking an overland trip of three week's duration across Japan and on this trip I visited Yokohama; Kobe; Kyoto; Nagoya; and, since they say you must never miss the magnificent shrines there, Nikko. Because I always preferred universities and missions to kimono stores, I improved every opportunity to visit the Christian colleges and the Christian missions. Visited Kobe College at Kobe, the Women's Union Christian College at Tokyo, a mission school at Calcutta and several other mission schools.

From Kobe we went to Shanghai and several of our party took the trip to Peking. From Shanghai to Hongkong. The harbor

there is one of the most beautiful harbors in the world. It is a very beautiful city. The island is mountainous and the roads built around it are very much like the Columbia Highway out on the Pacific Coast. They are all built by the women of China. The women in China work harder than the men. In some of the beautiful houses the bricks, mortar and lumber were all carried by the Chinese women. We saw them building roads.

From Hongkong we went to Calcutta. From Calcutta I had the pleasure of taking a trip across India—a three weeks trip—but the ship went around from Calcutta to Bombay by way of Ceylon. In crossing India visited many interesting places—among them Delhi. From there came down to Bombay.

We went to Java, Manila and Singapore and then on.

Saw Jerusalem and had a most wonderful trip through Palestine—the Holy Land—sailed on the Sea of Galilee.

From Jerusalem and Palestine we came down to Naples and visited the city and went all through Pompeii. Took a wonderful drive along the shores of the Mediterranean—went out to the Island of Capri.

Many of us left the steamer at Naples and went on up through Europe—Rome—Florence—Lucerne—Paris—London and then came home.

I will say that if any of you love a sea voyage and if you want more education, recreation, and contact with new and thrilling things and a thoroughly good time take a trip around the world.

TOASTMASTER: Miss Celia Reynolds, who has been the beloved Poet of our Association for about twenty years, has sent a beautiful poem to be read at this meeting. (The poem is printed in this *Annual*).

TOASTMASTER: Our next speaker has been the Historian of our Association for many years. He has devoted days and weeks,—yes, months—of his time in libraries and halls of records, looking up our grandfathers and great-grandfathers even to the tenth generation. His researches have been of incalculable benefit to our Association; we have been fortunate in having one who would give so unsparingly of his time and effort.

I am sorry Mr. Reynolds is soon to leave New York where he has been for four years. Owing to the recent loss of his father, he is going to make his home near San Francisco, California, where his mother now resides. I know that he will always maintain a keen interest in our Association, but I fear in his new location he may not have access to records such as have been available here.

I know that every member of the Association feels that we owe a debt of gratitude to him for all that he has done and is doing for us. Before calling upon him to speak, I shall ask you to rise as an expression of our appreciation and to wish him "God speed" as he goes to his new home in the West. (All rise).

MR. MARION H. REYNOLDS: *Mr. Toastmaster and fellow-members of this good Association:*

The sight of that huge Maine potato exhibited over there made clear to me why my father, grandfather and great-grandfather who also lived up in Aroostook Co., Me., could raise such unusually big families; but on such an Irish diet I marvel that they didn't all vote the straight Democratic ticket!

We are trying earnestly to get sufficient subscriptions from all Robert of Boston descendants to make it safe to go ahead with the expensive printing job of the Robert history. We cannot well proceed until every one of that family has assumed some small part of the ultimate cost, because it will be a very large book and will involve heavy expense.

The ROBERT BOOK will be considerably larger even than the JOHN OF WATERTOWN Book, and it will probably cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000. To be safe, we should have at least half of this (\$2,500) safely underwritten by subscriptions before we undertake printing. A few personal letters have already developed the following generous subscriptions to the Robert Book:

Mrs. Audella Hyatt, Princeton, N. J.	\$110
Emerson & Sprague Reynolds, Monmouth, Me. .	50
Royal I. Reynolds, Burlington, Vt.	50
Miss Almena R. Depuy, Jackson, Mich.	10
Walter & LaVerne R. Johnson, Montello, Mass., for the Estate of Isaac N. Reynolds.....	100
Reuel Roscoe Reynolds, Ft. Fairfield, Me.....	25
Miss Madeline Reynolds, Cambridge, Mass.....	50
Bion F. Reynolds, Brockton, Mass.....	100
Howard S. Reynolds, New York.....	50
Alfred C. Rippier, Brooklyn, N. Y.....	25
Chester E. Hathaway, Minneapolis, Minn.....	40

Total to Oct., 1924 \$610

If you are of the Robert line, your name belongs on this subscription list—please assume your part in a good work. Send your name to Mrs. Rippier. The history is ready for the printer now.

In our Robert line I venture to say there were more romantic men than in any of the other lines. Here are a few instances: the fascinating story of Captain Nathaniel⁵ Reynolds of Marblehead in our 1921 ANNUAL told of his jilting his fiancée on the wedding day and his marrying another girl.

About the time of the Civil War another of the family at West Point Academy fell in love with the girl of another West Pointer. There was a duel with cavalry sabres, and both these youthful gallants were badly injured. Both were promptly graduated from the Academy "by request."

Another of the family from Boston about 1818 studied medicine in Endinburgh. He was about to set sail from Liverpool for America; the crowd on the dock were waving handkerchiefs and crying goodbye to its friends when the ship's lines were cast off. Edward⁶ Reynolds knew no one on the dock, his baggage was all aboard, but he espied in the crowd on shore a very pretty young English girl. He decided he wanted her and he at once jumped over the side and let the clipper sail on to America without him. His romance was successful and they were soon married. These are true stories of long ago. Our great-grandfathers had very much of interest in their lives; there is indeed much more to their history than the dry bones of birth, marriage and death dates!

It is to me an impressive fact that this Association has grown in thirty-odd years to such a very healthy, useful organization; and that it has done so entirely without any salaried officers or workers. Its success has been due entirely to the pure spirit of service in its officers and the general deep interest of the members. Generally speaking, our only expenses are for printing and for postage.

The Association may be interested to see here tonight one of the very first books to come to America, an ancient anti-Papist, Separatist book by the Rev. Andrew Willet, published in London, 1634. The only other copy of which I know is in the Divinity School Library at Harvard. This famous old book, which you see is just about the size of a large Webster's Dictionary, has been in my family continuously for almost 300 years, and has come from the first or second Reynolds of our line in America, down to me of the tenth generation. Robert may have owned it; his son, Captain Nathaniel², certainly did. Robert is known to have been in Boston as early as 1632; and I am convinced, without adequate formal proof, that he really came with Governor Winthrop in 1630.

I am mystified to know how this dry-as-dust ancient tome has escaped 300 years of thorough spring house-cleanings by New England wives. I have been so very fortunate as to receive

it from the estate of my late genealogist colleague, Isaac N. Reynolds of Montello, Mass. The anti-Catholic views of this ancient book are so violent that it would make a good Ku Klux Bible. I found in its pages a long argument concerning the Virgin birth controversy—hence our Modernist ministers are not talking about anything new.

Isaac Reynolds also passed on to me the very old leather wallet of my great-great-grandfather Corporal Joseph⁶ Reynolds, who served actively in the Revolution, with other Minute Men of Brockton. The book and the wallet lie there on the table for you to examine after this meeting.

It is the ambition of the officers of the Association to have published the complete history of every one of the large and small lines of Reynoldses. A fine start has been made with the recent publication of the large book on the Watertown-Greenwich Line. We do not wish to stop until the four or five complete histories rest on the library shelves of every member of this Association. I do know that we cannot be successful without the material backing of the *whole* Association for *every book* we put out. We cannot otherwise finance them. Whether you are of the line or not, buy the books as they appear; your family will get its book in turn.

We seriously need an increase in membership and we look confidently to our Senior Vice-President to accomplish it for us. If instead of the present 350 members, we had 1,000, we could each year publish a big, fat ANNUAL such as that of 1922, full of interesting material and fine pictures. It costs practically as much to print 350 copies as 1,000; but 350 members mean only \$350 a year, while 1,000 mean \$1,000 to spend on printing. If each of you would acquire one new member for this Association, consider the healthy effect such action would have on our good work.

If we could have sold 500 copies of the Watertown Book, we could have distributed it for \$6.50; if 1,000 copies, we could have done it for \$3.50. But we are having a very difficult time to sell even 300 and that means \$10 a copy, because our total printing and binding cost was well over \$3,000.

Think of our problems and do your small part in proportion. The Association will be glad to have any name you wish stamped on a copy for Christmas or birthday presents, and without any additional cost to you. When we get around to your line, shell out as generously as you can,—genealogies are expensive luxuries. If a family's spirit is so mean that it is not equal to meeting the cost of publishing its own history, it probably means that its history is not worthy of perpetuation in print.

Several of our members have given \$100 each to several of

our publication undertakings; may I take this occasion publicly to express my thanks for their confidence and material support.

I have to tell you all for a time Goodbye. If I could, I should like to see you all in California at some Reunion.

TOASTMASTER: Before we close our meeting this evening I wish to speak of the work of our secretary, Mrs. Rippier. She is not on our program and we shall not ask her to make a speech. She is, in a way, making speeches every day for the Reynolds Family Association and the least we can do is to excuse her on this occasion. Mrs. Rippier and Mr. Marion Reynolds constitute a remarkable team and to them should go the credit for the growth and prosperity of our Association. This is a good family association because there has been real work done and the burden of it has been carried by Mrs. Rippier and Mr. Reynolds. We are not unmindful of the work of our other officers who have contributed so much to the success of our organization, but I refer particularly to the daily grind of detail work, so much of which falls on our secretary, and I know that I express the feelings of the Association in extending to Mrs. Rippier our hearty thanks for the wonderful work she is doing.

This brings us to the close of our Thirty-third Annual Meeting. On behalf of the officers I ask you to keep up an active interest in the association throughout the year. Do what you can. When you think of the real work that is being done by some of our members, the least the rest of us can do is to support the Association financially and in any other possible way. I want to emphasize what Mr. Marion Reynolds has said on this subject. We ought to have a membership double the number we now have and I think we can have it if we all will undertake to interest those we know are eligible. I don't know whether the officers have considered the advisability of increasing our dues, but I do not think there is a member of our Association who would object if our dues were doubled. I don't see how we get along on the small amount of money we receive from membership dues. It takes money to print our reports and I offer the suggestion that our officers consider a recommendation for increasing the annual dues to \$2.00.

The musical program given over the Radio during the banquet hour, was greatly appreciated, this with the beautiful flowers upon the table, was the courtesy extended by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Reynolds of New York City.

Our appreciation is also extended to Mrs. J. H. Crane of Mt. Kisco, N. Y., who kindly took the notes of our program,

PROGRAM OF THE THIRTY - FOURTH ANNUAL BANQUET OF THE ASSOCIATION

The Thirty-fourth Annual Banquet of the Association was held on October 17th, 1925. Mr. Frank V. R. Reynolds, President of the Association, introduced Mr. Leonard J. Reynolds as Toastmaster for the occasion.

Mr. L. J. Reynolds, Toastmaster offered his word of greeting to the members and friends of the Association, many coming from outside of New York City. In a perusal of the annuals I read where the late Judge John Post Reynolds referred to three things which the Reynolds Family Association were noted for, namely: PURITY, POVERTY and LONGEVITY. In the latter we are reminded of some of the members already referred to by our Secretary as having lived through 90, 95 and 101 years.

Miss Marion E. Mead of Greenwich, Conn., told of her experiences while in China. Miss Mead related many experiences and happenings which occurred during her stay in China, having been there during an earthquake and witnessing several wars among the natives, also describing her experiences while passing through a typhoon on her way home.

Miss Grace S. Reed of Hempstead, L. I., recited the story of the "Gadsbays," by Rudyard Kipling and also gave a monologue entitled "Keeping a seat at the benefit." The program varied somewhat from our usual banquet exercises and at this time we were favored with those who had had pleasure trips.

Mr. A. C. Rippier of Brooklyn, gave glimpses of a trip which he and Mrs. Rippier had on their way to the Coast and return, visiting in California, Yosemite Valley, Grand Canyon of Arizona, Yellowstone Park and other cities.

Mr. John L. Reynolds of Cambridge, Mass., told of his experience while travelling in the South and also his trip to California, taking the northern route through Washington and Vancouver.

Miss Myrtle Dyke of Arkansas gave a very interesting account of the people of her State, as *known* only to them and the part they have had in the making of history.

We were greatly favored with beautiful piano selections by Miss Vera O. Eakin of New York City, during the program. The Toastmaster brought the banquet to a close making an appeal to the members to meet in Philadelphia in 1926. The singing of Auld Lang Syne closed the program.

The committee wish to acknowledge the kindness of those who contributed in helping to make the program so successful, also to Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. R. Reynolds for the flowers placed upon the table.

NEW MEMBERS 1925

These names, added to the many hundred printed in our 1921, 1922 and 1923 Annuals, complete our membership roll to date.

ROBERT REYNOLDS OF BOSTON GROUP

Mr. George R. Reynolds.....	Long Beach, Calif.
Miss Leonora R. Belyea.....	St. John, N. B., Can.
Miss Olive L. Reynolds.....	New Haven, Conn.
Mrs. R. C. Brundage.....	Rochelle, Ill.
Mrs. Fred Leslie Wood.....	Cheshire, Mass.
Mrs. Cora R. Towner.....	Everett, Mass.
Miss Harriet F. Reynolds.....	Horton, Mich.
Mrs. Martha R. Colby.....	Horton, Mich.
R. Roscoe Reynolds.....	Ft. Fairfield, Me.
Simeon O. Reynolds.....	Caribou, Me.
Miss Zadie I. Reynolds.....	Waterville, Me.
Mr. Arthur L. Reynolds.....	Presque Is, Me.
Miss Ethel E. Reynolds.....	Buffalo, N. Y.
Mrs. E. B. Osborne.....	New York, N. Y.
Dr. Earle C. Reynolds.....	Passaic, N. J.
Mr. Guy M. Reynolds.....	Bloomfield, N. J.
Roy I. Reynolds.....	Burlington, Vt.

JAMES REYNOLDS OF KINGSTOWN LINE

Mrs. James A. Johnson.....	Buffalo, N. Y.
Mrs. George H. Fuller.....	Milford, Mass.
L't. Kefler McGinnis, U. S. N.....	Washington, D. C.
Mr. Archibald McGinnis.....	Indianapolis, Ind.
Mrs. Ruth A. Peaslee.....	Chicago, Ill.
Mr. William E. Reynolds.....	Hartford, Conn.
Mr. James E. Reynolds.....	East Lyme, Conn.
Mr. Charles A. Reynolds.....	Pascoag, R. I.
Miss J. Beatrice Congdon.....	Camden, N. J.
Mr. Lawrence Guthrie Weaver.....	Evanston, Ill.
Dr. S. Blanche Reynolds.....	Port Huron, Mich.
Dr. Kate R. Miller.....	Port Huron, Mich.

JOHN REYNOLDS OF WATERTOWN LINE

Mr. Oscar E. Acker.....	Ardasley, N. Y.
Mrs. Anderson H. Travis.....	Lake Mahopac, N. Y.
Mrs. Richard Barnes.....	Ossining, N. Y.
Mr. David Bogert Reynolds.....	New York, N. Y.
Mr. Walter E. Reynolds.....	Mt. Kisco, N. Y.
Mr. James T. Reynolds.....	East Rockaway, N. Y.
Mr. Elmer Ellsworth Reynolds.....	Rutland, Vt.
Miss Mildred R. Lewis.....	Detroit, Mich.
Mrs. Harry F. Clemons.....	St. Paul, Minn.
Mr. William H. Reynolds.....	Austin, Minn.
Mrs. Thomas L. Ritchey.....	St. Joseph, Mo.
Mr. Daniel C. Reynolds.....	Philada., Pa.

JOHN REYNOLDS OF WEYMOUTH LINE

Mr. Frederick E. Beebe.....	Meriden, Conn.
Mrs. Wilfred C. Allen.....	Hartford, Conn.

JOHN REYNOLDS OF SAYBROOK LINE

Mr. Grant E. Reynolds.....	Cedar Rapids, Ia.
Miss E. Estelle Reynolds.....	Des Moines, Ia.
Dr. Albert C. Reynolds.....	Mingo, Ia.

RUNNELS-REYNOLDS GROUP

Miss Antoinette R. S. Johnson.....	Westfield, N. Y.
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ANNE ARUNDEL CO. OF MD. LINE

Mr. Ivan W. Clark.....	Springfield, O.
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KENT CO., DEL. LINE

Mrs. Herbert B. Reynolds.....	New York, N. Y.
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WASHINGTON CO. OF MD. LINE

Mr. Clifford B. Wright.....	Cincinnati, O.
Rev. Joseph R. Wood.....	Los Angeles, Calif.

HENRY OF CHICHESTER LINE

Miss Mary I. Shultz.....	Logansport, Ind.
Mr. John W. Reynolds.....	Mansfield, O.
Mrs. Tilton C. Reynolds.....	Harrisburg, Pa.
Miss Helen B. Fox.....	Glenside, Pa.
Mrs. William L. Speakman.....	Brandywine Summit, Pa.
Miss Maude I. Reynolds.....	Latrobe, Pa.
Mrs. Edwin S. Tracy.....	New York, N. Y.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mr. William D. Reynolds, Sr.....	Denver, Colo.
Mr. Damain L. Reynolds.....	San Francisco, Calif.
Mr. Alva L. Reynolds.....	Long Beach, Calif.
Rev. E. Ellsworth Reynolds, D.D.....	St. Petersburg, Fla.
Hon. Earl D. Reynolds.....	Rockford, Ill.
Mr. Royal Larkin Reynolds.....	Grafton, Nebr.
Mr. Ramon F. Reynolds.....	Alford, N. Y.
Dr. Raymond C. Almy.....	Auburn, N. Y.
Mr. Arthur G. Reynolds.....	Bombay, N. Y.
Mrs. B. R. Wakeman.....	Hornell, N. Y.
Mr. Winfred E. Reynolds.....	New York, N. Y.
Mrs. Hattie Laird.....	Arlington, N. Y.
Mr. Asa B. Reynolds.....	Cortland, N. Y.
Mrs. Arthur H. Merritt.....	Riverdale-on-Hudson, N. Y.
Mr. Cornelius O. Reynolds.....	Sanataria Springs, N. Y.
Miss Mary E. Reynolds.....	Hudson, N. Y.
Mr. Philip E. Reynolds.....	Dunellen, N. J.
Mrs. Nellie Van Doren.....	Peapack, N. J.
Miss Clementine R. Reynolds.....	Somerville, N. J.
Miss Josephine Reynolds.....	Somerville, N. J.
Mrs. Florence Winant.....	Newark, N. J.
Mrs. Abigail R. Pafenback.....	Toledo, O.
Mrs. Marshall Gault.....	Rea, Pa.
Mrs. R. A. Countryman.....	Mandan, N. D.
Mrs. Warren L. Reynolds.....	Lexington, Ky.
Rev. Hiram F. Reynolds, D.D.....	Kansas City, Mo.
Mrs. William T. Reynolds.....	Columbia, S. C.
Mr. Charles T. Reynolds.....	Columbia, S. C.
Mr. E. Francis Atwood.....	Sisseton, S. D.
Miss Olive M. Reynolds.....	Seattle, Wash.

GEORGE⁵ REYNOLDS (1751-1824) AND HIS DESCENDANTS

A Genealogy of The Reynolds Family
of
Reynolds Corners, Moreau, Saratoga County, New York
A Branch of the North Kingstown, Rhode Island, Line.

—(Indexed)—

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PREFACE

The ancestry of this GEORGE REYNOLDS can be found in the *Reynolds Family Association Annual* for 1922, pages 49-120. A full account is there given of each of the four generations of his line of descent from James¹ Reynolds of North Kingstown, Rhode Island, who was the first settler of this branch of the Reynolds family in America.

The purpose of this genealogy is to present a compact, comprehensive, record of all the descendants of the said George Reynolds so far as they could be found.

The method of numbering employed is that used by the leading genealogical periodicals. A name index is appended.

I take this opportunity of thanking all the members of the family who have assisted me by furnishing the data necessary to complete this work and without whose help it could not have been accomplished.

HENRY S. REYNOLDS.

FIFTH GENERATION FROM JAMES¹ REYNOLDS OF NORTH KINGSTOWN, R. I.

First Generation of Reynolds Corners Family

1. (326)*¹ GEORGE⁵ REYNOLDS, b. Sept. 18, 1751, Exeter, R. I.; d. Aug. 10, 1824, Moreau, N. Y., and is buried there in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery; m. Oct. 15, 1772, South Kingstown, R. I. by Dr. Joseph Torrey,*² Elizabeth Rogers, who was b. March 10, 1749/50, Exeter, R. I., and d. May 15, 1828, Moreau, N. Y. Also buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

He was the seventh child of Capt. John⁴ Reynolds "Jun." and his wife Martha Tibbits, and fifth in line of descent (Joseph³, Joseph², James¹) from James¹ Reynolds of North Kingstown, Rhode Island.

His early life was spent on his father's farm in the township of Exeter, R. I. This farm was located a few miles west of the modern village of Wickford, R. I., and was on the south side of the so-called Ten Rod Road not far beyond the top of the rise to Exeter Hill.

Here he lived until he was seventeen years old. Shortly thereafter the minutes of the Town Council of Exeter tell us that on Dec. 13, 1768 it was:—

"Ordered that Capt. John Reynolds have a certificate for himself and wife, and children, to the Township of North Kingstown."

This shows that George⁵ Reynolds left Exeter with his father at that time. It seems highly probable that they had already decided on the migration to the state of New York, which was then being undertaken by so many Rhode Islanders of the district where they lived. The fact that George's father had recently sold out all his several real estate holdings, and lastly the family home, apparently substantiates this supposition. We hear no more of the father, but evidently George⁵ Reynolds went to South rather than North Kingstown when leaving Exeter since he is described in his recently discovered marriage record as of South Kingstown on Oct. 15, 1772. Most likely he went to New York soon after that event. It is a matter of record that Elder James Rogers (who was either the father or uncle of George's wife Elizabeth) with his son James Rogers, Jr., moved to New York in that year.

* 1 The numbers in parenthesis refer to the subject's number in the author's previous article concerning the Ancestry of George⁵ Reynolds and his descent from

These Rhode Islanders flocked into New York State during the ten years preceding the Revolution, settling mostly in the present counties of Rensselaer and Washington east of the Hudson River. That is where we would then look to find George Reynolds when he first came into this part of the country. The district of Moreau, in Saratoga County, where his sons settled and where he is buried, was not developed until after the Revolution. It is true that a few families then lived in it along the west bank of the Hudson, but George Reynolds is not named among them.

Among the early settlers along the Battenkill Creek, Judge Nathan Tefft, Elder James Rogers and his son James Rogers, Jr., Smith Barber, Thomas Bentley, Nathan Cottrell, Samuel Dickinson, Robert Kenyon, Nathan Tanner, David Sprague, Job Whipple, and William Mowry, all bear familiar Rhode Island surnames.

It is, therefore, most interesting to find that in the year 1781, George Reynolds was said to be living on land up the hill back of the south side of the mouth of the Battenkill near the various Rogers families to whom his wife was related.

This statement is contained in an original manuscript by Dr. Asa Fitch, which he called *Notes for a History of Washington County, N. Y.* It is now in the library of the N. Y. Genealogical and Biographical Society in New York City. This manuscript consists, for the most part, of statements made by actual survivors of the Revolutionary period directly to Dr. Fitch, and carefully taken down by him at the time. He writes that:—

"Jacob Bitely, living in the next house above Esq. Bells, near the Block House at Fort Edward, crippled in his limbs, but with mind and memory very perfect, gave me the following information on Nov. 19, 1847:

'I was born Nov. 9, 1762, in New Jersey. . . . Our house being burned in the Great Burning in 1780 we lived at a place near DeRidders, and lived there through the year 1781. We hired of one

James¹ Reynolds of North Kingstown, R. I. See: R.F.A. Report for 1922 pp. 114, 120.

* 2 "Record Book of Marriages 1736-1783 performed by Dr. Joseph Torrey of Tower Hill, South Kingstown, R. I." Rhode Island Historical Society Collections, Vol. 18 p. 150.

The date of "Aug. —, 1774" given as that of George² Reynolds' marriage in the Family Bible of his son Col. John³ Reynolds is evidently an error. I concede this reluctantly but consideration of surrounding facts makes the conclusion inevitable. Moreover it must be borne in mind that in old bible records entries of events many years previous to their being written in the bible can seldom be relied upon. Their chief value is in entries of births made contemporaneously with the event. We know that our George² Reynolds had left Exeter, R. I., before 1772. We know that Deacon Joseph Rogers, whom I believe to have been the father of our Elizabeth Rogers the wife of George² Reynolds, removed from Exeter to South Kingstown about 1757. (Smith's "Civil & Military Lists of R. I." p 189). We know that James Rogers Jr., the son of Elder James Rogers, was married to Mercy Tefft on Jan. 27, 1771 by the same Dr. Torrey. Elder James Rogers was a brother of Deacon Joseph, and thought by some to have been the father of our Elizabeth Rogers. Dr. Torrey was a Congregationalist, and so was George² Reynolds and his son Col. John³ Reynolds.

Winnie, a relation of Walter DeRidder, and close by him. One Sheldon, I think, then occupied the lands on the south side of the mouth of the kill (Battenkill) and above him up the hill was Gerritt Springer, *George Reynolds*, and the Rogers's. James Rogers' farm was on the north side of the Battenkill at its mouth. All these families were Whigs. . . . *1

The "Great Burning of 1780" which Jacob Bitely told Dr. Fitch was the reason for his moving on the DeRidder property is described by him as follows:—

"The year 1780 has always been designated in this quarter as the year of the great burning, to distinguish it from the lesser burnings of separate buildings that occurred in other years. The Tories had mostly sold out their farms around here and moved off to Canada. But it seems they could not forget their happy homes of former years, and such was their feelings of hatred towards the Whigs that it added gall to their feelings that their bitter enemies were living in comfort in their old residences. They, therefore, resolved to destroy what they could not enjoy. A large company of refugee Tories volunteered, it seems, to come down from Canada in company with Carleton's force and burn these houses. The Tuttles and Geo. Campbell, it was always said, were believed to have been the leaders in this. It was a clear, cold night some time in October when they fell upon us, and burned every house and barn on the west side of the river from Sandy Hill to Fort Miller; all our grain and hay was destroyed and all cattle killed; it was an awful night. The Parks, Brown, Philander Doty, Campbells, Lehigh, Asaph Putnam, McDavids, and John McCrea (brother of Jenny) houses were among those burned." *2

The absence of George Reynolds' name in this list and the deliberate reference to him on the DeRidder land seems to me to be further corroboration of the conclusion that he did not move over to the west side of the Hudson until after the Revolution.

The proximity of the Rogers families and traditions about "the mouth of the Battenkill" in this Reynolds family make it quite certain that the George Reynolds referred to by Bitely was the George Reynolds whom we have under consideration. The "south side of the Battenkill" is now the northern part of the township of Easton, Washington County, N. Y., but at that time was in the town of Saratoga, Albany County. Easton was organized in 1789 from parts of Saratoga and Stillwater lying east of the Hudson River, and remained in Albany County until Feb. 7, 1791, when it was transferred to Washington County. Therefore the local town records only go back to 1793 and cannot help us.

All the land in this neighborhood, south of the Battenkill and east of the Hudson, had been bought by the DeRidder family

*1 The Dr. Asa Fitch Mss. No. 111, No. 125, No. 127.

*2 The Dr. Asa Fitch Mss. No. 123.



J. SPAULDING REYNOLDS, NO. 19, AND EDGAR L. REYNOLDS, NO. 85

some years before. The other occupants named by Bitely had either bought or leased from them. The house of Walter DeRidder, above whom "up the hill" George Reynolds lived in 1781, is said to have stood on the east bank of the Hudson just north of the main road as it turns east going to Greenwich. This house was ruined many years ago by ice in a freshet, but some of its timbers are reputed to have been used in the so-called 'Elder Rogers house'.*¹

It is said that when the battle of Saratoga was in progress a force of American scouts occupied the hills on the DeRidder farm on the east side of the river and the enemy brought some batteries to bear on them and tried to drive them out.*² These were probably the forces under General Fellows. This is interesting to us because it refers to that part of the DeRidder property where George Reynolds lived.

In the light of all these facts it is interesting to look over the ground where the Reynolds and the Rogers first lived in New York. If you cross the Hudson from Schuylerville and then keep north on the road parallel with the river, instead of turning east and right with the state road to Greenwich, you will soon come to the bridge across the Battenkill. On the opposite and north side, down to the left, you can see the old Rogers house, on the land settled by James Rogers, Jr.

Now, if you turn around at the bridge and start to go back, you will see the road forking to the left leading "up the hill" to where Jacob Bitely said George Reynolds lived in 1781. It would seem that the mill by the bridge is on the land he referred to as then occupied "by one Sheldon." It is also pertinent to note that Bitely refers to some of the Rogers, distinct from James Rogers, Jr., who lived up the hill near George Reynolds. It is to be regretted that he did not specify which Rogers they were. As a matter of fact I suspect that Joseph Rogers, the father of George Reynolds' wife lived there at that time. I wish it could be confirmed.

While there is no conclusive proof that George Reynolds enlisted as a soldier in the Revolution there is a distinct family tradition that he performed some kind of service for the Revolutionary Army, at least in a civilian capacity. Living where he did, it is hard to see how he could have escaped doing this. From the site of his house he could have watched Burgoyne's forces crossing the Hudson just north of Battenkill Creek, and a few weeks later, if it was a clear day, he could have seen Burgoyne's surrender on the other side of the river to the south.

* ¹ Brandow's "Story of Old Saratoga," p. 242.

* ² "History of Washington County, N. Y." by Crisfield Johnson, p. 295.

The 13th Albany County Militia Regiment was recruited from the Saratoga and Battenkill district. This regiment was commanded at different times by Col. John McCrea and Col. Cornelius Van Vechten. The names of many of the Battenkill settlers from Rhode Island are found in its muster rolls. There are those there too of each name mentioned by Bitely to Dr. Fitch as George Reynolds' immediate neighbors.*¹ Therefore, when we find the name of George Reynolds (also given as George Raynolds) as an enlisted private in this regiment*² it is possible that it means our George Reynolds. However, there is no direct evidence of this, and I feel we should have something more definite before we can state it conclusively.

There is a paper on file in Albany,*³ among a folio of documents relating to Col. Van Vechten's Albany County regiment, executed by the George Reynolds who was the Revolutionary soldier, but unfortunately nothing in it necessarily connects him with our George Reynolds.

This paper reads:—

"Half Moon Novr. 21 1785

"Sir

Please to Pay Bill Smith or order all the Pay due us for Service Rendered the Publick in your Regt of Militia and this order shall be a voucher for the same.

George Reynolds
Peter Clement

Witness

Willm. Bradshaw.

The first census of the United States was made in the spring of 1790, and we find in these records the family of George⁵ Reynolds listed in the Town of Saratoga, Albany County.*⁴ The town of Easton, where he lived in 1781, had already been set off from Saratoga. Albany County then included the present Saratoga County, and the Town of Saratoga included the present towns of Northumberland and Moreau. This shows that George⁵ Reynolds had moved to the west side of the Hudson River before 1790.

In the published census his name follows next but one that of his relative Gen. Thomas Rogers, whom we know had taken up the old Jones farm located on the river in Moreau. This may be a clue to the location of where George⁵ Reynolds then lived

*¹ Capt. Peter Winnie, Lt. Samuel Sheldon, Richard Springer, Stanton Tift, and several Rogers including a Joseph Rogers were all members of this regiment.

*² "New York in the Revolution" by Jas. A. Roberts (1897 Edit.) p. 115.

*³ Rev. Mss. Vol. 7 folio 35, in State Comptroller's Office, Albany, N. Y.

*⁴ "New York in the First U. S. Census 1790" p. 41.

The listing shows: "1" Free white male over 16 etc.

"2" Free white males under 16.

"5" Females.

Undoubtedly it was somewhere along the river where all the first settlers after the Revolution made their homes. Since his name does not appear in any recorded deed or lease we cannot say definitely just where this was. There are three possible sites. Sylvester claims he ultimately settled "two miles south of Glens Falls, at the Point, nearly opposite Fort Edward, on the Saratoga County side of the Hudson River."^{*1} In 1914, Mrs. Austin L. Reynolds, Sr., told me that she had always been given to understand that the site was the farm on the river then owned by her son-in-law, Mr. George L. Williams, about a mile south of the above location. Or perhaps it was the so-called Olmstead farm, located on the river in the southeast corner of Moreau Township, concerning which Sylvester says:—

"On the Olmstead farm were very early settlers undoubtedly before the Revolution. The chain of title was Hilton to Reynolds, Reynolds to Shepherd, Shepherd to Olmstead. An unusual circumstance connected with this farm is that a mortgage executed by Hilton had an extension of 75 years before it was paid. Interest was paid regularly through the time of Hilton, Reynolds and Shepherd, and the principal was at last paid up and the mortgage discharged after the Olmsteads came in possession."^{*2}

George Reynolds' sons had settled and built at Reynolds Corners, three miles west of Fort Edward, some years before his death. Very possibly his later years were spent there. At any rate that is where he is buried. His tombstone can be found in the northwest corner of the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

George Reynolds was reputed to have been "a man of sterling qualities though unassuming in manner, who won recognition at the hands of his new neighbors, and lived to wield a strong influence in his community, where he resided continuously on his farm until his death. He was a Democrat, a farmer, and owned a fine tract of land."^{*2}

The Reynolds family Bible records, and the inscription on her tombstone, show that Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds, the wife of George Reynolds, was born March 10, 1749.^{*3} The Town Records of Exeter, R. I., show that Elizabeth Rogers, daughter of Joseph and Margaret (Webb) Rogers was born March 10, 1749.^{*4} We know that George Reynolds' father, John Reynolds "Jun," and the said Joseph Rogers were neighbors in Exeter and that there were real estate dealings between them.

Because of all this I have previously stated that Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds *must* have been the daughter of Joseph

^{*1} "History of Saratoga County, N. Y." by Sylvester (1893 Edit.) p. 589.

^{*2} "History of Saratoga County, N. Y." by Sylvester (1878 Edit.) p. 424.

^{*3} Bible of Col. John Reynolds, eldest son of George Reynolds, now in possession of Mrs. Susan L. Thompson, Hudson Falls, N. Y.

^{*4} Exeter, R. I. Town Records, Vol. 2, p. 215.

Rogers, instead of being the daughter of Elder James Rogers as was the impression among some members of the family.*¹ However that may be it is a proven fact that Elder James Rogers and the said Joseph Rogers were brothers. Therefore, all the descendants of George and Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds given in this genealogy can unquestionably trace their descent from James and Elizabeth (Harper) Rogers, the parents of these brothers; and thence to James¹ Rogers of Newport in 1638. The latter may have been the son of Thomas Rogers who came over in the Mayflower. The family have a tradition that they are descended from John Rogers, the Protestant martyr, who was burned at the stake in Smithfield, on Feb. 4, 1555, the first so to suffer in the reign of Queen Mary. This particular family were all active Baptists. Elder James Rogers conducted Baptist services in Rhode Island, and later in New York. Joseph Rogers was a Deacon and the first clerk of the Baptist Church in Exeter, R. I.*²

*¹ R.F.A. 1922 Report pp. 117-119.

*² As a matter of fact, *five* brothers of this Rogers family migrated to New York at this time from Charlestown (originally part of Westerly) and adjacent parts of Rhode Island.

These brothers, sons of James and Elizabeth (Harper) Rogers, (probably from James², Thomas², James¹ of Newport) were:

1. Elder James Rogers b. 1720 in R. I. d. May 25, 1775 in N. Y. m. Mercy Tefft, daughter of John and Joanna (Sprague) Tefft of So. Kingstown, R. I. She was b. April 21, 1715 in R. I. and d. Mch. 25, 1781 in N. Y. Tombstones in Rogers family burial ground in Moreau, N. Y., erected by their second son Thomas Rogers.
2. Capt. John Rogers b. in R. I. and d. 1797 in N. Y. m. (1) Mehetable Tefft, sister of Mercy Tefft above (2) Dorcas, perhaps Dorcas--(Sheldon) Tefft, widow of Judge Nathan Tefft. She was b. Feb. 12, 1718. Capt. John Rogers was probably the man evicted by the Argyle patentees. He was by no means the desperado which the historians have made him, but naturally resisted eviction from what he believed to be a just claim.
3. Deacon Joseph Rogers b. in R. I. and d. in Stephentown, Rensselaer Co. N. Y. m. April 22, 1742 in Charlestown, R. I. Margaret Webb, daughter of John and Joanna (Tefft) Webb, and granddaughter of John and Joanna (Sprague) Tefft above mentioned. He was Deacon and first Clerk of original Baptist Church in Exeter, R. I. Justice of Peace in Exeter 1756. Moved to So. Kingstown, R. I. 1757, and to N. Y. about 1770.
4. Samuel Rogers, b. 1726 in R. I. and d. in N. Y. m. Lydia Barber, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Tefft) Barber, and granddaughter of John and Joanna (Sprague) Tefft above mentioned. He was ancestor of Harper N. Rogers of Hudson Falls, N. Y.
5. Harper Rogers, b. in R. I. and d. in Mapletown, Hoosic N. Y. m. Mary Barber, a sister of Lydia Barber above.

It is curious to note the intermarriage with the Tefft family. All the brothers married either daughters or granddaughters of John and Joanna (Sprague) Tefft. The latter were also the parents of Judge Nathan Tefft, whom we have mentioned.

One must be careful not to confuse Elder James Rogers and his wife Mercy Tefft, with their son James Rogers, Jr. and his wife Mercy Tefft, daughter of Nathan and Isabel (Stanton) Tefft. James Jr. and his wife were first cousins. His mother, Mercy Tefft, and his wife's father Nathan Tefft, were brother and sister as we have just shown. This similarity of names has led some people to make erroneous statements.

Little is known about Elder James Rogers except that he came from Rhode Island in 1772 with his son James Jr. and died in 1775 soon after his arrival in New York. Practically all known historical matter referring to any James Rogers of this period and place relates to the son James Rogers, Jr.

It was the son, James Jr., who built and settled on land to the north of the mouth of the Battenkill. It was his son, also, who fled with his family to Bennington at the time of Burgoyne's advance as narrated in Brandow's "Story of Old Saratoga" pp. 192-3.

It is to be doubted whether anything more can be found to settle definitely which Rogers was the father of Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds.

On the one hand there is the fact of identity of her birth date with the birth date of Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Rogers. There is also the statement of certain of Joseph Rogers' known descendants in Stephentown, N. Y. that *his* daughter Elizabeth settled in Saratoga County. Furthermore, none of the extant records of the Rogers family in Greenwich, N. Y., include Elizabeth as a daughter of Elder James Rogers. Most of the Rogers in Greenwich are descended from Elder James' oldest son James Rogers, Jr. That family had the records showing who were the five brothers of Elder James Rogers. Their own records are very complete. If Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds was Elder James' daughter it is reasonable to suppose that we would find her name mentioned therein. However, no Elizabeth is given in their list of his children.

On the other hand some of the older members of the Reynolds family insist that they were told years ago, by relatives who knew Elizabeth personally, that Elizabeth was Elder James' daughter; that the family of Gen. Thomas Rogers, second son of Elder James, with whom they were intimate always said the same thing; that until I brought the matter up they never had any reason to think differently; and that they cannot see how their informants could be wrong. Then, too, some of the Joseph Rogers descendants in Stephentown have said that Joseph's daughter Elizabeth married a man named Stillwell in Saratoga Co. We also note that Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds did not name any of her children for Joseph or his wife Margaret, while she did call her third child Mercy which was the name of Elder James' wife.

Personally I feel that the fact of the identical birth date and town of origin overweighs all this, but I have tried to present both sides of the problem for the consideration of those interested.

Before leaving Elizabeth let me again warn anyone studying

Elder James Rogers had a second son, General Thomas Rogers, who settled in Moreau after the Revolution on the old Jones farm, which had been confiscated by the State as the Jones were Tories. One of these Jones was the reputed fiancé of the ill-fated Jennie McCrea. Various descendants of this Thomas Rogers were neighbors of and intimate with the Reynolds of Reynolds Corners.

Authorities:—Mr. Oscar W. Tefft, Greenwich, N. Y.

Article by Mrs. Jennie Stewart, of Syracuse, in the *Greenwich Journal* of April 15, 1914.

"Notes on Sheldon, Tefft, Kenyon, and other allied Families" by D. Henry Sheldon, of Chicago and Washington distributed in manuscript about 1896.

Narragansett Historical Register Vol. 2, pp. 1-23.

Austin's Genealogical Dictionary of R. I., pp. 368-9.

this Reynolds family not to be misled by Sylvester's statement that the maiden name of this Elizabeth was Churchill. That is an error beyond all possible doubt. There is absolutely no question she was born Elizabeth Rogers.*¹

Children: 6 (Reynolds), 2 sons and 4 daughters, viz:—

- 2 (330)*² i. Martha⁶ b. May 10, 1775; d.——— Nothing further known about her.
- +3 (331) ii. John⁶ b. March 10, 1777; d. Jan. 4, 1846; m. *Catherine Tearse* (or *Teirce*).
- +4 (332) iii. Mercy⁶ b. Feb. 15, 1782; d.———; m. *Samuel Winchester*.
- +5 (333) iv. George⁶ b. April 20, 1786; d. July 11, 1839; m. *Luthena Potter*.
- 6 (334) v. Elizabeth⁶ (twin) b. April 20, 1786; d.———; m. *David Martin*. Perhaps this was the David Martin who was a "pathmaster in 1788 at Slyborough" in Washington Co., N. Y., and the "Capt. David Martin" who "d. Sept. 16, 1822, aged 53" per death notice in the *Saratoga Sentinel*, published at Saratoga Springs. The Martin family of this district is said to have come from Sturbridge, Mass.

Col. John Reynolds, brother of Elizabeth, had early conveyed a lot to David Martin, east of the road from Reynolds Corners to Glens Falls, as shown in the deed of Richard P. Hart (foreclosing mortgages against Col. John Reynolds) to George Reynolds, twin brother of Elizabeth, in 1822.

David Martin and wife Elizabeth were grantors of land in Moreau to Jacob Van Ness as early as May 1, 1810; and on April 11, 1814, they sold the lot received from Col. John Reynolds to Amanda Scovill, their neighbor to the east. This latter deed recites that it is given "provided that the party of the second part pay an annual rent of 37c. to John Reynolds, his heirs and assigns." From this we infer that Elizabeth and her husband first lived near Reynolds Corners, but probably moved in 1814 to South Glens Falls, where Mrs. Johnson (No. 89 below) remembers having visited them when a girl.

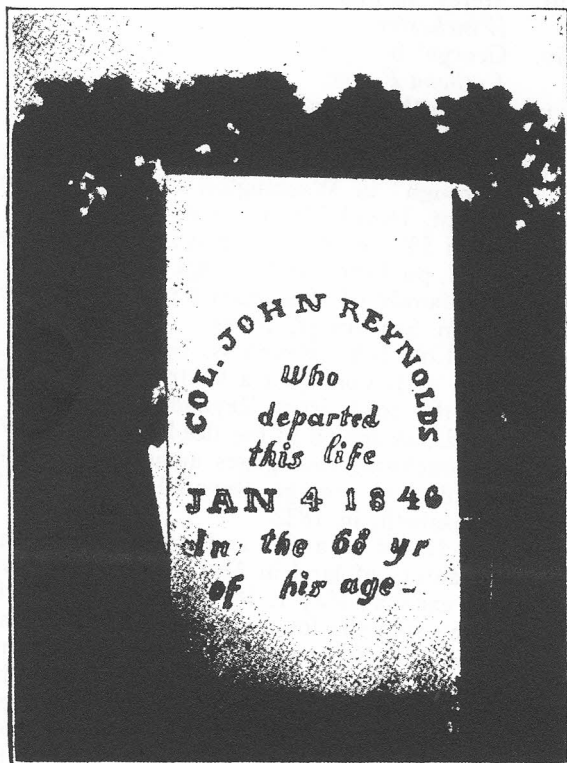
*¹ R.F.A. 1922 Annual, third footnote, p. 117.

*² Numerals in brackets refer to 1922 R.F.A. Annual, pp. 119-120.

There was a David Martin who was Collector for the Town of Moreau in 1852/3 who may have been a son or nephew. Nothing more, however, is known about this family.

Authorities: "History of Washington Co. N. Y." by Crisfield Johnson, p. 198. Saratoga County Deeds, Vol. E p. 323; Vol. G p. 15; Vol. W p. 109. Family records and letters.

- 7 (335) vi. Mary^b b. Dec. 25, 1789; d.——; m.——
Bird. She was known to the other members of the family as "Aunt Polly Bird," and is said to have been buried in the Reynolds Corners



HEADSTONE OF COL. JOHN^a REYNOLDS OF MOREAU,
N. Y.

Cemetery but has no tombstone. She lived somewhere near in Moreau. Mrs. Johnston (No. 89 below) says that she remembers that Aunt Polly Bird took care of her on May 6, 1836,

the day Mrs. Johnston's father died. The family has no record of any Bird children. Nothing further is known.

Authority: Letter from Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris, 7 Mechanic street, Hudson Falls, N. Y.

SIXTH GENERATION FROM JAMES¹ REYNOLDS

Second Generation of Reynolds Corners Family

3. (331) COL. JOHN⁶ REYNOLDS, b. March 10, 1777; d. Jan. 4, 1846, Moreau, N. Y. m. Jan. 16, 1799, *Catherine Tearse* (or *Teirce*), b. Feb. 15, 1784; d. Dec. 6, 1847. She was a daughter of Major Peter Bailey and Mary (Polly Hunter) Tearse. Col. John Reynolds and his wife are both buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

Col. John⁶ Reynolds was in all probability born in New York State on the property "up the hill, above Walter DeRidder's" where we have reason to believe that his father George⁵ Reynolds lived when he migrated from Rhode Island. The date of his birth, March 10, 1777, came in the winter before the incursion of Burgoyne's troops, and therefore before his parents would have thought of fleeing from their new home. Undoubtedly with the near approach of the invading army in August of that year, and following the alarming reports concerning the recent murders of Jane McCrea and of the Allen family by the Indians, George⁵ Reynolds sought safety for his wife and babies elsewhere. As a matter of fact the particular land where George⁵ Reynolds then lived was never occupied by the British. They crossed the Hudson just above the mouth of the Battenkill, and these heights to the south, on the east side of the Hudson, were later occupied by a detachment of General Fellows colonial troops. In any event baby John was born in stirring times and probably at a spot within sound of the battle of Saratoga, and within sight of Burgoyne's surrender.

Early in life John⁶ Reynolds struck out for himself and about 1800 we find him on the other side of the Hudson River several miles north of the Battenkill buying leases of land and active in lumbering the principal occupation of the region. That country, which is now the north-eastern part of Saratoga County, formed part of the so-called Kayaderosseras Patent. While this patent had been issued in 1708 there had been no permits granted to settlers before 1764. In fact there were practically no settlers before the Revolution except a few scattered along the river,

but when the war was over families flocked in from the neighborhood and from the adjacent New England states. The land was cheap and granted to the settlers in the form of a perpetual lease with a small quit-rent of from 15-20c. an acre.*¹ These leases were only occasionally recorded in the early years, and searching the land records is greatly handicapped on that account. The perpetual leases, however, were a sufficient estate that the holder might mortgage the property covered by the lease, and we can trace some of the holdings in the first instance by these mortgages.

The Kayaderosseras Patent was parcelled out in successive allotments, which were divided into Big Lots, again subdivided into smaller lots. John⁶ Reynolds settled in Big Lot No. 12 of the 20th General Allotment of the patent, in the eastern part of the present township of Moreau. This Big Lot No. 12 had been originally granted to "Nanning Hermense,"*² but in the earlier times the Dutch often omitted surnames and we readily identify him as the Nanning H. Visscher whom we find in the county records making leases of land therein to John Reynolds and others.

The first recorded purchase in Moreau by John⁶ Reynolds, however, was in the South Glens Falls district, where on Sept. 22, 1802 for \$750 he bought 18 acres in Lot No. 9 of the Glen Patent and a one-third interest in a saw-mill there, from Prince Doty, of Duaneburgh, Albany County.*³ He held this for several years, at any rate until he mortgaged it in 1809 for \$1000 to Richard P. Hart.*⁴ It seems likely that this mortgage was ultimately foreclosed.

About the same time as the foregoing purchase he acquired other land in the northeast corner of Big Lot No. 12 of the 20th Allotment, since on April 16, 1803 he mortgaged 200 acres in that location to Thomas Rogers, describing it as "being lot leased from Vischer."*⁵ This mortgage was shortly assigned by Thomas Rogers to James Rogers, of Argyle, Washington Co., N. Y.*⁶ There is no notation on the record that this mortgage

*¹ Gordon's Gazetteer of N. Y. (1836) p. 672.

*² Survey of Kayaderosseras Patent, Field Book No. 21, p. 98.

Secretary of States Office, Albany, N. Y.

*³ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. B, p. 456.

*⁴ Saratoga Mortgages, Vol. 6, p. 35.

*⁵ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. MM, p. 290.

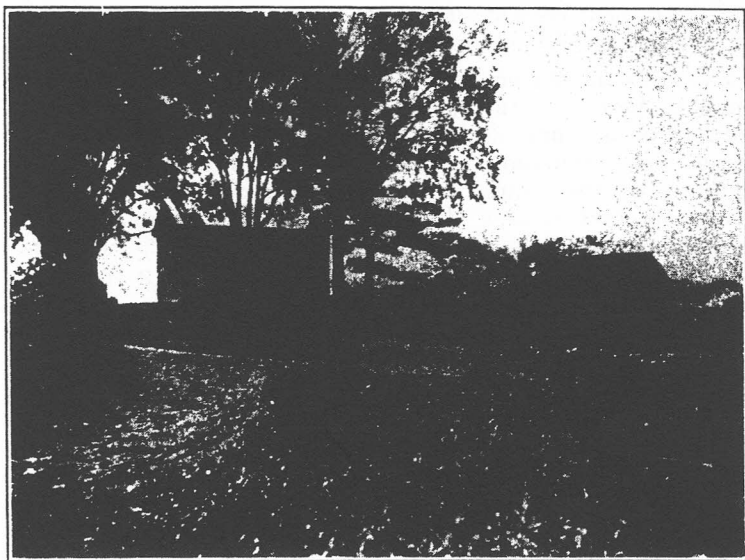
*⁶ Saratoga Mortgages, Vol. 4, pp. 336-7.

*⁶ This Thomas Rogers was undoubtedly Gen. Thomas Rogers, the second son of Elder James Rogers (see ante p. 64) and therefore either John⁶ Reynolds uncle or cousin according as we decide that Elder James Rogers or his brother Joseph Rogers was John⁶ Reynolds maternal grandfather.

The James Rogers here mentioned was most likely Gen. Thomas Rogers' son of that name, who was reputed to have been one of the leading business men of this section of the state, having large landed, lumber, and mercantile interests in both Washington and Saratoga Counties. He died in 1810 at Fort Edward.

was satisfied, and John⁶ Reynolds' name is not thereafter connected with the property.

But far more interesting to his descendants than the foregoing land transactions is the fact that before 1805 John⁶ Reynolds had obtained possession of the land around what has long been known as REYNOLDS CORNERS, and had built himself a home there before 1809.



HOMESTEAD AT REYNOLDS CORNERS, MOREAU, N. Y.

We know this because on September 16, 1805 he mortgaged "Lots No. 5 and No. 6 of the smaller lots of Lot No. 2 of the Subdivision of Lot No. 12 of the 20th Allotment" for \$1345 to James Rogers, of Argyle,*¹ who has just been mentioned. The actual crossroads which constitutes Reynolds Corners is in this land. In 1809, John⁶ Reynolds evidently wanted to raise money for some specific purpose since he not only mortgaged the property at South Glens Falls as we have said, but on Oct. 12, 1809 he and his wife Catherine further mortgaged not only the two lots No. 5 and No. 6 above but also another piece of 81 ½ acres to the southwest thereof, for \$4000 to the same Richard P. Hart of Troy.*² After the description of the two parcels mortgaged it is important to note that the mortgage makes the following reservation,

*¹ Saratoga Mortgages, Vol. 4, p. 338.

*² Saratoga Mortgages, Vol. 6, p. 31.

"except the lot reserved for a cemetery; and also excepting so much of Lots 5 and 6 as lies east of the highway leading from the dwelling house of said John Reynolds to Glens Falls and west of a line drawn from the northwest corner of the Union Meeting House in the said town of Moreau until it intersects the north line of the premises first above mentioned."

This clearly shows that it was Col. John Reynolds who originally gave the land for the cemetery, and that if he did not build the present homestead at least he was the first one to build a house at Reynolds Corners.

Evidently all did not go well with Col. John⁶ Reynolds since all this property was foreclosed and taken over by Hart in 1818. Probably on account of these financial troubles John⁶ Reynolds resigned his commission as Colonel of the 7th Cavalry (militia) Regiment in the same year. Fortunately, however, John⁶'s younger brother George⁶ Reynolds was able to buy back the Reynolds Corners property from Hart on Feb. 20, 1822 for \$2750.*¹ In this deed the description conveys the property,

"excepting and reserving out of the above described premises the lot reserved and possessed as a Cemetery, and the lands conveyed by John Reynolds and his wife Catherine to Cyrus Wood and to David Martin lying east of the highway aforesaid, and also such parcels of land as were conveyed by John Reynolds previous to Nov. 27, 1818."

The date given shows when the foreclosure proceedings were taken.

The highway mentioned had just been referred to in this deed as "the Highway leading from *the former residence* of John Reynolds to Glens Falls."

As indicated, many earlier recorded documents, bearing on this property refer to "the road from the residence of John Reynolds to Glens Falls," while all subsequent papers hereto relating to the same property make mention of "the road from the residence of George Reynolds to Glens Falls." There is no doubt that Col. John Reynolds was the first to build at Reynolds Corners.

Several years ago Mrs. Austin L. Reynolds, Sr., while in advanced years but very clear mentally, told the writer that she had always understood that Col. John Reynolds had built the present homestead. As a matter of fact I am inclined to think that the homestead was built by George⁶ Reynolds when he bought in the property in 1822. Some of his descendants even have a distinct tradition of where he lived with his family while it was being constructed. They point out a house not far south

*¹ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. W, p. 109.

of the Corners on the east side of the road as the one where he lived at that time.

If this is so then the original house built by Col. John Reynolds might have been the smaller one which formerly stood southeast of the homestead nearer the actual corner. It seems, too, more like the kind of a house which a pioneer settler would build after the land was first cleared. The character of the homestead is more that of 1822 than of 1800. The smaller house was for some years "the store," and the school and post-office were there as well. A few years ago it was moved west down the side road, and is now occupied by Mrs. Howard Jackson (No. 202 below), the daughter of Mr. Austin⁸ L. Reynolds (Austin⁷, George⁶) who now lives in the homestead.

It is evident that the children of Col. John⁶ Reynolds born before 1818 were born at Reynolds Corners. Whether Col. John continued to live there in the years immediately succeeding 1818, when his land was foreclosed, we do not know. However, we do know that George⁶ Reynolds moved in with his family in 1822. Both brothers had such large families that we can be sure they could not both live in the same house.

It behooved Col. John to look around for a new home for himself, his wife, and ten children.

Above and below Fort Edward the Hudson River bends east and west so that the land on the west shore has water on two sides and has always been called "the Point." Just below the island in the river between the Point and Fort Edward there used to be a ferry known as Rogers Ferry. A road led northwest from there to Glens Falls. The first road to the west, as one went to Glens Falls, led to Reynolds Corners. About three-quarters of a mile further another road led west and crossed the road from Reynolds Corners to Glens Falls at right angles a half a mile north of the corners. This last cross road was originally known as "the road from Dany Churchills house," because a man of that name owned the farm to the north of it and had his house north of the corner where it left the Rogers Ferry—Glens Falls road. The Belus Ingalsby house is today on the site of Dany Churchills.

The road from Fort Edward today crosses the island opposite the Point, continues west a distance, and then gradually turns north. Not far beyond where the road begins to run practically north and south you come to the old "Dany Churchill road" running west. It is the third left turn after crossing the river when proceeding from Fort Edward. The first left turn leads direct to Reynolds Corners. The second left turn was the route of the original old Rogers Ferry road from that point to the river.

There was a long narrow 80 acre tract of land, running from the Rogers Ferry road along the south side of the Dany Churchill road, which in 1822 had formerly been the farm of one Selah Bishop but had been sold under foreclosure in 1817. This farm was one of those available at that time and Col. John Reynolds evidently decided to make it his home.

For one reason or another he acquired it in two parcels. On Oct. 2, 1823 he bought the westerly portion comprising 30 acres for \$200 from his brother-in-law William Finn, of Fort Edward; and the remaining 50 acres on May 1, 1824 from Thomas L. Kirkum, of Moreau, for \$800.*¹ He thereupon built a homestead on the west side of the Rogers Ferry road not far south of the corner where Dany Churchill's road turned off. As far as I know he and his family lived there until his death in 1846.

The house built by Col. John Reynolds burned down many years ago. It is said, however, that it was very similar to the homestead at Reynolds Corners. The smaller house on the site today was built at a later date by other owners of the property. The farm, however, now owned by a Mr. R. B. Haxtum, still retains the same bounds as when bought by Col. John Reynolds.

On Dec. 6, 1830, Col. John Reynolds bought for \$740 the eastern part of the Dany Churchill farm, some 53 acres north of the old Dany Churchill road and running along the Rogers Ferry road.*² At the same time his brother George Reynolds together with Jonathan Austin (who m. George's daughter Maria) bought the 62 acre western portion of the farm.*³

Col. John Reynolds gave a purchase money mortgage of \$542 for part of the purchase price. This mortgage was foreclosed on Feb. 18, 1846 immediately after his death, at which time there was due the sum of \$417 which Col. John's widow apparently was unable to pay. Following the foreclosure proceedings the property was sold on May 11th of the same year to Peter P. Decker, of Nassau, Rensselaer Co., N. Y. When this sale was made Edward F. Bullard, of Waterford, Saratoga Co. made affidavit that he foreclosed—

"the mortgage mentioned in the foregoing printed notice as attorney for Dany Churchill by his authority; deponent further says that John Reynolds the mortgagor died in Moreau in said county before February 1st last, that he made no will and no letters of administration have been issued upon his estate to the knowledge or belief of the deponent; deponent further says that on or before April 8 last he served a printed notice of on each of the heirs and children of said John Reynolds by depositing same; deponent further says at the same time he served a like notice on the widow of said

*¹ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. R, pp. 351, 500.

*² Saratoga Deeds, Vol. T, p. 222.

*³ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. T, p. 334 and Vol. ZZ p. 3.

John Reynolds by directing the same to Katherine Reynolds, Moreau, Saratoga County, New York;^{*1}

Subsequently on March 2, 1852, we find that Stephen Decker and Polly his wife, of Moreau, and Geo. G. Sleight and Catharine his wife, sold the same property for \$1000 to Belus Ingalsby, of Moreau. It states in that deed that the property conveyed was "the farm which was sold in the year 1846 on a mortgage executed by the late John Reynolds to Dany Churchill."^{*2}

Evidently Col. John Reynolds never really recovered from his financial reverses of the year 1818. Added to this he had a large family to clothe and feed. Eleven children out of the fourteen born to him grew up and had to be cared for. This was a big task with limited means.

The name of John Reynolds appears several times as party to an action in the Saratoga County Court records. On Nov. 18, 1812, he took judgment against Coonraad Alendorph for \$151.64 on a promissory note. On the other hand, on Nov 10, 1815, Caleb Baker and Paulinus Potter, executors of James Rogers, dec'd, took judgment against him for \$190.85 on promissory notes which he had given to Samuel H. Scovill. Again on July 14, 1842, Nathaniel J. Seely took judgment against him on a note for \$125.00. The original note and John Reynolds signed Confession of Judgment are among the papers in this file.^{*3}

The town of Moreau, in which Col. John Reynolds lived and which contains Reynolds Corners, was organized as a separate township on March 28, 1805. Before that date it was the northern part of the town of Northumberland. The name of John Reynolds does not appear in the Moreau records until the second town meeting which was held in 1806, when he is found among the list of town officers. Provisions were made at this meeting for a bounty on wolves of \$25, and it was resolved that "every man must cut the Canada Thistle within his own inclosure once by the full moon in June and once by the full moon in August." The town meeting of 1813 was held "at the Meeting House near John Reynolds." At this meeting the town was divided into six school districts. We find that John Reynolds was Town Clerk in 1810 and 1811; and that in 1833 and 1837 he was Justice of the Peace.^{*4}

John Reynolds was generally known as Colonel John Reynolds and he is so designated on his tombstone in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery. The first mention of him found in the New

^{*1} Saratoga Mortgages, Vol. 18, p. 179 and Vol. 34 p. 9.

^{*2} Saratoga Deeds, Vol. 62, p. 29.

Other land purchases of Col. John Reynolds may be found in Saratoga Deeds, Vol. S, p. 86 and Vol. X, p. 393.

^{*3} Saratoga County Actions, Files: A7, A10, A12, A35, A37.

^{*4} Sylvester's "History of Saratoga Co. N. Y." (1878 Edit.) p. 427.

York military records is in 1805, when John Reynolds was appointed Captain, and Halsey Rogers 1st Lieutenant, "of a new troop" in the 2nd Squadron, 4th Division of Cavalry, of the N. Y. State Militia, in Saratoga County. In 1806 we find Laysel Baucraft was appointed 1st Lieutenant "of Captain Reynolds' troop" in the place of Halsey Rogers who had moved. In 1809 Edmund Fitzgerald was appointed "Lt. Colonel, commandant" of the 4th Regiment of Cavalry, and "John Reynolds, Major, of the 1st Squadron" therein. It does not appear, however, that any one was named in his place as captain of his troop until February, 1811 when his former lieutenant, John Linnendoll, was promoted to that position, and John's younger brother George⁶ Reynolds, Jr., became 2nd Lieutenant in the same troop.

In 1812 the designation of this regiment was changed from the 4th to the 7th Regiment of Cavalry, and it was composed of troops in Saratoga, Washington, and Warren Counties. In 1815, John Reynolds was appointed Lt. Colonel of this regiment "in the place of E. Fitzgerald, resigned." Nicholas Emigh, Jr., was appointed Major of the 1st Squadron "vice Reynolds promoted."

Col. John Reynolds commanded this regiment for three years, resigning in 1818, at the time when business difficulties caused the foreclosure of his Reynolds Corners property. John Williams succeeded him as Colonel.*¹

The 7th Regiment of Cavalry, as far as the records show, would appear to have been the only cavalry organization in Saratoga and adjoining counties during the War of 1812. There is said to be a record that "the Saratoga Brigade of Cavalry," having united with the companies organized in Rensselaer County, on Sept. 19, 1812 left Troy for the Lake Champlain region. They were accompanied as far as Waterford by Governor Tompkins in person, and proceeded from thence to Plattsburgh where they participated in the victory over the British at that point.*²

Now, John⁶ Reynolds was Major of the said 7th Regiment of Cavalry during all this period, and at the close of the war we have shown that he was made its Colonel. This could hardly have happened unless he had participated in all its recent activities. It would therefore seem beyond question that he had served continuously with the regiment, and accordingly must have seen any active service in which the regiment took part, such as the Battle of Plattsburgh. Unfortunately the state records are very incomplete concerning the War of 1812, so that we must reach

*¹ "Military Minutes of the Council of Appointments of the State of New York, 1783-1821" compiled by the State Historian, Hugh Hastings (1901) pp. 695, 788, 872, 1109, 1226, 1404, 1611, 1966.

*² "Our County and Its People," published by The Saratogian, pp. 171, 174.

our conclusions largely from inference and circumstantial evidence instead of from direct official sources.

It is interesting to note that Catherine Tearse, the wife of Col. John Reynolds, had just passed her fifteenth birthday when he married her. She had three children before she was twenty, and bore him fourteen children in all. The youngest was born when she was almost forty-four years old. Ten of these children had families of their own. While the primitive surroundings of her childhood hampered intellectual training, for Catherine (Tearse) Reynolds signed by her mark, there is no gain-saying that it gave her a strong and sturdy physique as the above record testifies. She survived her husband nearly two years before she was laid to rest by his side in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

The story of the parents of Catherine (Tearse) Reynolds is so interesting and bound up in Revolutionary history that the length of the following sketch seems justified, even in a Reynolds Family Annual, for the sake of her Reynolds descendants.

Her father Major Peter Bailey Tearse, b. May 10, 1751 (John⁶ Reynolds' bible says Sept. 18, 1845) in New York City or vicinity; d. 1802 (Reynolds bible says Dec. 17, 1809) in Ballston or Albany; m. Sept. 14, 1777 Polly (Mary) Hunter. He was said to have been of French descent. The name was variously spelled Teirce (as in John⁶ Reynolds' bible), Tierce, Tiers, Turse, Tears, Tearce, and Tearse. I use the latter spelling being the one now employed by his descendants in Glens Falls and Fort Edward. Undoubtedly all these spellings are English corruptions of the French name Thiers. Nothing is known of his parents or family.

He served through the Revolution with the American forces. On Aug. 9, 1775 as a captain of a grenadier company of militia raising in Albany he applied to the Albany Committee for 40 guns and a loan of that number was granted.*¹ In 1776 he was a 1st Lieut. and Adjutant in Col. Goose VanSchaicks regiment stationed at Fort Edward. While there he met and became engaged to his future wife who lived with her grandmother near the fort. However, by the time of Burgoyne's invasion he had been transferred and made a Captain in Col. Marinus Willetts regiment of levies. He was with that regiment on Aug. 6, 1777 in the severe and decisive engagement at Fort Stanwix. He became Brigade Major to General Gansevoort in 1781. After the war he was Major in Col. Adiel Sherwood's regiment until resigning on April 5, 1796.*²

*¹ Minutes of Albany Committee Proceedings, p. 206.

*² Heitman's "Officers of the Continental Army," p. 535.

Robert's "New York in the Revolution" (1897), pp. 1, 73.

Calendar N. Y. Revol. Mss. in Secy. of State's Office, Vol. 2, pp. 33, 44, 45, 356.

His wife, Polly (Hunter) Tearse, b. July 15, 1760 in Scotland, was the daughter of Robert (one account says William) and Catherine (Campbell) Hunter, who were m. April 12, 1756 in Scotland. It is not certain whether the parents came to this country. Polly and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Sarah (Fraser-Campbell) McNeil, were living in a pioneer log house some 100 rods north of Fort Edward when Gen. Burgoyne approached from Canada in 1777. Mrs. McNeil's son Archibald Campbell, and her brother William Fraser, had taken up land in the Argyle Patent in the neighborhood.

On July 12, 1777 some Indians attached to Burgoyne's army raided Mrs. McNeil's home and carried off Mrs. McNeil together with a girl named Jenny McCrea. The unfortunate killing of the latter while being brought into Burgoyne's camp is a well-known historical story.*¹ It was only by chance that Polly was not at home at the time. Apparently they were all preparing to leave for Albany, and Polly had gone on an errand to Argyle—perhaps to her uncle Wm. Fraser. Jenny McCrea had come over the river that morning and stayed to keep Mrs. McNeil company.

Fortunately Gen. Simon Fraser, of the British Army, was a close (probably first) cousin of Mrs. McNeil, so that she was well looked after in Burgoyne's camp. Polly joined her grandmother there and they were strongly urged by Gen. Fraser to let him send them back to Scotland. Polly must have been particularly emphatic in her refusal since Gen. Fraser is reputed to have said, "Polly, Polly, I fear you have a Yankee lover!" Before the British Army advanced to the Battle of Saratoga, Polly and her grandmother were allowed to proceed down the river to Albany. There she joined her "Yankee lover" who had just safely returned from the bloody contest of Oriskany. Think what a story each one had to tell the other when they met!

*¹ Mrs. McNeil, née Sarah Gordon Fraser, said to have been b. 1722 in Balenabe, Invernesshire, Scotland, although no place exactly of the name can be found in Invernesshire today. We, however, know that when she was born the parents and uncles of her first cousin, Brig. Gen. Simon Fraser (one of which uncles must therefore have been her father), all lived in the district just north of Loch Mhor, which is located in Invernesshire a couple of miles east of the middle of Loch Ness, and about 15 miles south of the city of Inverness. This inclines me to believe that the said Balenabe refers to a place now called Balnabeeran, about 2 miles north of Errozie, at the north end of Loch Mhor.

She m. (1) May 10, 1736, Archibald Campbell, in Scotland; and (2) August 6, 1767, in New York City, Capt. John McNeil.

By her first husband she had ch: 1. Archibald, 2. Daniel, 3. Robert, 4. Catherine. She d. in spring of 1799. Will proved July 12, 1799; recorded Washington Co. N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 214.

Authorities:

"History of the Frasers of Lovat," by Alexander Mackenzie, p. 553.

Ordnance Survey Map of Scotland, sheet 73.

"N. Y. Marriages before 1784," p. 251.

"Notes for History of Wash. Co.," original Mss. by Asa Fitch, No. 136, at N. Y. Gen. & Bio. Society.

*² N. Y. State Historical Association Reports, Vol. XII, pp. 249, 310.

The British were approaching and no one could tell what the future held in store. So before the possibility of any more separations through the hazards of war, they were married Sept. 14, 1777 practically on the eve of the Battle of Saratoga.

Before the end of the war Major Tearse built his wife a home in Fort Edward on or near the site of the former residence of Mrs. McNeil. He lived there some ten or twelve years during which time all his children were born.*¹ While a resident of Fort Edward he was a member of the State Assembly 1786-7-8-9, and Sheriff of Washington County in 1789. He kept up his military interests even after the war since we find that he served continually as Major in Col. Adiel Sherwood's regiment until his resignation on Apr. 5, 1796.*² He was a Mason and took an active part in the meetings of Washington Lodge at Fort Edward between 1780 and 1790. As he spent most of his winters in Albany, he was also a member of Mt. Vernon Lodge No. 3, on which register his signature appears as Member No. 55.

About 1794 he moved to Queensbury (Glens Falls) where he was Town Moderator 1795, a Town Assessor 1798, and for some years one of the assistant justices of the General Sessions of Washington County.*³ He had studied law with Judge Robert Yates who was prominent in New York revolutionary activities and later chief justice of the Supreme Court.

About 1800 he opened a general store at Lake George but this proved unsuccessful, possibly because of his failing health. He died a few years later in Ballston, and it is not known where he is buried.

Children: 14 (Reynolds). 9 sons and 5 daughters, all b. in Moreau, Saratoga County, New York:—

8. i. Robert⁷ b. Aug. 3, 1800; d. July 3, 1814.
- +9. ii. George T⁷. b. Jan. 16, 1802; d. Mch. 12, 1846; m. *Mary Ann Payn*.
- +10. iii. James R⁷. b. Jan. 23, 1804; d. July 6, 1880; m. *Mary Clark*.
- +11. iv. John⁷ b. Dec. 11, 1807; d. May 1, 1861 (or the winter of 1856-7?); m. *Susan P. Craig* (?).

*¹ Children 6 (Tearse), 2 sons and 4 daughters, viz.:

- i. Archibald Campbell, b. Ft. Edward, d. killed at Painted Post in the War of 1812. Left a wife and daughter.
- ii. Mary (Polly), b. Ft. Edward, m. Wm. Finn.
- iii. Catherine, b. Feb. 15, 1784, Ft. Edward; d. Dec. 6, 1847, Moreau; m. Col. John Reynolds.
- iv. Ann, b. Ft. Edwards, m. Amos Green.
- v. Elizabeth, b. 1788 or 1790, Ft. Edward, m. Lyman Derby.
- vi. William Hunter, b. 1792, Ft. Edward; d. 1826, Glens Falls; m. Nov. 9, 1813, Mary Stewart.

*² Military Minutes of the Council of Appointments of State of N. Y., pp. 71, 230, 340.

*³ Biographical sketch with reproduction of signature in "History of Town of Queensbury," by A. W. Holden, pp. 53-55.

- +12. v. Catherine⁷ b. Nov. 14, 1809; d. Sept. 15, 1879; m. *Morgan Lewis*.
- +13. vi. Archibald Campbell⁷ b. Sept. 25, 1811; d. Apr. 26, 1854; m. *Sarah (Williams) Sinclair*.
- +14. vii. Elizabeth⁷ b. Sept. 14, 1813; d. Mch. 21, 1879; m. (1) *Harper Rogers*, (2) *Harlow Lawrence*.
- +15. viii. Mary Finn⁷ b. Sept. 22, 1815; d. July 26, 1894; m. *Charles A. Sill*.
- +16. ix. Mercy Winchester⁷ b. May 12, 1817; May 28, 1845; m. *Harlow Lawrence*.
- 17. x. William H⁷ b. Apr. 8, 1819; d. Jan. 14, 1862, of smallpox, at the home of his brother-in-law Harlow Lawrence, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; m. Mch. 25, 1847, *Emeline Pixley*, the daughter of Erastus and Delia Pixley^{*1}. She d. Feb. 26, 1851, "aged 25 years", and is buried in Reynolds Corners Cemetery. They had no children.
- 18. xi. Stephen F⁷ b. Apr. 16, 1821; d. Feb. 16, 1825.
- +19. xii. Joseph Spaulding⁷ b. Nov. 1, 1823; d. Nov. 7, 1863; m. (1) *Marguerite Agnes Pardessus*, (2) *Sophia Van Dyck (Kinnan) Laing*.
- 20. xiii. Stephen Payne⁷ b. Nov. 8, 1825; d. June 9, 1830.
- +21. xiv. Sarah Campbell⁷ b. Dec. 17, 1827; d. Sept. 15, 1878; m. *Alfred A. Miller*.

4. (332) MERCY^a REYNOLDS, b. Feb. 15, 1782, probably in what is now the Town of Easton, Washington Co., N. Y.; the place and date of her death are not known. She m. *Samuel Winchester*, b.—? d. May 10, 1869, "aged 89 years" in Albany, N. Y.^{*2}. His parentage is not known^{*3}. He first appears as a resident of Albany, N. Y., in the Albany Directory for 1828/9. Thereafter his name is given each year up to the time of his death, and during those years he was the only Winchester listed in the directory. None of the Winchesters, however, living in Albany today are related to him. They or their parents all moved to that city at a later date. Samuel Winchester lived on DeWitt Street, first at No. 24, and later at No. 33. He was a lumber dealer, and for many years was a "Police Constable for the 5th Ward" of the city.

^{*1} Erastus Pixley, d. Oct. 25, 1831, "aged 43 years." Delia Pixley, his wife, d. Mch. 13, 1886, "aged 87 years 2 mos." They are both buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

^{*2} "Collections on History of Albany," by Munsell. Under "Notes from Newspapers," Vol. 4, p. 59.

^{*3} He may have belonged to the family descended from John and Hannah (Sealis) Winchester, who came over in 1635, and a Genealogy of whose descendants by Henry Winchester Cunningham, of Milton, Mass., is given in New Eng. Hist. and Gen. Reg., Vol. 78, p. 7. Many of these descendants came to Vermont and New York, and only in this Winchester family have I found the name Samuel at all common.

Some of the elder members of the families of Col. John⁶ and George⁶ Reynolds, the brothers of Mercy (Reynolds) Winchester, remember the Winchester children visiting their homes in Gansevoort and Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls), but lost all track of them many years ago. No further details are known.

Children: 3 (Winchester), 3 daughters:—

- 22. i. Elizabeth (Eliza) m. ———? Percy
- 23. ii. Bythira m. ———? Gould
- 24. iii. a daughter

5. (333) GEORGE⁶ REYNOLDS, b. April 20, 1786 in New York, probably in Saratoga County; d. July 11, 1839 at Reynolds Corners, in Moreau, New York; m. Jan. 1, 1809 in Moreau, *Luthena Potter*, b. Aug. 26, 1790 probably in New York; d. May 31, 1878 in Moreau; the daughter of Paulinus Potter^{*1} and Abigail Barnes. George⁶ Reynolds and his wife are both buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

We know from the first U. S. Census that the parents of George⁶ Reynolds, Jr. had moved into Saratoga County some time before 1790. Probably it was at the close of the Revolution and before the birth of George⁶ and his twin sister Elizabeth⁶ in 1786. At any rate George⁶ grew up in Moreau on his parents farm on the west side of the Hudson River. It has been shown that the most probable location of this farm is the former Dr. Cornell place subsequently owned by George Williams, husband of Mary⁸ (Austin L⁷; George⁸) Reynolds. This seems the more likely since Mrs. William Johnston of Hudson Falls, N. Y., states that her mother Maria⁷ Reynolds, the eldest child of George⁶ Reynolds was born on that farm in 1809; and that while her mother was still a very little girl, George⁶ Reynolds and his family moved to Reynolds Corners, two or three miles away, and lived in the Rogers house, just south of the church, until the present homestead was built. The old deeds prove that Col. John Reynolds had a house at Reynolds Corners for some years before he lost the property by foreclosure in November, 1818. This has

^{*1} Paulinus Potter came to this section of the country about 1790 from Connecticut, together with the Hamlins and the Churchills. Probably, he first settled in Greenfield, which is west of Wilton, in Saratoga County, since we find in the Records of the Congregational Church at Greenfield, N. Y., that on "1802, Lord's day Oct. 3, Baptized part of the household of Paulinus Potter and his wife, by names of Jarod, Lorenda, *Luthena*, and Alvey." Shortly afterwards he must have moved into the Moreau neighborhood, since on April 24, 1803, four more of "Paulinus Potter's household, James, Joel, Paulinus, and Abigail" were baptized at the Congregational Church at Northumberland. Moreau was then still a part of Northumberland. At the first Town Meeting of Moreau, in 1805, he was elected Constable and Collector. I also note that he was one of the executors of the Estate of James Rogers, the son of Gen. Thomas Rogers. Paulinus Potter d. Jan. 6, 1836, "aged 74 years." His wife, Abigail (Barnes) Potter, was b. Nov. 18, 1763, and d. Mch. 28, 1842. They are both buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery. Authorities: "History of Saratoga Co., N. Y.," by Sylvester, 1878 Edit., p. 427; N. Y. Gen. and Bio. Record, Vol. 34, pp. 215 and 284; Saratoga Actions, File A-12.

occasioned some difference of opinion as to whether he or George⁶ Reynolds built the homestead. However, taking Mrs. Johnston's statement together with all the facts, I have already said that I believe it was built by George⁶ Reynolds about the time he acquired the property in 1822, and that possibly the smaller house where he had the store was the one built earlier by John Reynolds.

Whatever year George⁶ Reynolds may have moved from his father's farm on the river, it must have been about this time (1822) that he first actually took up his residence at Reynolds Corners itself. There was already enough of a settlement to warrant his opening a general store in the smaller older house nearer the corner soon after his arrival. He ran this store with a young neighbor named Jonathan Austin, who later married his eldest daughter Maria. There was a Post Office in the store for a number of years. In fact after George⁶ Reynolds' death, his widow was appointed Postmistress.

From the beginning, Reynolds Corners was on important routes of travel by stage. The lines from Saratoga Springs, via Fortsville, passed through Reynolds Corners on their way to the old bridge at Sandy Hill (now Hudson Falls) whereby they crossed the Hudson on their way to Fort Edward or to Glens Falls. The stages often stopped at Reynolds Corners and George⁶ Reynolds early opened his house as a Tavern. The parlor of today was the old tap-room. The tavern days lasted until with the coming of the railroad and the abandoning of the stage coach about 1836 there was no longer use for a tavern at that place. Sylvester says, speaking of the old taverns in Moreau,

"The old Mawney house at Clarks Corners, the Reynolds tavern on the road from Fort Edward to the old Saratoga line at Fortsville, etc. were all early taverns in the town. The opening of the railroad changed all the business features of the interior of the town. The small hamlets have lost the importance they once had. Most of the trade is at the villages just outside the town's boundary."*1

In an old *Gazeteer of New York*, we find under the Township of Moreau, Saratoga County, that in 1836 "the post village called Reynolds Corners, centrally located, contains a church common to Baptists and Presbyterians, a store, a tavern, and 12-15 dwellings."*2

There has been a church southeast of the intersection of the roads at Reynolds Corners for over a century. In the early deeds it is referred to as the Union Meeting House or the West Meeting House. The original building was that of the Congregational Church of Moreau, organized about 1800 by Amos Hawley, according to Sylvester, who says,

*1 "History of Saratoga County, N. Y.," by Sylvester, 1878 Edit., p. 426.

*2 Gordon's *Gazeteer of New York*, 1836, p. 683.

"It is said he rode all the way back to Connecticut to consult his former pastor as to what to do because there was no organized church where he had settled. He was pertinently told to return and found one. Out of a sharp discussion as to the site of a meeting house grew two houses, one at the river, and one at Reynolds Corners. Services alternated at the two places. Many came from a distance, wives behind their husbands on horseback. Others came from Glens Falls walking the string pieces that were put across the Hudson at the island at that place. However, with the organization of churches of the same or sister faith at the towns nearby this organization finally became extinct, and no church of the kind exists in Moreau at present. The Meeting House at Reynolds Corners, literally built on the sand, and not upon the rock, became gradually undermined and was taken down. The timbers were used in the erection of the Methodist Church. The last Meeting was held there in 1859. The final dissolution was brought about by a large number of the members joining in a body the church at Fort Edward."^{*1}

The old church was set back further east of the main road than the present building, and nearly opposite the entrance of the cemetery. It was quite large, and had old fashioned square boxed-in seats with doors which closed. Before 1836, it had been changed to a Baptist Church, and after the old building was pulled down and the present Chapel built, it became a Methodist Church which it has been ever since.

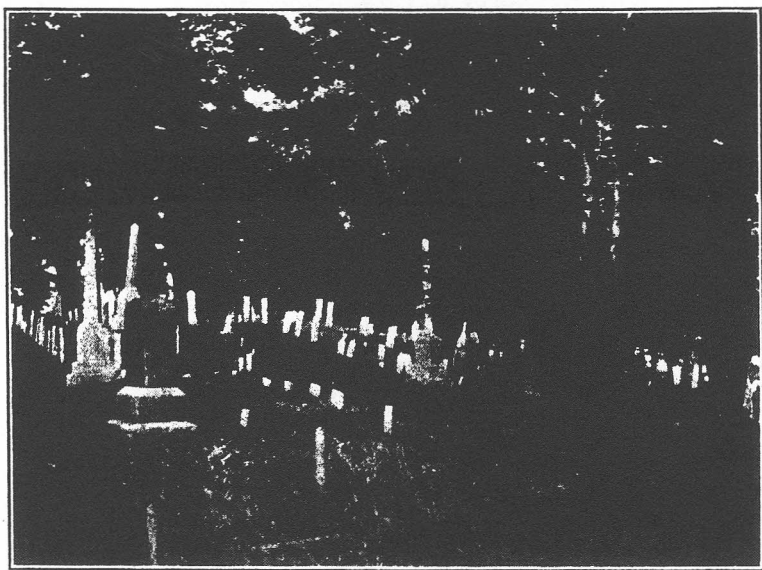
The earliest record of the Cemetery at Reynolds Corners, where so many of the family are buried, is in the mortgage made by John Reynolds and Catherine, his wife, to Richard P. Hart, on Oct. 12, 1809, covering the Reynolds Corners property and which was foreclosed in 1818.^{*2} This mortgage specifically *excepts the lot reserved for a Cemetery*, thereby proving that the main part of the Cemetery ground was originally part of Col. John Reynolds' land set apart by him for that purpose some time before the date of the mortgage. Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris of Hudson Falls writes me that her grandfather, Jonathan Austin, (who m. Maria⁷ Reynolds) "gave the one acre of land off his place for the Grave-yard." Any such gift by Jonathan Austin must have been at a later time and in addition to the land so dedicated by Col. John Reynolds.

The owners of the land adjoining Reynolds Corners; the Reynolds, Rogers, and Austins, early gave over the land immediately surrounding the Corners as a Commons, and as such it remained until comparatively recent times. It was only fenced off and reclaimed some twenty years ago. In a deed of 1832 it is referred to as "the publick square".^{*3} In George⁶ Reynolds time the General Training of the local militia was held there two

^{*1} "History of Saratoga County, N. Y." by Sylvester, 1878 Edit., pp. 426-9.

^{*2} Saratoga Mortgages, Vol. 6, p. 31.

^{*3} Saratoga Deeds, Vol. YY, p. 98.



Reynolds Corners Cemetery, Moreau, N. Y., where George⁵ and Elizabeth (Rogers) Reynolds and many of their descendants are buried.

or three times a year. Surviving descendants have heard their grandmothers tell how the women would bake up three or four bushel baskets of fried cakes; roast three or four small pigs; boil a number of hams; boil potatoes without number; and top off with cider and coffee.

There is no doubt that Reynolds Corners used to be more of a place than it is today, and some say much more picturesque. Undoubtedly people drifted away when the tide of travel left it. For eighty years it rested peacefully, back in the woods, but now "the road which leads from George Reynolds' house to Glens Falls" is a fine new, glistening, cement road. The many years seclusion of the homestead is today broken by the frequent hum of the passing motor cars.

George⁶ Reynolds early became a member of his brother, Captain John⁶ Reynolds' troop, in the 4th Militia Cavalry Regiment (later the 7th). After John⁶ Reynolds was promoted to be Major, "George⁶ Reynolds, Jr." was appointed 2nd Lieut. of that troop. He was made 1st Lieut. in 1812, and finally became its Captain in 1817. In the meantime John⁶ Reynolds had become Colonel. Both brothers resigned their commissions, however, in 1818 on account of business troubles. Lyons Emerson was ap-

pointed Captain "vice Reynolds resigned" in that year.*¹ Evidently George⁶ Reynolds was an officer of this regiment during the War of 1812. It seems almost certain that the regiment participated in the Battle of Plattsburgh in September, 1814, and presumably George⁶ Reynolds was with it at that time.

George⁶ Reynolds first appears in the real estate records when on Sept. 8, 1815, together with Leonard H. Gansevoort he bought some 222 acres bounded on one side by the highway south of Reynolds Corners. But then described as "the highway leading from John Reynolds to Jonathan Betts." The consideration was \$4,000 and, as he got a third interest his share of the purchase price was \$1,333.33.*²

On May 5, 1819, we find he paid "\$2,002 money of account of the U. S. A." for 200 acres a little further south on the west side of the same road.*³ Mr. Austin L.⁸ Reynolds, now of Reynolds Corners, has an old map of this property dated Sept. 10, 1800, and marked as surveyed for Benjamin Kissam. This must, therefore be "the Kissam Farm" referred to by George⁶ Reynolds in his will. In 1825 he gave a parsonage lot out of this land to the Congregational Church of Moreau.*⁴

Even though the greater part of these purchases may have been covered by mortgages, the amounts involved show that George⁶ Reynolds was prospering, especially when we take into consideration his age and the relative money values of that time. It was very fortunate indeed that he had the means to save the property of his brother Col. John Reynolds, which had been foreclosed and which George⁶ Reynolds bought back on Feb. 20, 1822, from Richard P. Hart, the foreclosing mortgagee, for the sum of \$2,750.*⁵ That saved Reynolds Corners for the family. George⁶ Reynolds descendants have held the land and lived there ever since.

On Mch. 6, 1826, for \$605, he bought 56 acres of the farm of William Raymond, which also was located south of where he lived.*⁶ On Nov. 1, 1826, he bought one acre more of the same farm, on the highway, for \$100 from Joseph Culver,*⁷ and finally secured the remaining 50 acres on Aug. 26, 1831, for \$250 from Jonathan Austin, who had gotten it from the Estate of Gideon

*¹ "Military Minutes of the Council of Appointments of N. Y.," pp. 1226, 1341, 1810, 1966.

*² Saratoga Deeds, Vol. G, p. 452. Property in Big Lot No. 11, of 20th Gen. Allotment of the Kayaderosseras Patent.

*³ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. EE, p. 256. Property known as Lot A, of Lot No. 2, in subdivision of Lot No. 10, of 20th Gen. Allotment.

*⁴ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. M, p. 523. See also Saratoga Deeds, Vol. JJ, p. 156.

*⁵ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. W., p. 109. Property known as Lots No. 5 and No. 6, of Lot No. 2, in subdivision of Lot No. 12, of 20th Gen. Allotment.

*⁶ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. N, p. 19. Land in Lot No. 1, of subdiv. of Lot No. 10, of 20th Gen. Allotment.

*⁷ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. O., p. 687.

Fink, deceased.*¹ Raymond had conveyed these other parcels to Culver and Fink. This, then, would seem to be the land referred to as "the Raymond Farm" by George⁶ Reynolds in his Will.

George⁶ Reynolds had various other recorded real estate transactions of which the references are given for anyone who may be interested.*²

The Revolution left this part of the country more or less disorganized with no provision for public schools until after 1800, so that George⁶ Reynolds' early education was very limited. However, after his marriage, like President Johnson, he received instruction from his wife and made such rapid progress that in a few years he became a man of large and varied information.

"Energetic, persevering, and intelligent, his business success soon pointed him out to his party in politics as a man possessing the qualities of leadership, and he was continuously employed in the interests of democracy. After serving his town for several years in different official positions, he was elected in 1833 as one of the representatives of Saratoga to the assembly, in which honorable body he distinguished himself by his calm, cool, and practical judgment in all matters of public import, as well as measures of local interest. In activity, firmness of purpose, economy, punctuality, foresight and general capacity for business, Mr. Reynolds had but few peers and no superiors in his section of the county. His life was eminently practical and useful, but its labors ceased when his sun had barely passed beyond the meridian line, as he died when only in the fifty-third year of his age." *³

He made his Will July 9, 1839, two days before he died. It was witnessed by Judge Halsey Rogers, a son of Gen. Thomas Rogers, and Dr. Henry Reynolds, of Milton, who as far as we know was no relation.

He gave his wife the Reynolds Corners homestead farm outright, and a life interest in the Kissam and Raymond farms "south of where I live"; the live-stock outright; his furniture until the youngest child is twenty-one or married; and the remainder equally to his children. He directs his wife to give the infant children a good common school education, and the boys to go eighteen months to some good academy, and daughters to a female seminary. He also states that whereas his son George P. Reynolds has devoted time to the store of Reynolds and Austin with the agreement that he get one quarter of the profits, that the executors should carry out that agreement. He appoints his

*¹ Saratoga Deeds, Vol. V., p. 346.

*² Saratoga Deeds, Vol. I. p. 446; Vol. T. pp. 330 & 334; Vol. U. p. 221; Vol. V. p. 96; Vol. DD, p. 28; Vol. EE, p. 563; Vol. HH, p. 504; Vol. YY, p. 98; Vol. ZZ, p. 3.

*³ "History of Saratoga County, N. Y.," by Sylvester (1893 Edit.), pp. 589-90.

sons, George P. and John H. Reynolds, and his son-in-law DeWitt C. Austin, to act as Executors.*¹

Children: 10 (Reynolds), 5 sons and 5 daughters, all b. in Moreau, Saratoga County, New York, the four last in the home-
stead at Reynolds Corners and maybe some of the others:—

- +25 i. Maria⁷ b. Sept. 19, 1809; d. Feb. 14, 1894; m. (1) *Jonathan Austin*, (2) *DeWitt C. Austin*, (3) *Gardiner M. Baker*.
- 26. ii. Marinda⁷ b. June 1, 1811; d. May 23, 1823.
- +27 iii. Abigail⁷ b. Apr. 18, 1813; d. June 10, 1893; m. *Rufus B. Gallup*.
- +28 iv. George Potter⁷ b. Apr. 4, 1815; d. Feb. 16, 1882; m. *Juliet Wilcox*.
- +29 v. Elizabeth⁷ b. July 28, 1817; d. Oct.——, 1848; m. *George B. Burnham*.
- +30 vi. John Hazard⁷ b. June 21, 1819; d. Sept. 24, 1875; m. *Margaret A. Whiting*.
- 31 vii. Leonard Gansevoort⁷ b. July 23, 1821; May 30, 1823.
- +32 viii. Austin Leonard⁷ b. June 19, 1825; d. May 2, 1907; m. *Mary E. Cornell*.
- +33 x. James Lawrence⁷ b. Sept. 2, 1830; d. Aug. 2, 1878; m. *Lucy D. Webster*.
- +34 x. Adeline Luthena⁷ b. Apr. 7, 1834; d.——, ——, 1911; m. (1) *John Summers*, (2) *Daniel H. Bennet*.

*¹ Saratoga Wills, Vol. 11, p. 143.

Seventh Generation from James¹ Reynolds

Third Generation of Reynolds Corners Family

9. GEORGE⁷ T. REYNOLDS, b. Jan. 16, 1802, in Moreau (then a part of Northumberland), Saratoga Co. N. Y.; d. March 12, 1846, buried next to his father in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery; m. March 14, 1822, *Mary Ann Payn*, a daughter of Nathan Payn of Northumberland, N. Y. The Payns (or Paynes) came from Warren, Conn., to this section about 1765. Possibly she was the daughter of the Nathan Payn who m. Mary Canfield and had five children. I have been told that she survived her husband by a number of years, but the dates of her b. and d. are not available.

On Sept. 11, 1827, "George T. Reynolds, and his wife Mary Ann, of Lysander, Onondaga County, N. Y.," gave a quitclaim

deed to Nathaniel and Seth Payn as to Lots 2 & 3 in the 20th Allotment of the Kayaderosseras Patent, located in Northumberland, and particularly as to "any right the said Mary Ann had therein by virtue of the Will of Nathan Payn, deceased, she being the daughter of said Nathan Payn." The deed is interesting, since it gives both the name of Mary Ann's father, and also shows where George⁷ T. Reynolds was living at that time.

Children: 3 (Reynolds) 3 daughters:—

- 35 i. Julia⁸, b. —————? d. Feb. 3, 1889, in Washington, D. C., m. *LeGrand Marvin* of Buffalo, N. Y., from whom she separated about 1876 and went to live in Washington, D. C. He was a lawyer. A rather quaint advertisement in the 1871 Buffalo City Directory states that he had been in Buffalo since May, 1830; that he had his 'Law office and Dwelling at No. 639 Main St.'; that from 1838 he had declined retainers in criminal cases; and enumerates pamphlets he had written which set forth 'his status.' He continued to reside in Buffalo until his death in 1887.

Mrs. Julia Marvin's name first appears in the Washington Directories in 1876, when she is entered as a clerk in the Treasury, residing at No. 714 19th street. In 1879 she bought property at No. 1600 16th street. After her death one Eddy B. Townsend, of Parker & Townsend, Real Estate, claimed a half interest in this property and brought a suit in which her next-of-kin were named as parties. These next-of-kin were said to be composed wholly of the children of her father's deceased brothers and sisters. Evidently her own sisters were dead at that time and left no surviving issue. It was through some papers of this action, found among his father's effects, that the writer of this record first got trace of the Reynolds Family of Reynolds Corners. Mrs. Marvin apparently had no children. The U. S. Supreme Court upheld the claim of Mr. Townsend, who was perhaps related, since she had stated that she had always regarded him as a foster child and he lived in her home, even though she had mortgaged the property for \$10,000 to her brother-in-law, Amos White. J. H. Lichliter was attorney for the next-of-kin defendants in that action. Someone named Hood was her administrator.

- 36 ii. Harriet⁸, b. —————? d. —————? m. *Amos White*, said to have been a lawyer of N. Y. City. He had the mortgage on the property in Washington, D. C., which was the subject of the litigation above referred to.
- 37 iii. —————⁸ (a daughter).

Authorities: "Notes for a Hist. of Wash. Co. N. Y.," in Mss. by Asa Fitch, at N. Y. Gen. and Bio. Society Library. No. 249, No. 804. Saratoga Deeds. Vol. O. n. 338. The following Law Reports: 20 D. C. 197, and 160 U. S. 171, which latter was argued on Nov. 20, 1895. Buffalo, N. Y., Directories, 1871-1888. Washington, D. C., Directories, 1876-1889. Family Bible of Col. John⁸ Reynolds. Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson (No. 82), this record.

10. JAMES^r R. REYNOLDS, b. Jan. 23, 1804, in Moreau (then a part of Northumberland), Saratoga Co. N. Y.; d. July 6, 1880, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. on ———? *Mary Clark*, the dates of whose b. and d. are not known. She was the daughter of Dr. Billy J. and Joanna (Payn) Clark.

Dr. Billy J. Clark, son of Ithamar and Sarah (Simonds) Clark, was b. Jan. 4, 1778, in Northampton, Mass., and d. Sept. 20, 1866, in Glens Falls, N. Y. Early in his life his father left Northampton and settled 1½ miles from Pownal on the Bennington road, where he opened a tavern. Dr. Clark worked behind the bar there when a small boy. After his father's death he studied medicine with some of the local doctors. In 1799 he moved into Moreau, and began to practice medicine on his own account. For thirty-four years he was the only physician in the town, and supplied a radius of country twenty miles in extent. His home was located about two miles due south of Reynolds Corners at what came to be known as Clark's Corners. He held various town offices, and was once Member of Assembly in the State Legislature.

Dr. Billy J. Clark, however, is chiefly known by reason of his having organized in April, 1808, the first temperance society in the United States. Meetings of this society were often held in the church at Reynolds Corners. Dr. Clark, first as a boy in his father's tavern, and later as a country doctor in a lumber district which was just being opened, had plenty of opportunity to see the worst side of heavy drinking. Intemperance had taken a strong hold on Moreau. Dr. Ingraham's remarks on the local conditions which contributed to this state of affairs are particularly interesting to the descendants of our Reynolds family, since they refer specifically to the district where our ancestors lived. He says:—

"The lives of the people were laborious, monotonous, and unmitigated by those social relaxations which in modern times so greatly lighten the burdens and alleviate the sorrows of life. Books and periodicals were not plentiful, and the character of the prevailing literature was not such as to invite the attention of the average reader. Transportation being by horse power along the country roads, public houses, each with its bar, were encountered at every turn, while the little stores to be found at the cross roads also dispensed liquor to all comers. Add to this the fact that the materials from which intoxicating beverages are manufactured were abundantly grown within our borders and near to our shores, and it will be appreciated how naturally the people fell into intemperate habits."

Dr. Billy J. Clark was first buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery, but the body was later removed to Glens Falls. His wife, Joanna (Payn) Clark, came from Fort Miller. She was

b. June 4, 1781; and d. in 1839, being buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

Probably about the time of his marriage, James⁷ R. Reynolds moved into the town of Northumberland and settled on a farm some two miles southwest of the village of Gansevoort. This land can be definitely located because it had the unique distinction of beginning its bounds at a stake "which is the corner of the 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th Allotments of the Kayaderosseras Patent." James⁷ R. Reynolds was already occupying it when he bought it on Feb. 13, 1834. Evidently he had taken up some mercantile business, which did not prove successful, since on June 10, 1834, "James R. Reynolds, merchant, of Northumberland" made an Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, to Archibald C. Reynolds (his brother—No. 13, this record) and Thomas B. Thompson (father-in-law of his niece, Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record), both of Moreau.

For several years thereafter he continued to live in the neighborhood, and in 1845 was a Justice of the Peace in Moreau. However, about that time he moved to Potsdam, St. Lawrence County, N. Y., where he resided a number of years. His wife, Mary (Clark) Reynolds, died of cancer about 1850. Two of his boys grew to manhood, but both died in Potsdam while still young men. After he had lost all his family he came to Hudson Falls, and lived with his sister, Mrs. Sarah⁷ C. (Reynolds) Miller and after her death with her daughter, Nettie (Miller) White, until his own death in 1880. None of his children, so far as is known, married or left any issue.

Children: 5 (Reynolds) 4 sons and 1 daughter:—

- 38 i. Billy⁸ J. b. ———? d. ———? in Potsdam, N. Y. He boarded several years in Gansevoort at the home of Harlow Lawrence, who successively married Mercy⁷ and Elizabeth⁷ Reynolds, both sisters of James⁷ R. Reynolds.
- 39 ii. Joanna Catherine⁸ b. ———? d. ———? She lived long enough to graduate from Mrs. Willard's Seminary in Troy, N. Y., but died very soon thereafter.
- 40 iii. Frederick⁸ b. ———? d. ———? in Potsdam, N. Y.
- 41 iv. James⁸ C. b. ——— 1837; d. Feb. 12, 1840, in Moreau, N. Y., and buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.
- 42 v. Walter⁸ A. b. ——— 1838; d. Dec. 11, 1842, in

Moreau, N. Y., and buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

Authorities: "History of the Town of Queensbury, N. Y.," by A. W. Holden, p. 38. "History of Washington Co., N. Y.," Gresham, p. 337. "History of Saratoga Co., N. Y.," by Sylvester (1878 Edit.), p. 427, (1893 Edit.), p. 431. Saratoga Deeds, Vol. Y, pp. 331, 333. Family Bible of Col. John⁸ Reynolds. Family records and letters. "The Birth at Moreau of the Temperance Reformation," by Dr. Charles A. Ingraham, in N. Y. State Hist. Assoc. Report, Vol. 6, pp. 120-133.

11. JOHN⁷ REYNOLDS, b. Dec. 11, 1807, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. May 1, 1861, in New York City, according to the family Bible, or perhaps in the winter of 1856-7 as per statement of his nephew, Harry⁸ C. Reynolds; m. Oct. 17, 1831, ———? Possibly she was *Susan B. Craig*.

He went to live in New York City and was probably married there. His wife died when the children were all young and they were taken in and brought up by different members of the family. John⁷ Reynolds continued to live in New York until his death, concerning which Harry⁸ C. Reynolds (Archibald⁷, John⁶) wrote in 1915, as follows:—

"I want to tell you about John Reynolds, my father's brother. I did not know he was married. One night in 1856 or 1857 a woman came into my mother's store (in New York City) and said that a man named Reynolds fell into a cellar-way on West Broadway (that was the street we lived on) and had been taken to the station-house. From the description my mother said: "Harry, that is your Uncle John! Go over to the station-house and see." I found he had been sent to Bellevue Hospital. I went to the hospital and I found he really was Uncle John, my father's brother. He told me he was sick and that he had been at work in Yonkers, and he was coming to our house when he slipped on the ice (it was winter time) and fell into the cellar. My mother brought him to our house, where he died in a short time. My mother buried him, I think, in a church yard on Second avenue, about Fourth street. Mother and myself were the only ones at the funeral. I was with him at times while he was sick and he never spoke of his family, and furthermore, we did not know he had any. Uncle John was the only one in my father's family who was sent to college. He was highly educated and the only one in the family who was in college."

No other information concerning John⁷ Reynolds is available. The family long ago lost all track of his descendants.

Children: 4 (Reynolds) 1 son and 3 daughters, all b. in New York City:—

- +43 i. Mary Catherine⁸ b. ———? d. ———? m. *Jeremiah Vanderwerker*.
- +44 ii. George Henry⁸ b. ———? d. ———? m. ———?
- 45 iii. Mercy⁸ b. ———? d. ———?
- 46 iv. ———? (a daughter).

Authorities: Family Bible of Col. John⁸ Reynolds. Letters from Susan L. Thompson No. 82, this record. Letters from Harry⁸ C. Reynolds—No. 55, this record.

12. CATHERINE⁷ REYNOLDS, b. Nov. 14, 1809 in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Sept. 12, 1879 in Gansevoort, N. Y.; m. Jan. 23, 1826, *Morgan Lewis*, who was b. on his father's farm in Northumberland, N. Y. (probably about 1805) and d. later than 1879 in Gansevoort, N. Y., the son of Capt. Samuel and Sarah (Van Volkenburgh) Lewis.*¹ and grandson of Sylvester and Sarah⁵ (Reynolds) Lewis, of Exeter, R. I. This Sarah⁵ Reynolds was descended (William⁴, James³, Joseph²) from the same Joseph² Reynolds from whom Catherine⁷ Reynolds was descended (Col. John⁶, George⁵, Capt. John Jr.⁴, Joseph³, Joseph²). Thus all the descendants of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds) Lewis have two lines of descent from this Reynolds family. From the time of her marriage, Catherine⁷ lived all the rest of her life in Gansevoort, N. Y., where about 1831-2 her husband is said to have opened the first store they ever had in that village. He is also referred to as a railroad contractor. They are buried side by side in the Gansevoort Cemetery, although only her name appears on the handsome monument which he erected on her death.

Children: 4 (Lewis), 2 sons and 2 daughters, all b. in Gansevoort, N. Y.:—

- 47 i. Frances A. b. Nov. 15, 1833; d. Mch. 27, 1852, and buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.
- +48 ii. Tayler, b. ———? d. probably about 1861; m. *Josephine Mather*.
- +49 iii. John Bostwick, b. about 1840; d. in 1867; m. *Margaret Jennie Viele*.
- +50 iv. Gertrude^e, b. Sept. —, 1844; d. ——— 1910; m. *E. Corning Chase*.

Authorities:

Family Bible of Col. John⁶ Reynolds.

Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.

Reynolds Family Association, 31st Annual, 1922, p. 87.

Note: Sarah⁵ Reynolds above is "No. 143" in article therein concerning the Ancestors of George⁵ Reynolds by the compiler of this record.

*¹ Capt. Samuel Lewis, b. June 28, 1752, in Exeter, R. I.; d. Aug. 25, 1822, and buried on his farm in Northumberland, N. Y.; m. about 1787 Sarah Van Volkenburgh, who was b. Mch. 9, 1768, in Albany, N. Y., the daughter of Johannes and Elizabeth (Meinderssen) Van Volkenburgh. He was descended (Sylvester⁴, Jonathan³, Samuel², John¹) from John Lewis, who was of Westerly, R. I., in 1661. It is interesting to note that he was born and raised in a house built by his grandfather, Jonathan, in 1734, in Exeter, R. I., not far from where George⁵ Reynolds lived when a boy. There is no question that the families knew each other, even in those distant times. There is a Lewis Family Burial Ground in Exeter, where his father, grandfather and uncles are all buried. Apparently, he came to New York in the wave of R. I. emigration which also brought our Reynolds family to that State. In the Revolution, he became an officer in Col. Gansevoort's regiment, the 3rd N. Y., which was merged with the 1st N. Y. in 1781. He was one of the original members of the Soc. of the Cincinnati. Also a member of the N. Y. Legislature from Saratoga, 1804-1810. After the Revolution, he took up a large tract of land on the west side of the Hudson River, in the towns of Northumberland and Moreau, some of which is still in the possession of his daughter's descendants.

Sylvester says that "in the War of 1812 the old Captain sent his team with loads of soldiers to Whitehall at his own expense, not having learned the modern art of drawing heavy bills on the government. When one of his hired men walked out of

13. ARCHIBALD⁷ CAMPBELL REYNOLDS, b. Sept. 25, 1811, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. April 26, 1854, in New York City; m. about 1842-3, in New York City, *Mrs. Sarah (Williams) Sinclair*, widow of ———? Sinclair, b. Aug. 5, 1812, in Manchester, England, and d. Dec. 17, 1892, at 18 Cedar street, Brooklyn, N. Y. After Archibald⁷ C. Reynolds' death she m. (3) Frederick Corbex of New York City. She kept a dry-goods store at No. 74 West Broadway, N. Y. City, for a number of years, but lived the latter part of her life in Brooklyn with her children and grandchildren. Her Will, dated Aug. 15, 1882, was filed in the Kings County Surrogate's Office on Dec. 28, 1892, but was never probated. She left her "house on the south side of Cedar street, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues, Brooklyn," her furniture, jewelry, etc., and a Lot in Greenwood Cemetery, to her son, Zachary Taylor Reynolds; and her wearing apparel to Sarah, Mary and Elizabeth Black, children of her daughter Sarah (Sinclair) Black. She had two children by her first marriage, Charles Sinclair (d. Oct. 21, 1880), and Sarah (Sinclair) Black just referred to who d. Mch. 28, 1869.

On June 10, 1834, Archibald C. Reynolds was one of the receivers for the business of his brother, James⁷ R. Reynolds. Therefore he was still living in Moreau at that date. A few years later he came to New York City and lived there until he died. He

the field one day to join a passing company on its way to Plattsburgh, the Captain took down his old Revolutionary musket and gave it to him, saying: "Take it, but don't dishonor it. Your pay goes on in my employ while you are gone."

Children: 8 (Lewis), 7 sons and 1 daughter, all b. in Northumberland:

- i. Sylvester, b. 1788; d. 1874, m. Catherine DuBois, of Tarrytown, N. Y. Moved to Ontario Co., N. Y. In War of 1812 at Black Rock, near Buffalo. Ch.: 6 sons and 4 daus. Geo. Griffin Lewis, oculist, of Syracuse, a grandson.
- ii. Abraham, m. Rosanna Smith; lived all life in Northumberland. Ch.: 4 sons and 4 daus.
- iii. Gen. Samuel, b. Mch. 14, 1799; d. May 2, 1876; m. Martha Payne. Lived in Gansevoort. No children.
- iv. Prof. Tayler, b. Mch. 27, 1802; d. May 11, 1877; m. Jane K. Payne. Ch.: 2 sons and 1 dau. Union Coll. 1820. Professor of Greek at Univ. of N. Y. and later at Union Coll. Schenectady. Indefatigable student of Oriental and Biblical literature. A militant fundamentalist, known as one of the ablest defenders of divine revelation. Prolific writer to this end. Most famous book, "Six Days of Creation." His dau., Margaret (Lewis) Piessner, was Registrar of Union Coll. in 1897.
- v. Morgan, m. Catherine⁷ Reynolds. See above.
- vi. Rev. John, m. Esther Satterlee. Educ. at Union Coll. Entered ministry. Pastor several churches in N. Y. State, and then went to Lodi, Wis. Ch.: 2 sons and 1 dau.
- vii. Stephen, m. Margaret D. Larned. Ch.: 1 son. Went to Lodi; Wis.
- viii. Sarah, m. Thomas Berry Thompson. Ch.: 2 sons and 2 daus. Her son, Samuel L. Thompson, m. Susan Lawrence (No. 82), this record. The latter and her grandchildren (Griffin fam.) still own part of the old Capt. Samuel Lewis farm.

See: "Lewisiana or the Lewis Letter," Vol. 2, pp. 20, 29, 30, 36; Vol. 7, pp. 68-70, 147, 165.

Austin's "Genealogical Dictionary of R. I.," p. 124.

"History of Saratoga Co., N. Y.," by Sylvester (1878 Edit.), pp. 402 and 407.

"Officers of the Continental Army," by Heitman, p. 349.

"N. Y. in the Revolution," by Roberts, pp. 2, 24, 25 (1897 Edit.).

"Book of the Cincinnati," by Schuyler, p. 249.

Munsell's "Collections of Albany," Vol. iv, p. 184.

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was a Customs House Officer, and at one time Asst. Warden in the Tombs Prison. He left a Will giving everything he had to his wife. Both he and his son, Zachary, and his step-children are buried in Lot. No. 15258, in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Children: 4 (Reynolds) 4 sons, all b. in New York City:—

- 55 i. Henry⁸ Clay (generally known as Harry Reynolds), b. 1844; living 1923, at No. 3010 Nicol avenue, Oakland, California; m. Jan. 27, 1887, in Oakland, Calif., *Matilda Marks*.

After serving two enlistments in the Union Navy during the Civil War, he got a commission as Acting 3rd Asst. Engineer and continued to serve in that rank until the war was over. Shortly thereafter he went to California by way of the Straits of Magellan on the steamship "Oregonian," and in Dec., 1866, arrived in San Francisco, where he has lived ever since. He was employed there for some years in the P. M. O. Steamship Line, and then joined the San Francisco Police Force. He was altogether thirty years on the Force, serving the last twelve of which as a Detective Sergeant. He finally retired on a pension.

- 56 ii. George⁸ Washington, b. ———? d. ———? Died young.

- 57 iii. Archibald⁸ Campbell, b. ———? d. ———? Unmarried.

- 58 iv. Zachary⁸ Taylor, b. in 1848 or 9; d. July 26, 1894, at Mt. Sinai Hospital, N. Y. City; m. ———? a widow. Left no children of his own. Lived at No. 33 Cedar street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Authorities:

Records in Greenwood Cemetery Office, at No. 170 Broadway, N. Y. City.
 "Miscellaneous Wills," Kings County Surrogate's Office in Brooklyn, N. Y.
 N. Y. County Wills, Vols. 61, p. 481; 100, p. 101; 110, p. 194.
 Saratoga Co. Deeds, Vol. Y, p. 331.
 Correspondence with Harry⁸ C. Reynolds, of Oakland, Calif.
 Family Bible of Col. John⁸ Reynolds.

14. ELIZABETH⁷ REYNOLDS, b. Sept. 14, 1813, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Mch. 21, 1879, in Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls), N. Y.; m. (1) April 13, 1830, *Harper Nathan Rogers*, who d. Sept. 1, 1845, "in his 37th year", and is buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery. He was a farmer, the son of Nathan (d. Apr. 21, 1825, "in his 58th year") and Dorothea (Dolly Cleveland) Rogers (d. Jan. 8, 1861, "aged 92 years"), both of whom are buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery. His paternal grandfather was Samuel Rogers, the brother of Elder James and

Deacon Joseph Rogers, one of whom was the great-grandfather of Elizabeth⁷ Reynolds.*¹ He is said to have been born in Greenwich, N. Y., probably on his parents' farm which was located on the north side of the Battenkill near the village of Center Falls. After his marriage he lived in Moreau. While the Rogers were mostly Baptists he seems to have been a Presbyterian. In politics he was an old line Whig.

Children:—Of her first marriage to Harper Nathan Rogers. 9 (Rogers), 6 sons and 3 daughters, all b. in Moreau and the first six all buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

- 59 i. James R. b. 1831; d. Sept. 9, 1832, "ae. 18 mos."
- 60 ii. Archibald R. b. 1832; d. May 7, 1833, "ae. 11 mos."
- 61 iii. John R. b. 1833; d. April 22, 1835, "ae. 18 mos."
- 62 iv. Charles I. b. 1835; d. Oct. 2, 1860, "ae. 24 yrs."
- 63 v. George P. b. July —, 1836; June 28, 1839, "ae. 2 yrs. 11 mos."
- 64 vi. Catherine E. b. Oct. 22, 1838; d. July 15, 1839, "ae. 9 mos. 7 days".
- 65 vii. Harper Nathan b. Oct. 22, 1838, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Dec. 20, 1870, *Sarah Bond* who d. Apr. 28, 1913, the daughter of Asral M. Bond of Oswego, N. Y.; no issue.

He was reared on his father's farm, and after attending public schools for several years became a clerk in a general merchandise house in Saratoga County, which he left in 1863 to join the Union Army in the Civil War. He enlisted in Co. F, 2nd N. Y. veteran cavalry; elected Lieutenant and served as such in that company for several years when he was transferred to Co. M. In the latter he was promoted to be 1st Lieutenant. He participated in all the principal battles of his regiment, and was discharged at Talladega, Ala., in Dec. 1865. In 1866 he came to Sandy Hill (now Hudson Falls), where he was in general mercantile business for fifteen years. In 1881 he embarked in the furniture and

*¹ The Rogers family, to which Samuel Rogers belonged, has been discussed at length under George⁶ Reynolds, ante pp. 63.

Before coming to New York, Samuel Rogers lived in Exeter, R. I., where, in May, 1753, he was 1st Lieut. of the 2nd Co. of Exeter Militia; and, in May, 1754, he was Justice of the Peace. (See Smith's "Military and Civil Lists of R. I.," pp. 160 and 172.) He was a neighbor there of John⁴ Reynolds, Jr., father of George⁶ Reynolds, from whom he bought land in Exeter on Dec. 7, 1751. (Exeter Land Evid., O. D., Vol. 6, p. 225.) When he came to New York, he settled on the south side of the Battenkill, in what is now the town of Easton, nearly opposite the farm later occupied by his son Nathan.

Nathan and Dorothea (Dolly Cleveland) Rogers had children:

i. Mary, m. Oct. 22, 1818, Charles F. Ingalls.

ii. Dorothea, m. — Packard.

iii. Jerusha, m. — Washburn.

iv. Harper Nathan, above, who m. Elizabeth⁷ Reynolds.

See Gresham's "History of Washington County, N. Y.," p. 388.

undertaking business which he conducted alone until 1888, when he was joined by Arthur C. Carleton under the firm name of Rogers & Carleton. A Republican; trustee of the Presbyterian Church; for many years Town Clerk of Hudson Falls. He died Nov. —, 1925. The day of his funeral, persons in all walks of life paid their last tribute to him, a man who for more than 40 years had been a part of the business life of the community. Throughout the day the flags in front of the business places were at half mast, while the large flag at Monument Park bore mute testimony to the esteem in which Mr. Rogers was held in the community.

+66 viii. Harriet, b. April 11, 1842; d. April 14, 1880; m. *Charles Mariam Velsey*.

67 ix. Ella Francis b. Dec. 31, 1843; d. Sept. 14, 1919, in Hudson Falls, N. Y., where she lived with her brother Harper N. Rogers, No. 65 above.

ELIZABETH⁷ REYNOLDS m. (2) December ———, 1845, as his third wife, *Harlow Lawrence*, the son of Ira and Susan (Ross) Lawrence, and widower of her sister Mercy⁷ W. Reynolds (No. 16, of this record). He was b. Feb. 14, 1817; and d. April 23, 1882, in Gansevoort, N. Y. After her second marriage, Elizabeth⁷ Reynolds or Eliza, as she was always called, lived the rest of her life in Gansevoort. The house of Harlow Lawrence was a home at different times for many members of the Reynolds and Lawrence families. Eliza's sister, Sarah⁷ C. Reynolds (No. 21, this record), lived there after their mother's death in 1847 until she married in 1856. Their brother, William⁷ Reynolds (No. 17, this record), lived there from 1851 until he died in 1862. There were several others who lived there over periods of years and many more who visited. It would seem there was always room for any of the family who were left alone.

Children: Of her second marriage to Harlow Lawrence. 3 (Lawrence) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Gansevoort.

68 x. Anzoletta, b. April 9, 1849; d. Aug. 27, 1858, buried in the Gansvoort Cemetery.

+69 xi. Clinton Ira, b. Feb. 8, 1852; d. June 8, 1906, in Crested Butte, Colorado; m. (1) *Effie Porter*, (2) *Mary Axtell*.

+70 xii. Ida Francis, b. Aug. 25, 1855; m. *Clarence Coon*.

Authorities:

- Family Bible of Col. John⁶ Reynolds
- Family Bible of Harlow Lawrence.
- Tombstones in Reynolds Corners and in Gansevoort Cemeteries.
- Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.
- Letters from Oscar W. Tefft, of Greenwich, New York.
- "History of Wash. Co., N. Y.," Gresham Pub. Co., p. 322.

15. MARY⁷ FINN REYNOLDS, b. Sept. 22, 1815, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Aug. —, 1894, in East Aurora, Erie Co. N. Y.; m. Sept. 22, 1837, in Moreau, N. Y., *Charles Augustus Sill*, who was b. Aug. 14, 1806, in Moreau, N. Y., and d. Feb. 3, 1885, in East Aurora, N. Y. He was the son of Enoch Sill, b. May 3, 1778, who m. Deborah Ely in 1805 in North Lyme, Conn. His father, Enoch, and his grandfather, Giles Sill, had previously migrated to Moreau in Feb. 1799. Enoch Sill became a Justice of the Peace in Moreau, and at one time was a deacon in the Congregational Church. It is curious to note that old Giles Sill, before 1799 back in Stilltown, not far from Lyme, Conn., had taken into his family a young girl named Hannah Reynolds, said to have been of poor parents. Unfortunately she lost her life, with some of the Sill children, when Giles Sill's home in that place burned down Jan. 10, 1783. The Sill family is descended from John and Joanna Sill, who came from England in 1637 and located at Cambridge, Mass.

Soon after their marriage in 1837, Mary⁷ (Reynolds) Sill and her husband left the home in Moreau for what was then considered "the far west," and settled on a farm in the township of Wales, Erie County, New York, where they lived the greater part of their life. Later they moved to the nearby village of East Aurora, where they died. Charles A. Sill was a farmer; a Member of the State Legislature from that district in 1854, and locally held the office of Supervisor for several successive years.

Children: 10 (Sill), 5 sons and 5 daughters, all b. in Wales, Erie Co., N. Y.

- 71 i. Catherine, b. Mch. 16, 1838; d. May —, 1848.
- +72 ii. Seth Reynolds, b. Oct. 2, 1839; d. Aug. 11, 1901, in Rochester, N. Y.; m. *Mary P. Lapham*.
- 73 iii. John Enoch, b. Sept. 2, 1841; d. Oct. 4, 1915, in East Aurora, N. Y.; "John E. Sill spent his whole life in Wales on the farm where he was born. In his boyhood days he was not physically strong, not being able to go on with his studies as he had hoped to do. In early manhood he became interested with his father in the growing of fruit on the home farm. At the age of 44 years he suffered the hardest of physical handicaps, the most remorseless, blindness. Handicaps to a certain extent are often an incentive, and so it proved to him. The many things that he could do was marvelous. Always keenly alive to the doings of the day, with the help of his sister he was able to keep in touch with the world's work. Always cheerful, a lover of children, flowers, and animals, his life was an inspiration to all who knew him.

The last three years of his life he was an invalid, watched over and cared for by a devoted sister. At the age of 74 years this brave man went to his reward, loved and respected by all who knew him."

- 74 iv. Charles Henry, b. July 14, 1843; d. July 2, 1844.
- 75 v. Frederick, b. May 10, 1845; d. Mch. 5, 1846.
- 76 vi. Frank, b. May 10, 1845 (twin of above); d. Aug. 6, 1846.
- 77 vii. Harriet Reynolds, b. Aug. 5, 1847; unmarried; living in 1925 at No. 214 Grove street, East Aurora, N. Y. For some years she has been quite an invalid and more or less confined to her home. A correspondent writes that "nevertheless she keeps up with the times wonderfully well, and is a well read woman who can hold her own on any subject from religion to politics."
- +78 viii. Helen Eliza, b. Aug. 5, 1847 (twin of above); m. *Edwin M. Nichols*.
- 79 ix. Mary Louisa, b. Nov. 17, 1849; unmarried. Living in 1925 in Buffalo, N. Y.
- 80 x. Margaret Agnes, b. May 29, 1853; d. Aug. 4, 1900, in Buffalo, N. Y.

Authorities:

- Family Bible of Col. John⁶ Reynolds.
- Letters from Miss Harriet R. Sill—No. 77, this record.
- "Genealogy of the Descendants of John Sill" (1859), by Rev. G. C. Sill, pp. 30, 31, 33, 36.

16. MERCY⁷ WINCHESTER REYNOLDS, b. May 12, 1817, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. May 23, 1845 in Gansevoort, N. Y., and buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery next to her mother; m. Oct. 1, 1840, as his second wife, *Harlow Lawrence*, who was b. Feb. 14, 1817, and d. April 23, 1882 in Gansevoort, N. Y., the son of Ira and Susan (Ross) Lawrence of Schuylerville, N. Y. He had m. (1) May 11, 1837, Catherine Rouse, who d. Nov. 6, 1838, without issue. After the death of Mercy⁷ (Reynolds) Lawrence, he m. (3) Dec. —, 1845, her elder sister Eliza⁷ (Reynolds) Rogers (No. 14 of this record), then the widow of Harper N. Rogers.

Children: 3 (Lawrence), 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Gansevoort.

- 81 i. Catherine b. Mch. 24, 1841; d. June 26, 1841.
- +82 ii. Susan Catherine b. May 6, 1843; m. Mch. 27, 1867, *Samuel Lewis Thompson*.
- 83 iii. Frederick Harlow b. Mch. 26, 1844; d. Mch. 5, 1898, at Sandy Hill (now Hudson Falls), N. Y.; m. in 1872, *Mary L. Tallman*, the daughter of William

Tallman, of Brooklyn, N. Y. There was no issue to this marriage.

His Civil War record is given in Loyal Legion, Circular No. 37, Series of 1898-9, Whole No. 606, as follows:—

"He was commissioned First Lieutenant, Co. C, 16th New York Heavy Artillery, Feb., 1864; mustered into service at Yorktown, Va., Mch. 1, 1864. Commissioned Captain, May 16, 1865. Major by Brevet for gallant and meritorious conduct at Laurel Hill, Oct. 1864. Commanded Co. C from date of muster in, except when on detached service; served as Adjutant of the detachment of reg't from Aug. 1864 to Jan. 1865; served in sieges of Petersburg and Richmond, and in battles of Darbytown Road and Laurel Hill. Received an internal contusion wound in left breast in latter engagement. He accompanied the second expedition to Fort Fisher under Gen. Alfred H. Terry, and participated in the capture thereof and of Wilmington, N. C. Detached by Gen. Terry as Asst. Provost Marshal at Fort Fisher, Jan. 1865. Adjutant of the Post at Fort Fisher Feb. 1865 to July 1865. Mustered out of service at the close of the war.

"He was a gallant soldier and a true friend, and most loyal to his commandery."

After the war he went out to Lawrence, Kansas, as a Superintendent of Telegraph. A few years later he came East again and took up his residence in Brooklyn, N. Y., opening a publishing office in New York City. He was a member of the Hamilton Club, in Brooklyn.

At the time of his last illness he went for a rest to visit his sister, Mrs. Susan L. Thompson (No. 82 of this record) at Hudson Falls, N. Y., where he died shortly afterwards.

Authorities:

Family Bible of Col. John^e Reynolds.

Family Bible of Harlow Lawrence.

Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.

19. JOSEPH' SPAULDING REYNOLDS, generally known as "Spaulding Reynolds" to the family, was b. Nov. 1, 1823, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Nov. 17, 1863, of consumption, in Hamilton, Bermuda; m. (1) —?, in New York City. *Marguerite Agnes Pardessus*, who d. Nov. 11, 1853, and is buried in Lot No. 7698, Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y. She was the daughter of Rene Jacques and Agnes (Halliday) Pardessus. Her father, as the name indicates, was a Frenchman b. about 1781, near Blois, France, who was a Colonel on the staff of Gen. Baudet in Napoleon's army. He was captured by the Austrians at the Battle of Aspern-Essling, on May 21, 1809, which was the first complete defeat suffered by Napoleon. The Colonel made a sensational escape through a drain pipe from the fortress where he was imprisoned, ultimately making his way to Martinique in the West Indies, and thence to New York City. He had a shoe

store on Broadway, and I have also been told that he engaged in the business of making wax artificial flowers which, placed under a glass case, were a popular form of ornament of the period. He resided in Brooklyn and later at Woodbridge, N. J., where he d. Mch. 10, 1842 "aged 60 years". His wife, the mother of Marguerite (Pardessus) Reynolds, was b. in Dublin, Ireland, and d. Jan. 20, 1861, "aged 78 years."*

J. Spaulding Reynolds, was m. (2) Nov. 27, 1856, by Dr. Vermilye, in N. Y. City, to Mrs. *Sophia Van Dyck (Kinnan) Laing*, the widow of Edgar Laing, and the eldest daughter of Alexander Phoenix Waldron Kinnan and his wife Sophia Aorson VanDyck. She was b. June 30, 1819, at No. 45 Liberty Street, N. Y. City; d. Sept. 6, 1876, of typhoid fever, at No. 215 West 42nd Street, N. Y. City; and m. June 30, 1836, her first husband Edgar Laing, who d. Mch. 7, 1852, "aged 52 years". She was of Revolutionary stock, since her paternal grandfather, Peter Kinnan, was a Quartermaster General in the New Jersey militia from the beginning of the war; while her great grandfather on her mother's side, Aaron Aorson, having gone to Quebec with the expedition of 1759 as a boy recruit, again went there as Lieutenant of Capt. Cheeseman's company in Col. MacDougall's regiment in the ill-fated American expedition of 1775. Thereafter he served throughout the Revolution as a Captain in the 3rd N. Y. Regiment of the line, and was present at Cornwallis' surrender at Yorktown, Va. He was one of the original members of the Society of the Cincinnati. Mrs. (Laing) Reynolds had one child by her first husband, viz.:—Alexander Kinnan Laing, b. May 11, 1841; d. Jan. 15, 1900; m. (1) Aug. 28, 1862, Charlotte Ludlum; (2) July 11, 1887, Augusta L. Hewitt.

J. Spaulding Reynolds' early life was spent on his father's farm in Moreau, but a few years after the death of his parents, who d. in 1846/7, he came to New York City and engaged in the produce commission business. His name first appears in the N. Y. City Directory in 1850/1 as a merchant at 18 Front St. and residing at 53 No. Moore St. This probably indicates the date of his first marriage as in 1849 or '50, since it is said that he took up his residence there when he married. He continued to live at that address until his second marriage in 1856, when he moved to his second wife's home at 27 East 21st St. They later lived at 179 Madison Ave. on the southeast corner of 36th St.

In 1854, he was in the wholesale grocery business in partner-

* Rene Jacques Pardessus had a brother, Jean Marie Pardessus, b. Aug. 11, 1772, at Blois; d. May 27, 1853, at Pimpeneau, near Blois; who was on the faculty of law in the Institute of France and helped prepare the "Code Napoleon." He wrote many legal works which are now authorities. Their father was said to have been a lawyer at the Présidial. (Encyc. Britt., 11th Edit., XX—799). Mr. Victor Perard, 55 Charles St., N. Y. City, a nephew of Marguerite (Pardessus) Reynolds, is the authority for above details concerning the Pardessus family.

ship with Andrew D. Clark, under the firm name of Reynolds & Clark, at 100 West St. The following year he made a new partnership with Chas. K. Wagner, of Newark, N. J. The firm of Reynolds & Wagner, wholesale grocers, 74 Cortlandt St. is found in the directories until 1860. Thereafter, J. Spaulding Reynolds continued in business alone at 110 Broad St. for a couple of years until he was obliged to give up on account of failing health. He had a reputation for the strictest integrity in all his business dealings, and is still highly spoken of by the few survivors of his time.

At the beginning of the Civil War he was commissioned on Aug. 28, 1860, by Gov. Edwin D. Morgan, as Chaplain of the 2nd Regiment, 1st Brigade, 1st Division of the N. Y. State Militia. Just how he came to be appointed a Chaplain or how long he held the rank is not known.

He was a member of Holland Lodge No. 8 F. & A. M. in New York City, and always was very much interested in his masonic activities. His Certificate of Membership in that Lodge is dated Aug. 13, 1859.

He was never very strong physically and ultimately developed tuberculosis. At that time they sent those so afflicted to warm climates instead of to cold dry places as they do now. So in 1863, he went alone to Bermuda, hoping it would benefit him, but died there in the fall of that year. Ordinarily people dying in those Islands are required by law to be buried on the spot within 24 hours, but thanks to the efforts of the Bermuda Masons his body is said to have been immersed in rum (!) and sealed in a lead coffin in which it was brought back to this country. He was finally laid to rest in the Kinnan Vault located on Ocean Hill, in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Reynolds) 1 son survived.

By first wife, Margaret Agnes Pardessus,

84. i. ———? a child which died in infancy.

By second wife, Sophie VanDyck (Kinnan) Laing,

+ 85. ii. Edgar Laing^s, b. Mch. 1, 1858; d. Jan. 10, 1893; m.
Alice Lewis Burdett.

Authorities:

Greenwood Cemetery Records, at 170 Broadway, N. Y. City.

"Official Register of Officers and Men of N. J. in the Revolutionary War," by Stryker, pp. 225 and 835.

"The Society of the Cincinnati," by Schuyler, p. 155.

"The Yorktown Campaign, 1781," by Hy. P. Johnston, p. 114.

New York City Directories between 1850 and 1863.

New York County Wills, Vol. 150, p. 359 (J. Spaulding Reynolds), and Vol. 236, p. 440 (Mrs. Sophia V. D. Reynolds).

Family letters and records.

21. SARAH⁷ CAMPBELL REYNOLDS, b. Dec. 17, 1827, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Dec. 15, 1878 in Hudson Falls, N. Y., where she is buried; m. Sept. 25, 1856 in Gansevoort, N. Y., *Alfred Alphonso Miller* of Hudson Falls, N. Y., where he was b. Apr. 18, 1828, and d. Mch. 30, 1884, the son of Jacob and Delilah (Fairbanks) Miller of that place. In 1860, '61, '63, he was Town Clerk of Kingsbury, the township in which Hudson Falls is located.

She was the fourteenth and youngest child of Col. John⁶ Reynolds, (No. 3 (331) this record); Presbyterian; and lived all of her married life in Hudson Falls, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Miller) 2 daughters:—

+86. i. Nettie Frances, b. June 1, 1860, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.; d. Aug. 5, 1922, in Utica, N. Y.; m. *R. Edward White*.

87. ii. Katie E., b. Sept. 9, 1861; d. Apr. 6, 1862, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.

Authorities:

Family Bible of Col. John⁶ Reynolds
Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.
Letters from Alfred M. White—No. 154, this record.

25. MARIA⁷ REYNOLDS, b. Sept. 19, 1809, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Feb. 14, 1894, in Hudson Falls, N. Y. The eldest child of George⁶ Reynolds (No. 5 (333) this record), she was born on a farm located a mile or so south of Fort Edward on the west bank of the Hudson River. This farm was probably then the property of her grandfather George⁵ Reynolds (No. 1 (326) this record), who seems to have moved there after the Revolution from south of the mouth of the Battenkill. It was later known as the Dr. Cornell farm, and since owned by George L. Williams, husband of Mary⁸ (Austin L.⁷, George⁶) Reynolds, as has been already shown. She spent the greater part of her life at Reynolds Corners, where she lived as a child and during her first two marriages. Later in life she came to Sandy Hill (now Hudson Falls).

She m. (1) Oct. 20, 1830, *Jonathan Austin*, who was b. Dec. 13, 1800, and d. May 6, 1836, the son of David and Mercy Slade (Brown) Austin. His father, David Austin, was among the first settlers of the North Village in Hartford, Washington Co., N. Y., whither he came as the agent of DeWitt Clinton who owned large tracts of land in that locality. He was Town Clerk of Hartford, N. Y., in 1799, 1814, 1817, and Supervisor in 1800/1, 1810/11, and 1821. He may have been the David Austin, son of Paskow (Pasca), who was b. May 12, 1745, in Exeter, R. I. Jonathan

Austin, like the Reynolds, sought the new lands across the Hudson for his home, and built a homestead northeast of the cross-roads at Reynolds Corners. His land adjoined the cemetery, for which it is said he gave an acre. This acre must have been in addition to the plot already set aside for that purpose. He had various transactions, buying and selling lands in the neighborhood; and was associated with George⁶ Reynolds in running the store at the Corners.

Maria⁷ Reynolds m. (2) Nov. 10, 1836, *DeWitt Clinton Austin*, who was b. July 13, 1808, and d. Mch. 15, 1847, a younger brother of her first husband. He also had an interest in the Reynolds Corners store, and George⁶ Reynolds appointed him as one of the executors of his will.

Maria⁷ Reynolds m. (3) Mch. 23, 1864, *Gardiner Mason Baker*, who was b. July 8, 1804, in Fort Ann, N. Y., and d. Jan. 28, 1887, in Hudson Falls, N. Y., the son of Deacon Reuben Baker who came originally from Rehobeth, Mass., and his wife Lydia Mason of Swanzey, Mass.

Children: Of her first marriage to Jonathan Austin. 3 (Austin) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in the Austin homestead at Reynolds Corners, N. Y.:—

- 88. i. Mercy Marendra, b. Nov. 27, 1831; d. Mch. 30, 1848.
- +89. ii. Julia Maria, b. Feb. 24, 1834; d. Feb. 7, 1925; m. (1) *John Casper Schermerhorn*, (2) *William Johnston*.
- 90. iii. Jonathan, b. Dec. 4, 1835; d. Feb. 7, 1836.

Children: Of her second marriage to DeWitt C. Austin. 5 (Austin) 3 sons and 2 daughters, all b. in the Austin homestead at Reynolds Corners, N. Y.

- 91. iv. Jonathan Reynolds, b. Nov. 6, 1837; d. Jan. 19, 1843.
- +92. v. Catharine Clinton, b. Aug. 17, 1839; d. Apr. —, 1897, in Indianapolis, Ind.; m. *Daniel Simmons*.
- 93. vi. DeWitt Clinton, b. Sept. 17, 1841; d. Nov. 15, 1847.
- 94. vii. Henry Reynolds, b. Oct. 21, 1843; d. Dec. 1, 1844.
- +95. viii. Margaret Ann, b. Oct. 1, 1845; d. Dec. 18, 1905, in Mt. Morris, Penn.; m. Rev. *Theodore M. House*.

Authorities:

Letters from Mrs. George A. Ferris—No. 155, this record.

Statements by Mrs. Wm. Johnston—No. 89, this record.

"History of Washington County, N. Y.," by Crisfield Johnson, p. 373.

27. ABIGAIL⁷ REYNOLDS, b. Apr. 18, 1813, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. June 10, 1893, in Kendallville, Ind.; m. Apr. 22, 1835, in Moreau, N. Y. *Rufus Brian Gallup*, who was b. Oct. 16, 1809, in Otsego County, N. Y., and d. June 26, 1876, in Kendallville, Ind., the son of Reuben and Margaret (Brian) Gallup. He was a

cabinet maker. First he worked at his trade in Albany, N. Y., and then moved to Saratoga County, where he married. He lived there until Sept., 1850, when he migrated with his wife, Abigail, and their three children to Indiana. That was quite an undertaking even at that date. They made the journey from Schenectady to Buffalo over the Erie Canal; thence on Lake Erie to Toledo, O.; from there by the Maumee Canal to Fort Wayne, Ind.; and finally by the old plank or toll road to Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind. They settled on a farm northeast of that town, where they resided until about 1870, when they moved into Kendallville itself. Rufus B. Gallup joined the M. E. Church when he was 26 years old, and his wife Abigail when she was 17.

Children: 3 (Gallup) 1 son and 2 daughters.

- +96. i. Luthena Margaret, b. Jan. 31, 1838, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Sept. 29, 1919, in Kendallville, Ind.; m. (1) *Pomerooy E. Jones*, and (2) *James Tate*.
- +97. ii. John Leonard, b. Mch. 14, 1843, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Feb. 2, 1895, in Ft. Worth, Texas; m. *Martha E. Young*.
- +98. iii. Mary Adeline, b. Dec. 21, 1849, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. Mch. 17, 1923, in Kendallville, Ind.; m. *James W. Wright*.

Authorities:

Letters from Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris—No. 155, this record.
Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record.

28. GEORGE⁷ POTTER REYNOLDS, b. Apr. 4, 1815, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Feb. 16, 1882, in Fortsville, N. Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1838, *Juliet Wilcox*, who was b. Mch. 20, 1820, and d. Nov. 20, 1889, in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., the daughter of Truman and Frances (Fanny Kingsley) Wilcox. Truman Wilcox was well known in Saratoga Co. by reason of his manufactory of earthenware. He came from Hartford, Conn., first to Bald Mt. across the river, then to Gansevoort, and finally to Fortsville, where he carried on that business for 49 years. He was a soldier in the War of 1812; and d. June 9, 1873, aged 81 yrs. Juliet (Wilcox) Reynolds' mother's family were said to have come from Jonesville, N. Y.

George⁷ P. Reynolds was the oldest son of George⁶ Reynolds, and in the latter's will, dated July 9, 1839, it states that "—whereas my son George P. Reynolds has devoted time to the store of Reynolds & Austin with the agreement that he got one-quarter of the profits", the executors are to carry out the said agreement. After their father's death in 1839, the two boys George⁷ P. Reynolds and his brother John⁷ H. Reynolds ran the store alone,

but seem to have gotten into financial difficulties a few years later, since we find that on Mch. 1, 1842, "George P. Reynolds, of Moreau, having become possessed of all the property of George P. Reynolds & Co., assigned the same to DeWitt C. Austin, there presumably being more than enough to pay the firms creditors." John⁷ H. Reynolds was mentioned as a partner in that assignment.

George⁶ Reynolds named George⁷ P. Reynolds as one of the executors of his will, but with the qualification that "I have made my son George an executor as an evidence of my confidence, and with the full hope he will not again relapse into habits of dissipation, but in case he should, I desire the Surrogate to remove him and the remaining executors to act." Whatever lapses George⁷ P. Reynolds may have suffered in his early youth there is no question but that he fully justified his father's confidence in him as expressed in the will. He was never removed as executor. He also had the confidence of his fellow townsmen since they elected him Town Clerk of Moreau in 1839, '40, '41, '42; Supervisor in 1850, and 1867 to 1870; Collector in 1866; and Justice of the Peace in 1878.

George⁷ P. Reynolds was primarily a farmer, but he also occasionally taught school during the winter months, and often acted as Auctioneer at the Farm Auctions (or "Vendues" as they called them) in the neighborhood. He lived in Fortsville the latter part of his life since in 1873 his wife inherited her father's homestead in that village and they made that house their residence thereafter. The last five or six years before his death he was not in good health, and had to give up attempting any active work. He and his wife are both buried in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery, as are also three of their children who died in infancy.

Children: 8 (Reynolds) 4 sons and 4 daughters, all b. in Moreau, N. Y.

- +99. i. Frances⁸ Luthena, b. Apr. 24, 1840; d. Feb. 21, 1880, in Moreau, N. Y.; m. *DeWitt C. Sprott*.
- 100. ii. George⁸ Truman, b. Oct. 2, 1841; d. Mch. 30, 1842.
- +101. iii. Truman⁸ Whiting, b. Feb. 6, 1843; d. Aug. 26, 1889, in Cohoes, N. Y.; m. *Libbie B. White*.
- 102. iv. Sarah⁸ Marie, b. Sept. 11, 1844; d. Sept. 2, 1845.
- 103. v. Tabor⁸ Burton, b. Oct. 14, 1846; d. Sept. 30, 1848.
- +104. vi. George⁸ Potter, Jr., b. Mch. 11, 1849; d. Jan. 24, 1892, in Portville, N. Y.; m. *Eliza B. Doane*.
- 105. vii. Harriet⁸ Maria, b. Dec. 11, 1850; m. Nov. 20, 1872, *Martin Coffin Lord*, who was b. May 21, 1845 and d. Apr. 10, 1885, the son of Jehial and Mary (Pot-

ter) Lord, of Saratoga County, N. Y. Mrs. Harriet⁸ M. (Reynolds) Lord, after her husband's death studied to be a trained nurse at St. Luke's Hospital, then at 5th Ave. & 54th St., N. Y. C. Shortly after her graduation therefrom in 1890, she went to take care of a daughter of Samuel D. Babcock, Esq., of N. Y. City, and has lived with that family ever since. Her address (1923) was 19 West 49th St., N. Y. City. She had no children.

+106. viii. Addie⁸, b. Jan. 16, 1859; m. (1) *Frank B. Howe*, (2) *Frank W. Marston*, and (3) *Charles E. Frost*.

Authorities:

"History of Saratoga Co., N. Y.," by Sylvester (1878 Edit.), pp. 426 and 432.
Saratoga County Wills, Vol. 11, p. 143.
Saratoga County Deeds, Vol. NN, p. 345.
Letters from Mrs. Harriet M. Lord—No. 105, this record.
Letters from Mrs. George E. Gunter—No. 173, this record.

29. ELIZABETH⁷ REYNOLDS, b. July 17, 1817, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. about 1848, in Glens Falls, N. Y.; m. 1835, in ---?, *George Beckwith Burnham*, who was b. Feb. 8, 1811 and d. Mch. 25, 1885 in South Glens Falls, N. Y., the son of James and Mariam (Parks) Burnham. He m. (2) in 1850 *Almira Thomas* who d. in 1851; and m. (3) *Maria Jenkins*. He was an earnest church worker and in 1869 helped organize the Methodist Church in South Glens Falls which he attended with his family until his death.

Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds) Burnham lived with her husband on a farm just east of the village of South Glens Falls, on the road running south of the Hudson at that point and between the road and the river.

Children: 3 (Burnham) 2 sons and 1 daughter, all b. at South Glens Falls, N. Y.

- +107. i. John Henry, b. Jan. 8, 1837; d. Jan., 1918, in Kansas City, Mo.; m. *Velma Kessler*.
- +108. ii. George Reynolds, b. Sept. 1, 1839; m. *Enza Burnet*.
- +109. iii. Minnie Elizabeth, b. Oct. 5, 1843; d. June 15, 1909, in Traverse City, Mich.; m. *Arthur Wilson*.

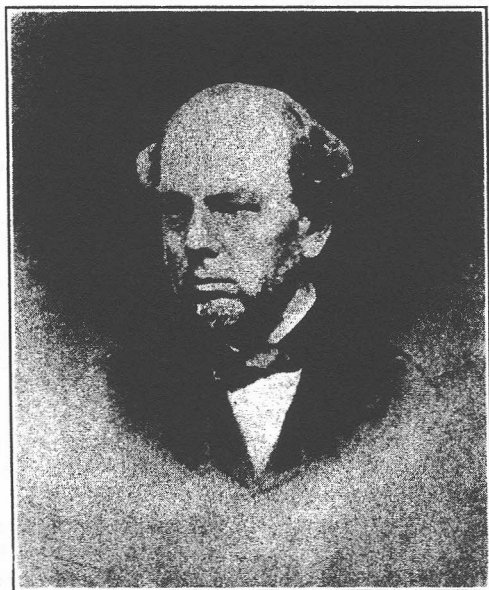
Authorities:

Letters from Mr. Fred T. Burnham—No. 187, this record.
Letters from Mrs. Ralph M. Cheney—No. 190, this record.
Letters from Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris—No. 155, this record.

30. JOHN⁷ HAZARD REYNOLDS, b. June 21, 1819, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Sept. 24, 1875, in Kinderhook, N. Y.; m. May 31, 1843, in Kinderhook, N. Y., *Margaret Anna Whiting*, who was b. Feb.

14, 1815 in Kinderhook, N. Y. and d. Oct. 28, 1886 in Kinderhook, N. Y., the daughter of Gen. Charles and Margaret (Rogers) Whiting. Gen. Whiting was the son of Ebenezer and Anna (Fitch) Whiting of Norwich, Conn.; and Margaret Rogers was the daughter of Col. Harry Rogers of Belfast, Ireland.

John⁷ H. Reynolds grew up through childhood and youth at Reynolds Corners. For a short time after his father's death he had a partnership interest with his brother, George⁷ P. Reynolds, in the store at the Corners, as shown by the assignment in 1842 to DeWitt C. Austin of the property of Geo. P. Reynolds & Co.



JOHN H. REYNOLDS

When that happened he had already gone to Kinderhook, Columbia Co., N. Y., where he studied law and married. Kinderhook has ever since claimed him as one of her own sons. After 1851, he lived chiefly at Albany, but his family spent the summers at their Kinderhook home, known as "Elmhurst". This property was given to Mrs. Reynolds by her father, Gen. Whiting, who had added the wings to the original building. John⁷ H. Reynolds built the imposing front part of the mansion. It is now the home of Mr. and Mrs. James^s Adger Reynolds (No. 114, this record).

Judge John⁷ H. Reynolds, as he should be called, undoubtedly achieved more prominence than any other member of this branch

of the Reynolds family. From a boy on a farm he rose to be a Judge of the highest court in the State. He was the friend of many prominent men of his time including President Lincoln. An oil painting of him hangs in one of the public buildings in Albany, N. Y. After his death, there was printed a "Memorial of John H. Reynolds" (Albany: Joel Munsell, 1876). quoting from which Collier, the Kinderhook historian says:—

"The Memorial contains a Memoir written presumably by the Hon. Hamilton Harris of Albany; Extracts from the Press, after Mr. Reynold's death; the Funeral Proceedings, including the address of Dr. McC Blayney; the Proceedings of the Albany Bar and the Court of Appeals; and also of the Commerce Insurance Co. and the Nat'l Savings Bank. Among the contributors to the Press we recognize the facile pens of the Hon. Charles L. Beale and Francis Silvester.

"John H. Reynolds got his schooling first at Sandy Hill (now Hudson Falls) and later at Bennington, Vt. Leaving school for a time he served as a civil engineer in running the original line of the Saratoga & Whitehall R.R. and was subsequently employed in the same capacity on the Boston & Albany road. He then entered the Kinderhook Academy, and after finishing its course became (1840) a law student in the office of the Hon. W. H. Tobey, of Kinderhook. As a student, he was even then distinguished for his close and persistent application, abstaining during the whole three years of his student life from meat, thinking its use clouded his mind. In 1843, he was admitted to the Bar. Entering immediately into partnership with Mr. Tobey, he continued the practice of his profession for eight years in Kinderhook. He "showed himself an untiring student, and industrious practitioner; possessed of legal tact and acumen, great clearness of professional vision, and subtlety of investigation."

"In 1851, Mr. Reynolds removed to Albany and became a partner of the Hon. John V. L. Pruyn. In '54, he formed a co-partnership with the Hons. Clark B. Cochrane and Hamilton Harris. This partnership continued until the death of Mr. Cochrane in '67, after which the surviving partners continued together until the demise of Mr. Reynolds in '75.

"In this broader field, his fame soon extended to the utmost limits of the State, and subsequently far beyond it; as shown by his frequent practice in the United States Courts. "This fame, kindled so early, was never darkened throughout his career, but continued to shine steady as a star, until that career, in the fullness of its lustre, was overtaken by the 'shadow of death.'"

"In '53, President Pierce appointed him postmaster of Albany; but, in a little more than a year, he was removed,—his opinions not being in accord with the policy of the Administration respecting the repeal of the Missouri Compromise. In '58, after an ex-

citing canvass, he was elected, as an independent anti-Lecompton Democrat, a Representative in the thirty-sixth Congress by twelve hundred majority over so formidable and worthy a competitor as Erastus Corning. Placed upon the Judiciary committee, one of the most important and honorable in the House, he brought all the energy of his powerful and pure mind upon honest and constitutional legislation. Although he did not often trouble the House in debate, yet he impressed his compeers with a sense of his abilities as a statesman and his sterling qualities as a man.

"At the end of his Congressional term he voluntarily and permanently withdrew from political life. Thenceforth he was devoted to the career which he best loved and to the profession of which he was so brilliant an ornament; and from that time the splendor of his success was such as to more than meet the highest hopes of his many friends and admirers. Untiring in the investigation of his cases, indefatigable and eloquent in their advocacy, never at fault in legal warfare, thorough in his briefs and explorations of authorities, his mind glancing like sunshine through his subject, his opponents, no matter how learned or skilled, found him always 'worthy of their steel,' the Bar a member compelling their highest admiration, and the Bench an advocate whose opinions won their respect and compelled their attention.

"He was a marked man also in his literary tastes; marked in his wit and humor. He rejoiced in poetry and found recreation and delight in reading favorite poems and repeating verse after verse which had charm of sentiment or felicity of description. Rare indeed was his nature, tender and true, soft to all emotion, and moved by all good impulses.

"In 1873, Governor Dix appointed Mr. Reynolds one of the Commissioners of the Court of Appeals. The appointment was regarded by all as of eminent fitness. From the first he took honorable rank among his learned compeers of the Bench, they listening to his opinions with respect and often deferring to them because of their weight. He sat in the Commission for two years and a half, and the Reports of the cases decided during that period bear ample testimony to the great learning, sagacity, and fidelity which he brought to the discharge of his duties as Judge.

"He left the Bench July 1, 1875. On the last day of the same month he left the city never to return. Attacked by a fever which he was unable to withstand, while still in the prime of life and plenitude of his powers, September 24th he died. The funeral service were held on the 28th of September. Seldom in our village has a more distinguished assemblage been seen than that which gathered in and around the house of mourning that day. To a multitude of resident friends were added large numbers, representing the Albany Bar and Bench not only, but re-

mote parts of the State as well. The Rev. J. McC. Blayney of Albany officiated, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Halley, also of Albany. The four sons were the pallbearers who tenderly bore their father's form from his dearly loved and beautiful home, and in the midst of an immense, silent, grieving throng, lowered it to its rest 'till the day break and the shadows flee away."

Sylvester in his "History of Saratoga County, N. Y.," says that John H. Reynolds "became one of the strongest and most popular members of the bar of the State. Probably no lawyer of his age argued more causes or secured a more distinguished reputation in the Court of Appeals and in the higher tribunals of the State than he."

Children: 6 (Reynolds), 5 sons and 1 daughter, all the sons b. in Kinderhook, N. Y.:

110. i. Charles⁸ Whiting, b. Feb. 21, 1844; d. Sept. 13, 1874, in Albany. Educated at Kinderhook and U. S. Naval Academies, Williams College and Albany Law School. Practised law in Albany.
111. ii. William⁸ Henry, b. Apr. 26, 1846; d. Dec 9, 1893, in Albany. Educated at Kinderhook Academy Union College, College of Physicians and Surgeons, N. Y. C. Practised medicine in Albany.
- +112. iii. George⁸, b. Nov. 5, 1847; d. Sept. 23, 1886, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. *Pauline A. Sudam*.
- +113. iv. John⁸ Hazard, b. June 19, 1850; d. June 16, 1917, in Albany, N. Y.; m. *Mary (Molly) L. Mickle*
- +114. v. James⁸ Adger, b. Feb. 4, 1852; m. (1) *Kate Bradley*, (2) *Mrs. Mary (Bain) Earll*.
- +115. vi. Margaret⁸ Whiting, b. Mch. 22, 1854; in Albany, N. Y.; m. *Dr. Franklin Townscnd*.

Authorities:

Saratoga County Deeds, Vol. NN, p. 345.

"History of Saratoga Co., N. Y.," by Sylvester (1878 Edit.), p. 428.

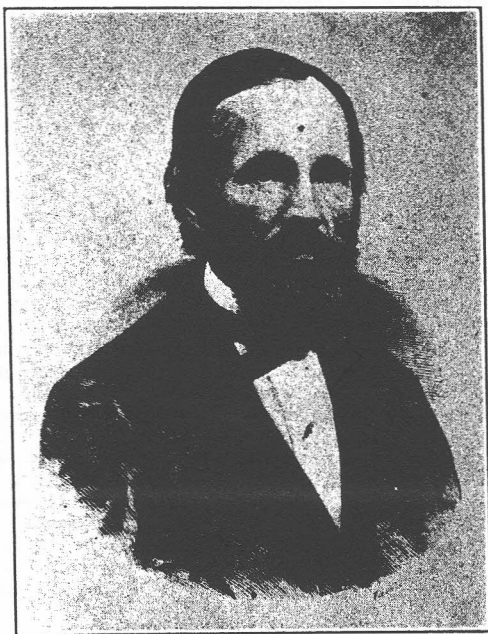
"History of Old Kinderhook, N. Y.," by Edw. A. Collier (1914), pp. 381, 437-441.

Letters from James⁹ A. Reynolds (No. 114), John⁹ H. Reynolds (No. 195), and Harry⁹ C. Reynolds No. 55, this record.

32. AUSTIN⁷ LEONARD REYNOLDS, b. June 19, 1825, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. May 2, 1907, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; m. Sept. 14, 1853, *Mary Evelyn Cornell*, who was b. Mch. 19, 1829 and d. May 24, 1922, in Moreau, N. Y., the daughter of Dr. Benjamin F. and Isabella (Thompson) Cornell.

Dr. Benjamin F. Cornell b. June 20, 1805, in Easton, Washington Co., N. Y., and d. Apr. 12, 1881, in Moreau, was of Quaker parentage being eighth in descent (Gideon,⁷ James,⁶ Daniel,⁵ William,⁴ Stephen,³ Thomas,² Thomas¹) from Thomas

Cornell the immigrant ancestor whose family settled at Portsmouth, Mass. Dr. Cornell was one of the earliest homeopathic physicians in Saratoga County, and was at one time President of the N. Y. State Homeopathic Medical Society. His wife Isabella (Thompson) Cornell, the daughter of Eben Thompson, d. July 19, 1890, aged 83 years. Mrs. Austin L. Reynolds was their only child. Sylvester speaks of her as "a lady of rare intellectual culture and refinement, of great decision of character, and possessed of those especial qualities that grace true womanhood and influence the best interests of society." She lived to be upwards of 93 years of age, and practically to the end of her life her mind and memory was clear and unimpaired.



AUSTIN L. REYNOLDS

Austin⁷ L. Reynolds resided all his life at Reynolds Corners. Upon his father's death, his mother inherited the homestead property, and he was the son who continued to live there with her and work the farm. When she died in 1878, I believe intestate, he purchased the interest of the other heirs and became the sole owner of the property. Before his own death in 1907 he deeded this property to his grandsons, Austin⁹ L. and George⁹ W.

Reynolds, subject to a life interest granted to their father Austin⁸ L. Reynolds. He received his education in Glens Falls and Kinderhook Academies, read law with Hulsey R. Wing, and was admitted to the Bar in 1852. He practised law for a short time but he was soon compelled to relinquish this profession on account of his health which made it imperative for him to engage in something which would keep him out of doors as much as possible. He, therefore, devoted all his time thereafter to farming and lumbering on the family property and in the neighborhood. Sylvester says of him:

"He received an excellent business training under his worthy father, to whose counsel and example he is to some extent indebted for his substantial commercial success. Remarkable for industry, enterprise, integrity and sobriety, Mr. Reynolds has so well managed and so carefully guarded, while energetically pushing his business, that he has honorably acquired a comfortable independence. Through every financial crisis that has occurred, Mr. Reynolds has always had his paper honored, and his credit was never in the slightest degree impaired, while his course as a business man has been such as to command the respect of the public and win the confidence of all who know him.

"Austin L. Reynolds has won his way to an honorable position and a widespread influence by attention to business, an upright and gentlemanly course in life, and by the display of the many amiable and admirable traits which he possesses. He was a democrat until the Civil War, since which he has supported the Republican party. None were warmer in the support of the war for the preservation of the Union, and none have more firmly maintained the principles of the party to which he now belongs. He has served his town ten times as supervisor, five of which he was elected as a democrat when the republicans had a large majority, and two without opposition. In 1854, when only 28 years of age, he was the democratic nominee for assembly, and was only defeated by thirteen votes. Later as a republican, in 1866, he was nominated again, and elected two years in succession. He served during both of his terms as a member of the committee on cities, and other important committees, where he was distinguished for his clear perception and sound judgment. Mr. Reynolds has ever discharged most faithfully his every duty as a legislator and a good citizen, while as a man he is known for his high sense of honor and his uniform kindness and commendable spirit of charity."

Children: 6 (Reynolds), 4 sons and 2 daughters, all b. at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.:

+116. i. Isabella⁸ Cornell, b. Feb. 8, 1856; m. *William Gleason Havens*.

117. ii. John⁸ C., b. Sept. 15, 1857; d. Sept. 16, 1857.

118. iii. Frank⁸ Cornell, b. Sept. 16, 1858; d. Mch. 16, 1862.

+119. iv. Austin⁸ Leonard, b. Apr. 12, 1861; m. *Marilla E. Simpson*.

120. v. Frank⁸ Cornell, b. June 10, 1863; m. Mch. 19, 1885, *May Hamilton*, who was b. Mch. 19, 1864, the

daughter of Jabez and Lois (Deyre) Hamilton, of So. Glens Falls, and from whom he has since been divorced. He lives at So. Glens Falls. They had no children.

- +121. vi. Mary⁸ Evelyn, b. Oct. 22, 1868; d. July 12, 1920; m. *George Louis Williams*.

Authorities:

"History of Saratoga County, N. Y.," by Sylvester (1878 Edit.), p. 428 (1893 Edit.), pp. 589, 590, 593, 599.

"Cornell Genealogy," by Rev. John Cornell (1902), p. 95.
Letters from Austin⁸ L. Reynolds—No. 119, this record.

33. JAMES⁷ LAWRENCE REYNOLDS, b. Sept. 2, 1830, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. Aug. 2, 1878, in Fort Edward, N. Y.; m. June 11, 1856, *Lucy Diana Webster*, who was b. Jan. 27, 1833, in Williston, Vt., and d. Nov. 21, 1923 in Auburn, N. Y., the daughter of George W. and Diana B. Webster. Her mother's family came from Plattsburgh.

He received his early education at the local district school, and later at the Kinderhook Academy where his older brothers John and Austin also attended. After graduating there, he read law in the office of Gen. Charles Whiting, his brother, John's father-in-law, in Kinderhook, N. Y. After he was admitted to the Bar he practised law in Fort Edward, N. Y., where he later formed a partnership with the Hon. Judge A. D. Wait. This partnership continued until his death.

He was a strong Democrat, and a leader of his party in that part of the state; an active mason; Captain of a local military company; and very prominent in civic affairs in Fort Edward. He attended the Presbyterian Church, and is buried in the Fort Edward Union Cemetery.

Children: 1 (Reynolds), 1 daughter:

- +122. i. Nellie⁸ Bradley, b. April 28, 1858, at Fort Edward, N. Y.; m. *Horace R. Wait*.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. Nellie B. (Reynolds) Wait (No. 122), Mr. J. Reynolds Wait (No. 210), and Mrs. George A. Ferris (No. 155), this record.

34. ADELINE⁷ LUTHENA REYNOLDS, b. April 7, 1834, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. —, 1911, at Cohoes, N. Y.; m. (1) Aug. 3, 1854, in Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls), N. Y., *John William Summers*, who was b. in England and d. Dec. 3, 1868, in Hudson Falls, the son of John Wilson and Rebecca (Rupert) Summers, of England; m. (2) *Daniel H. Bennett*, of Cohoes, N. Y., who was b. in 1828 and d. Jan. 4, 1910, in Troy, N. Y.

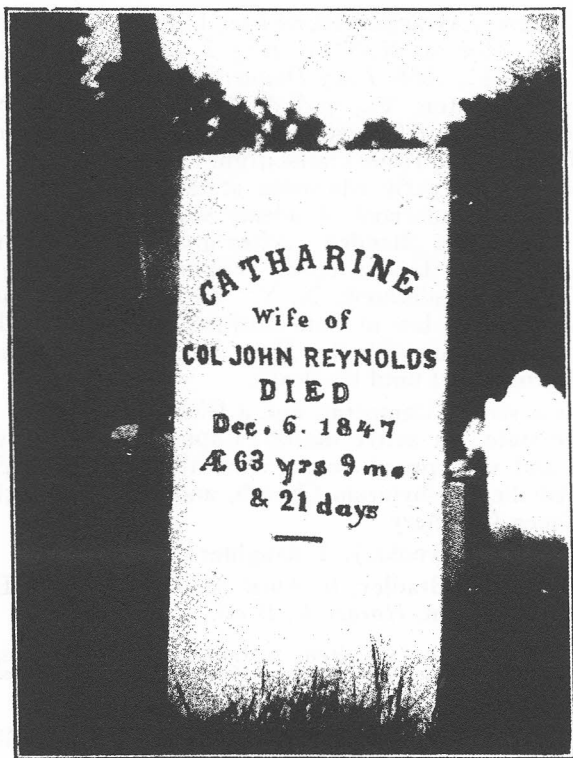
She lived at Hudson Falls during her first marriage, and in

Cohoes after her second marriage. She is buried, however, in Glens Falls, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Summers), 2 sons, both b. in Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls), N. Y.; she had no children of her second marriage:

123. i. Charles Rupert, b. —, 1856; d. —, 1921, in Cohoes, N. Y.
- +124. ii. Tabor Reynolds, b. Nov. 8, 1858; d. Dec. 1, 1893, in Glens Falls, N. Y.; m. *Florence M. Reynolds*.

Authority: Letters from Miss Blanche A. Summers—No. 212, this record.



Headstone of Catherine, wife of Col. John^a Reynolds of Moreau, N. Y.

EIGHTH GENERATION FROM JAMES¹ REYNOLDS

Fourth Generation of Reynolds Corners Family

43. MARY⁸ CATHERINE REYNOLDS (also called Mary Kate), the daughter of John⁷ Reynolds (No. 11), the date of whose b. and d. are not known; m. *Jeremiah Vanderwerker*, who undoubtedly belonged to the Vanderwerker family which lived in Northumberland, Saratoga Co., N. Y., and the neighborhood. After her mother's death, she went to live at the home of her Aunt Elizabeth⁷ (No. 14), then the wife of Harlow Lawrence, in Gansevoort, N. Y. She continued there until she married, when she moved to Canton, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., but came back to her Aunt Elizabeth's in Gansevoort after her husband's death and lived there the rest of her life.

Children: 1 (Vanderwerker), 1 son:

125. Stanley, b. —? d. —? Never married.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.

44. GEORGE⁸ HENRY REYNOLDS, the son of John⁷ Reynolds (No. 11). There seems to be no information procurable about him, except that there was such a person and that he was married and had at least two children. The family has no trace of his descendants, if there were any. Dates of his b., d. and m. and the name of his wife are not known.

Children: 2—maybe more—(Reynolds), 2 daughters:

126. i. Harriet,⁹ b. —? d. —? m. — *McDermott*.

127. ii. Catherine,⁹ b. —? d. —? m. — *Clarke*.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.

48. DR. TAYLER LEWIS, the son of Morgan and Catharine⁷ (Reynolds—No. 12) Lewis, b. —? d. probably about 1861, since his name is not given thereafter in the Troy City Directories; m. May 4, 1858, *Josephine Mather*, who was b. Aug. 6, 1835, the daughter of Heman and Eliza (Derby) Mather of West Troy, N. Y. She was eleventh in descent from John Mather, the founder of the Mather family in New England which included the well-known Rev. Cotton Mather. Dr. Tayler Lewis practised as a physician in Troy, N. Y., and was at one time in partnership with Dr. Alfred Wotkins. They had their office at 75 Third St. in that city.

Children: 2 (Lewis), 2 sons, presumably both b. in Troy, N. Y.

- 127a. i. Herman Mather, b. Sept. 8, 1859; d. Sept. 12, 1868.
 127b. ii. Charles Morgan, b. June 1, 1861; d. Nov. 14, 1874.

Authorities:

Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.

"Mather Genealogy," by Horace E. Mather, p. 369.

49. JOHN BOSTWICK LEWIS, the son of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds—No. 12) Lewis, b. about 1840 in Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. —, 1867 in Gansevoort and buried in Waterford, N. Y.; m. Mch. 30, 1859, *Margaret Jennie Viele*, who was b. Oct. 11, 1840 in Waterford, N. Y., and d. Nov. —, 1896, in Troy, N. Y., the daughter of Stephen and Jemina (Waldron) Viele ^{*1} She m. (2) Dec. 8, 1874, *John C. House*.

He grew up and attended school in Gansevoort, N. Y. Early in life he went to N. Y. City and engaged in the grocery business. Said to have had a grocery store there on 8th Ave. In 1864-6 he lived at 11 West 41st St. and his store was at 461 6th Ave. Later he removed to Mechanicsville, N. Y., and continued in the same business. He was a Presbyterian, Republican and Mason.

Children: 2 (Lewis), 2 sons:

- +128. i. Stephen Viele, b. Jan. 11, 1860 in N. Y. City; m. *Sarah M. Johnson*.
 +129. ii. Morgan Tayler, b. Sept. 29, 1861, in Mechanicsville, N. Y.; d. May 25, 1916; m. *Isabella Bramhall*.

Authorities:

Letters from Morgan T. Lewis (No. 219), and Stephen V. Lewis (No. 218), this record.
 New York City Directories.

50. GERTRUDE LEWIS, the daughter of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds—No. 12) Lewis, b. Sept., 1844, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. in 1910 in Troy, N. Y., where she is buried in the Oakwood Cemetery; m. *E. Corning Chase*, the son of David Chase, who is given in the 1878 Troy Directory as "Salesman, 306 River St. h. 3 Lawrence Pl." In subsequent years he is entered as a "Bookkeeper"; and last appears in the 1902 Directory as with his son in "Chase & Co., Insur."

Children: 1 (Chase), 1 son:

130. i. Theodore T. b. about 1864 in Mechanicsville, N. Y.

^{*1} Stephen Viele, b. Apr. 9, 1808, and d. Oct. 5, 1873, m. June 12, 1835, at Waterford, N. Y. Jemima Waldron, who was bp. July 27, 1812, the daughter of Cornelius and Jane (VanWie) Waldron of that place. He was descended (Ludovicus⁷, Stephen⁶, Jacob⁵, Louvis⁴, Pieter³, Cornelis², Volkert¹), from Cornelis Volkertzen who came to New Amsterdam from Holland before 1639. He was in the lumber business and had yards and sawmill in N. Y. City. Lived No. 344 W. 32nd St. in 1867-8.

See: "Viele Records," by Kathlyne K. Viele (1913), p. 258.

alive in 1910. Not known to have married. In 1883, Troy Directory his name appears for first time as "Clerk, 265 River St., h. 3 Lawrence Pl." Later he went into the Real Estate and Insurance business, firm of McCarthy & Chase, 1891-1899, Mott & Chase, 1900-1901, Chase & Co., 1902. From 1902-1910, he is always given as "Mgr. or Supr." He was an Alderman for the 4th Ward of the City of Troy in 1894-5; and Secretary of the Troy Board of Underwriters in 1894. In 1894, he lived at 12 4th Ave., Troy; later he boarded at 352 Broadway until 1910, in which Troy Directory it says he had "moved to Chicago." His name, however, never appeared in the Chicago Directories, and family lost trace of him.

Authorities:

Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.
Troy City Directories.

66. HARRIET ROGERS, the daughter of Harper Nathan and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds—No. 14) Rogers, b. Apr. 11, 1842, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Apr. 14, 1880, in Hudson Falls, N. Y. and buried in Gansevoort, N. Y.; m. Aug. 19, 1858, in Gansevoort, N. Y., *Charles Mariam Velsey*, who was b. July 25, 1836, in Gansevoort, N. Y., and d. Mch. 11, 1906, in Sharon Springs, N. Y., the son of Isaac P. and Beulah (Southworth) Velsey. He is buried in Watervliet, N. Y.

Children: 6 (Velsey), 3 sons and 3 daughters:

131. i. Miles Edgar, b. Jan. 15, 1860, at Sing Sing (now Ossining), N. Y.; d. Nov. 2, 1866, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.
- +132. ii. Eugene Willis, b. Nov. 17, 1861, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. Sept. 13, 1924; m. (1) *Nettie Parmenter*. (2) *Ida Wideman*.
- +133. iii. Ada May, b. Apr. 23, 1864, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; m. *William Osterhout*.
- +134. iv. Ella Frances, b. Dec. 4, 1866, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; m. *Myron Hulin*.
- +135. v. Mabel Clara, b. May 22, 1870, in Lansingburg, N. Y.; m. *Charles Bassett*.
- +136. vi. Charles Edgar, b. Nov. 18, 1872, in Lansingburg, N. Y.; m. *Evelyn Francisco*.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson (No. 82), and Mr. Charles E. Velsey (No. 136), this record.

69. CLINTON IRA LAWRENCE, the son of Harlow and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds—No. 14) Lawrence, b. Feb. 8, 1852, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. June 8, 1906, in Crested Butte, Colorado, m. (1) Oct. 8, 1873, in Gansevoort, N. Y., *Effie Elizabeth Porter*, who was b. Dec. —, 1853, in Troy, N. Y., and d. Mch. 27, 1885 in Crested Butte, Colo., the daughter of Edward and Mary Jane (Pierce) Porter, formerly of Troy, N. Y., and later of Winona, Minn. He m. (2) Jan. 1, 1891, *Mary Axtel*, who was b. Dec. 23, 1864, in Chicago, Ill., and who survived him. She is the daughter of Volney F. and Mary Jeannette (Dayton) Axtell.

He was first employed by The Delaware & Hudson Canal Co., serving as Station Agent at Fort Ann and at Fort Edward, N. Y., for several years. About 1879 he went west to Colorado and entered the employ of the Denver & Rio Grande Railway Co. as Operator and Agent, serving at Tennessee Pass, Cimarron, Crested Butte, Grand Junction, Ouray, and Salida, until 1902, when he became engaged in the lumber and insurance business at Crested Butte, which he conducted up to the time of his death. He was an ordained Elder of the Presbyterian Church; a member of Crested Butte Lodge No. 58 A. & F. M.; and of The Woodmen of the World.

Children: 3 (Lawrence) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Gansevoort, N. Y., of his first wife, Effie Elizabeth Porter. There were no children of his **second marriage**.

137. i. Mamie A. b. June 12, 1877; d. —, 1888.

138. ii. Alicita E. b. July 23, 1879; d. Mch. 7, 1885.

139. iii. Harlow Clinton, b. May 16, 1881; living (1923) and in the insurance business at Gunnison, Colorado. He is unmarried.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson (No. 82), and Harlow C. Lawrence (No. 139), this record.

70. IDA FRANCES LAWRENCE, the daughter of Harlow and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds—No. 14) Lawrence, b. Aug. 25, 1855, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; living (1925) near Gansevoort, N. Y.; m. Mch. 12, 1873, *Clarence Coon*, who d. in 1918, the son of Benjamin and Abbie (Lewis) Coon. She was affected mentally shortly after the death of her children, and has been an invalid ever since.

Children: 2 (Coon) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Gansevoort, N. Y.:—

140. i. Clinton, b. —, 1874; d. —, 1877.

141. ii. Elizabeth, b. —, 1876; d. —, 1878.

72. SETH REYNOLDS SILL, the son of Charles A. and Mary⁷ Finn (Reynolds—No. 15) Sill, b. Oct. 2, 1839, in Wales, Erie Co. N. Y.; d. Aug. 11, 1901, in Rochester, N. Y.; m. Dec. 10, 1863, *Mary Penfield Lapham*, who was b. Feb. 8, 1842, in East Aurora, N. Y., and d. Sept. 20, 1905, in Rochester, N. Y., the daughter of Dr. George H. and Catherine (White) Lapham of East Aurora, N. Y. Seth R. Sill lived most of his life in Rochester, N. Y.; was connected with The Cooperative Foundry Co.; Episcopalian; Republican. Also lived for a while in Olean, N. Y.

Children: 6 (Sill) 6 daughters, the three eldest and the youngest b. in Rochester, N. Y.:—

- +142. i. Kate Lapham, b. Dec. 12, 1865; m. *Charles Gilbert Brady*.
- +143. ii. Louise Reynolds, b. July 12, ————? m. *William Warren Steele*.
- 144. iii. Bessie White, b. June 19, ————? Living in 1923 at 253 Alexander street, Rochester, N. Y. A clerk in the County Clerk's Office at the Court House in Rochester.
- 145. iv. Mollie Florence, b. Jan. 24, ————? in Olean, N. Y. Living in 1925 at 253 Alexander street, Rochester, N. Y. In 1906 and other years about that time she was listed in the Rochester City Directories as a "teacher."
- 146. v. Anna Deborah, b. May 16, ————? in Olean, N. Y.; m. Aug. 24, 1911, *Henry Edward Kip*, the son of Henry W. and Tilly Kip of Buffalo, N. Y. He is an engineer with the Union Carbide Co. They reside (1925) at 211 Fifth street, Niagara Falls, N. Y. No children reported.
- 147. vi. Ruth Penfield, b. Dec. 28, ————? Living (1923) in Philadelphia, Pa. In the 1905 Rochester City Directory she was listed as a "teacher at the Mechanics Institute."

Authorities:

Letters from Miss Harriet R. Sill (No. 77), and Miss Margaret L. Brady (No. 234), this record.
Rochester City Directories, 1900 to date.

78. HELEN ELIZA SILL, the daughter of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ Finn (Reynolds—No. 15) Sill, b. Aug. 5, 1847, in Wales, Erie Co. N. Y.; living in 1925 at Wales Center, Erie Co., N. Y.; m. Dec. 10, 1874 in Wales, N. Y., *Edwin Marcellus Nichols*, farmer, who was b. Dec. 16, 1847, in Springfield, Mass., and d. Apr. 20, 1899, in Wales, N. Y., the son of George and Mary (Robinson) Nichols from Springfield, Mass. She received her educa-

tion at the East Aurora Academy, and subsequently taught fifteen terms of school; a Methodist; has lived at different times in Java Village, Arcade, Wales, Strykersville, and East Aurora, and has the old family Bible of Mary⁷ Finn (Reynolds) Sill.

Children: 3 (Nichols) 1 son and 2 daughters:—

- +148. i. Florence Mary, b. Apr. 14, 1882, in Java Village, N. Y.; m. *Frank Hull Smith*.
- +149. ii. Harriet Sill, b. Mch. 14, 1885, in Arcade, N. Y.; m. *Samuel J. Davis*.
- +150. iii. Charles Edwin, b. Nov. 10, 1888, in Wales, N. Y.; m. *Hazel Gorton*.

Authorities: Letters from Miss Harriet Sill (No. 77), and Mrs. Frank H. Smith (No. 148), this record.

82. SUSAN CATHERINE LAWRENCE, the daughter of Harlow and Mercy⁷ W. (Reynolds—No. 16) Lawrence, b. May 6, 1843, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; living (1925) at 114 Main street, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Mch. 27, 1867, *Samuel Lewis Thompson*, who d. Apr. 21, 1895, the son of Thomas Berry and Sally (Lewis) Thompson, of Northumberland, N. Y.

Mr. Thompson's mother was the daughter of Capt. Samuel Lewis and a sister of Morgan Lewis, who married Catherine⁷ Reynolds (No. 12). Therefore, as explained in the text under the latter, she was a granddaughter of Sarah⁵ (Reynolds) Lewis and descended from the same Joseph² Reynolds from whom Mrs. Thompson is descended through her mother Mercy⁷ W. (Reynolds) Lawrence. Thus Mrs. Thompson's grandchildren (Griffin—Nos. 248-252) have two separate lines of descent from this Reynolds family. Mrs. Thompson's family still hold part of the land on which Capt. Samuel Lewis settled after the Revolution, and make this farm their country home.

It was through the help of Mrs. Thompson, in the first place, that the compiler was able to begin and carry on the preparation of this record. Her interest and cooperation have made it possible. Mrs. Thompson has lived for some years with her son-in-law, Mr. Daniel Griffin, and brought up her five grandchildren, who were left without a mother when her daughter died in 1912.

Children: 1 (Thompson) 1 daughter:—

- +151. i. Alena Mercy, b. Dec. 9, 1871, in Northumberland, N. Y.; d. Apr. 25, 1912, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. *Daniel Griffin*.

85. EDGAR⁸ LAING REYNOLDS, the son of J. Spaulding⁷, (No. 19) and Sophia VanDyck (Kinnan-Laing) Reynolds, b. Mch. 1,

1858, at 27 East 21st street, N. Y. City, d. Jan. 10, 1893, at the Hotel Westminster, 117 East 16th street, N. Y. City, buried in the Kinnan vault in Greenwood Cemetery; m. Nov. 18, 1880, in N. Y. City, *Alice Lewis Burdett*, who was b. Aug. 4, 1861, at 43 Irving Place, N. Y. C., and d. Oct. 18, 1925, at 580 Park Avenue, N. Y. C., buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, the daughter of George Francis and Caroline Augusta (Lewis) Burdett*¹. Edgar⁸ L. Reynolds and his wife were divorced in 1885. She thereafter m. (2) Wm. Melville Harlan; and after his death m. (3) Harold Thorne, who survived her.

Edgar⁸ L. Reynolds lived all his life in N. Y. City. He was for some years in Co. G, 7th Reg't Inf. N. Y. Nat'l Guard; and was a member of the Lotos Club. He was not permanently in any active business.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 son:—

- +152. ii. Henry⁹ Suydam, b. Aug. 31, 1881, in N. Y. City; m. *Ilse Georgine Heinmüller*.

Authorities: Family records and letters.

86. NETTIE FRANCES MILLER, the daughter of Alfred A. and Sarah⁷ Campbell (Reynolds—No. 21) Miller, b. June 1, 1860, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.; d. Aug. 5, 1922, in Utica, N. Y., but buried in Hudson Falls; m. June 1, 1881, in Hudson Falls, *Robert Edward White* of Hudson Falls, where he was b. Sept. 30, 1854, and d. Aug. 11, 1924, the son of Chas. A. and Deborah (Burch) White of that place. He was a manufacturing pharmacist.

Children: 2 (White) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Hudson Falls, N. Y.:—

153. i. Grace Miller, b. Mch. 30, 1882; d. Aug. 23, 1882, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.
+154. ii. Alfred Miller, b. Sept. 3, 1883; m. *Edith M. Frake*.

Authority: Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record, and Alfred M. White (No. 154), this record.

*¹ Through her father, she is descended from Capt. Etienne Bourdet, a Huguenot officer in the navy of the French king, who fled from his native city of La Rochelle together with Gabriel Bernon on Oct. 13, 1685, upon the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes. His father had migrated many years previously to the West Indies to avoid the religious troubles at home. A few years later, Etienne and his sons appeared in New Amsterdam, and about 1755 his son Stephen bought some 400 acres across the Hudson, where today is Fort Lee, and which farm comprised the site of the two Revolutionary forts and the village above and below them. The Burdett homestead was there until a comparatively recent date. See "La France Protestante," by Haag, 2nd Edit., Vol. 2, p. 1094; also "Scenes in the Practice of a N. Y. Surgeon," by Edw. H. Dixon, pp. 289 et seq.

Through her mother, she is descended from many of the earliest New England settlers, including Gov. Thomas Hinckley of Plymouth, Maj. Gen. Humphrey Atherton of Boston, Joseph Swett of Newburyport, Mass.; Henry Phillips of Charlestown, Mass., and John Pope, John Glover, Thomas Bird, and Richard Baker of Dorchester, Mass.

89. JULIA MARIA AUSTIN, the daughter of Jonathan and Maria⁷ (Reynolds No. 25) Austin, b. Feb. 24, 1834, in the Austin homestead at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. Feb. 7, 1925, at Hudson Falls, N. Y., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George A. Ferris with whom she had lived the last thirty-four years of her life; m. (1) May 23, 1855, by the Rev. P. VanDyke and Rev. Jos. Parry at the Austin homestead at Reynolds Corners, *John Casper Schermerhorn*, who was b. June 4, 1809 and d. Dec. 15, 1862, the son of Cornelious K. and Catherine (Sands) Schermerhorn of Argyle Wash. Co., N. Y., and Schenectady, N. Y. She m. (2) April 23, 1876, *William Johnston* of South Hartford Wash. Co., N. Y., who d. Dec. —, 1888.

Children: 4 (Schermerhorn) 2 sons and 2 daughters, all b. at the Austin homestead at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y., the children of her first husband. There were no children of her second marriage.

- +155. i. Harriet Eliza, b. Feb. 24, 1857; m. *George Alfred Ferris*.
- 156. ii. Charles Austin, b. Jan. 21, 1858; d. Dec. 12, 1858.
- 157. iii. Charles Irving, b. Sept. 29, 1859; d. Jan. 4, 1862.
- 158. iv. Maria Austin, b. Dec. 2, 1861; d. Mch. 15, 1863.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson (No. 82)

92. CATHERINE CLINTON AUSTIN, the daughter of DeWitt Clinton and Maria⁷ (Reynolds—No. 25) Austin, b. Aug. 17, 1839, in the Austin home at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. Apr. —, 1897, in Indianapolis, Ind., where she is also buried; m. June 21, 1859, by Jos. E. King, D. D., at the Austin home, Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y., *Daniel Simmons* of Cohoes, N. Y., who was b. Feb. 8, 1839, at Trenton, N. J., and d. Sept. 28, 1916, at Worcester, Mass., the son of Jonas (d. and buried in Laclede, Mo.) and Eliza (Wilcox, d. and buried in Indianapolis) Simmons.

Children: 3 (Simmons) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Cohoes, N. Y.:—

- +159. i. Florence, b. Oct. 1, 1860; m. *Archibald McGinnis*.
- 160. ii. Nellie Palmer, b. Nov. 10, 1863; living in 1925 at 3128 N. Pennsylvania street, Indianapolis, Ind.; m. Feb. 14, 1899, in Indianapolis, *George Philip Meier*, who was b. Sept. 16, 1863, in Marshall, Mich., the son of Andrew and Anna Maria (Becker) Meier of that place. She is a member of the Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter, D. A. R., Women's Dep't

Club, Matinee Musical, Harmonie Club, and Women's Franchise League. She has lived most of her life in Indianapolis, and has had no children.

161. iii. Daniel, b. in 1869; d. Sept. —, 1869.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. Archibald McGinnis (No. 159), and Mrs. Geo. P. Meier (No. 160), this record.

95. MARGARET ANN AUSTIN, the daughter of DeWitt Clinton and Maria⁷ (Reynolds—No. 25) Austin, b. Oct. 1, 1845, in the Austin home at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. Dec. 18, 1905, at Mt. Morris, Penn., and buried at Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. July 22, 1868, by Rev. Jos. E. King in Hudson Falls, N. Y., to the *Rev. Theodore House*, a Methodist minister, who survived her, but concerning whom no further details are available.

Children: 1 (House) 1 son:—

162. i. Earl Austin, b. in 1875; d. June 3, 1882.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris—No. 155, this record.

96. LUTHENA MARGARET GALLUP, the daughter of Rufus Brian and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds—No. 27) Gallup, b. Jan. 31, 1838, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Sept. 29, 1919, in Kendallville, Ind.; m. (1) May 16, 1855, *Pomeroy E. Jones*, who was b. Dec. 7, 1832, at Greenville, Mercer Co., Penn., and d. Apr. 12, 1880, at Kendallville, Ind., the son of Rev. Cornelius and Orilla (Jones); she m. (2) April 28, 1890, *James Tate*, who d. Sept. 11, 1912, in Kendallville, Ind.

She came with her parents from Moreau, N. Y., to Kendallville, Ind., in Oct., 1850. After her first marriage to Pomeroy E. Jones she and her husband lived on a farm near Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind., and later moved to another farm in Noble Co., Ind. About 1863 they went to Wawaka, Ind., where Pomeroy had a store. In 1866 they moved again to near Etna Green, Kosciusko Co., Ind., where her husband ran a saw mill. Ten years later, in 1876, they moved the mill to Noble Co., near Kendallville, and added a tile mill to the saw mill.

After her second marriage she lived on Mr. Tate's farm near Rome City, Ind., until his death in 1912, when she moved into Kendallville and resided there until her own death in 1919.

Children: 3 (Jones) 2 sons and 1 daughter, all the children of her first husband. There were no children of her second marriage.

163. i. Abbie Aurelia, b. Sept. 6, 1858, at DeKalb Co., Ind.; d. Mch. 2, 1884, in Kendallville, Ind.; m. Dec. 25,

1882, *Spurgeon G. Franks*, who was b. Apr. 2, 1858.
No children.

- +164. ii. Rufus Cornelius, b. Aug. 5, 1860, near Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.; m. *Minnie L. Childs*.
- +165. iii. John Austin, b. Nov. 27, 1882, near Kendallville, Ind.; m. *Celia Elta Hall*.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris—No. 155, this record.

97. JOHN LEONARD GALLUP, the son of Rufus Brian and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds—No. 27) Gallup, b. Mch. 14, 1843, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Feb. 2, 1895, at Ft. Worth, Texas; m. May 5, 1864, *Martha E. Young*, who was b. Apr. 13, 1847, and d. Oct. 13, 1924, in Kendallville, Ind., the daughter of Jacob and Sarah Ann (Haller) Young.

He came with his parents from Moreau, N. Y., to Noble Co., Ind., in Oct., 1850. After his marriage he lived on a farm northeast of Kendallville until 1880, when he moved his family into Kendallville proper. He was engaged in various occupations, farming, lumber dealer, and traveling salesman. The latter occupation accounting for his death so far away from his home. His remains were brought back to Kendallville and interred at Lake View Cemetery under the auspices of the Apollo Commandery No. 19, K. T. He was a member of Kendallville Lodge No. 276, F. & A. M. and Apollo Commandery No. 19, K. T. He was a Past Master of his lodge, and Past Captain General and Past Commander of Apollo Commandery.

Children: 1 (Gallup) 1 son:—

- 166. i. Rufus Brian, b. Sept. 16, 1865, in Kendallville, Ind.; now (1925) living in Ft. Wayne, Ind.; m. Mch. 24, 1889, *Alice Dailey*, an adopted daughter of Isaac Loeb, who was b. May 6, 1868. He has been engaged in the mercantile business in Kendallville for a number of years, and at present is the Auditor of the Home Telephone Co. at Ft. Wayne, Ind. He is a member of Kendallville Lodge No. 276, F. & A. M. They have had no children.

Authority: Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record.

98. MARY ADELINE GALLUP, the daughter of Rufus Brian and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds—No. 27) Gallup, b. Dec. 21, 1849, in Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. Mch. 17, 1923, in Kendallville, Ind.; m. Feb. 4, 1869, *James W. Wright*, who was b. April 1, 1846, and living (1923) in Kendallville, Ind., the son of James and Amelia Wright.

When less than one year old she was brought by her parents from New York to Indiana, and passed her childhood on their farm northeast of Kendallville. After her marriage she and her husband resided on a farm northeast of Kendallville until March, 1899, when they moved into the town itself. She was an active member of the Methodist Church and a leader in a number of the church societies. Her husband was a farmer for a number of years, and served as a member of the board of directors of the Northeastern Fair Association. Later, after he had moved into Kendallville, he served as City Councilman.

Children: 2 (Wright) 2 daughters, both b. in Kendallville, Ind.:—

167. i. Martha Emelia, b. Jan. 30, 1874; now (1925) living in Kendallville, Ind.; m. Sept. 18, 1901; *Charles Isbell*, the son of Elias and Adeline Isbell. She is now (1923) serving as Worthy Matron of Noble Chapter No. 122 of the Eastern Star. They have no children.
- +168. ii. Nellie Gertrude, b. April 1, 1879; m. *Claude Thomas*.

Authority: Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record.

99. FRANCES⁸ LUTHENA REYNOLDS, the daughter of George⁷ Potter and Juliet (Wilcox) Reynolds (No. 28), b. Apr. 24, 1840, Moreau, N. Y.; d. Feb. 21, 1880, Fortsville, N. Y., and buried in the Griswold Cemetery, Moreau, N. Y.; m. Feb. 8, 1858 to *DeWitt Clinton Sprott*, of Fortsville, the son of William and Zadie Ann (Newton) Sprott. The said William Sprott d. Apr. 18, 1844, aged 77 yrs. 7 mos. and 10 days per tombstone in the Reynolds Corners Cemetery.

Children: 4 (Sprott) 3 sons and 1 daughter, all b. near Wilton, in Moreau, N. Y., where she apparently lived after her marriage.

- +169. i. John Herbert, b. Nov. 16, 1858; d. Aug. 20, 1909; m. *Emma L. Bloomingdale*.
170. ii. Wesley, b. Mch. 27, 1861; living (1923) in Saratoga Springs, N. Y. Further information not given.
171. iii. Marion, b. Oct. 18, 1862; d. Jan. 8, 1924 in Saratoga Springs, N. Y.; m. May 12, 1880, *Ralph A. Golden*. No issue.
- +172. iv. Myron R. (twin of above) b. Oct. 18, 1862; m. *Carrie L. Lane*.

Authorities:

Letters from Mrs. Harriet M. Lord—No. 105, this record.
Statements by Myron R. Sprott—No. 172, this record.

101. TRUMAN⁸ WHITING REYNOLDS, the son of George⁷ Potter and Juliet (Wilcox) Reynolds (No. 28), b. Feb. 6, 1843, Moreau, N. Y.; d. Aug. 26, 1889, Cohoes, N. Y., and buried in Albany, N. Y.; m. May 9, 1866, at Cohoes, N. Y. *Elizabeth B. White* (generally known as Libbie), who was born July 26, 1844, in Albany, N. Y., and d. Jan. 5, 1920, in Cohoes, N. Y., the daughter of Frederick W. and Elizabeth B. (Blackall) White of Albany and Cohoes, N. Y.

He drove stage from Fortsville to Saratoga when a young man. Then for a while he worked as a grocery clerk. Following that he had his own dry-goods business for twenty-three years in Cohoes, and at the time of his death was in the hotel business. He was a Presbyterian; a Democrat; and was Supervisor of the 2nd Ward in Cohoes for about twelve years.

Children: 2 (Reynolds) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Cohoes, N. Y.:—

173. i. Charlotte⁹ (generally known as Lottie), b. Sept. 18, 1870; living (1923) at 182 Mohawk St., Cohoes, N. Y.; m. Nov. 2, 1892 at Cohoes, N. Y., *George E. Gunter*, who was b. June 4, 1868, at Germantown, Penn., the son of Harmon and Juliet (Bishop) Gunter of Cohoes, N. Y. She has always lived in Cohoes; and is a Presbyterian like her parents, but a Republican in politics. Her occupation is that of Buyer in the Cloak Dep't. of "The Gay Co." She has had no children.

174. ii. Charles⁹ Truman, b. Jan. 4, 1875; d. July 6, 1910 at Saratoga Springs, N.Y., and buried in the Albany Rural Cemetery, Albany, N. Y.; m. June 12, 1901, in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., *Harriet E. Fish*, the daughter of John Fish of that place. Educated at the Cohoes High School and Albany Business College. Also studied law. He first had a meat and grocery business at Saratoga Springs, which he later sold out and became Advertising Manager for the newspaper known as "The Saratogian," which position he held at his death. He was a member of Co. L. in the local Saratoga regiment, held all ranks in that company and finally became its Captain. He was also Adjutant to Col. Davis. He was a Mason; Knight Templar; Elk, and I. O. O. F.; a Presbyterian; and Republican. He had no children.

Authority: Letter from Mrs. George E. Gunter—No. 173, this record.

104. GEORGE^s POTTER REYNOLDS, Jr., the son of George^r Potter and Juliet (Wilcox) Reynolds (No. 28), b. Mch. 11, 1849, in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Jan. 24, 1892 in Portville, Cattaraugus County, N. Y. where he is buried; m. Jan. 26, 1876, in Portville, N. Y., *Eliza Betsey Doane*, who was b. Nov. 6, 1854 (?) in Nunda, Livingston County, N. Y., and d. July 5, 1912, in Hornell, Steuben County, N. Y., the daughter of Truman and Eliza Doane of Portville, N. Y. He was a Presbyterian; a Democrat; and a Mason. Before moving to Portville he lived in Moreau, Cchoes, and Saratoga Springs.

Children: 2 (Reynolds) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Portville, N. Y.:—

175. i. George^o Truman, b. Nov. 20, 1877; d. Mch. 27, 1908, in Coudersport, Penn., where he was Foreman in a clothes-pin factory. He was a Presbyterian and a Democrat. Never married.
- +176. ii. Bertha^o Olivia, b. Aug. 16, 1880; m. *Edward H. Cooley*.

Authority: Letter from Mrs. Edward H. Cooley—No. 176, this record.

106. ADDIE^s REYNOLDS, the daughter of George^r Potter and Juliet (Wilcox) Reynolds (No. 28), b. Jan. 16, 1859, in Moreau, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 562 Broadway, Paterson, N. J.; m. (1) Jan. 16, 1879, at Fortsville, N. Y., *Frank B. Howe*, who was the son of Thomas and Lurena (Betts) Howe; m. (2) May 10, 1891, at Camden, N. J., *Frank W. Marston* of Philadelphia, Pa., the son of John and Marcia (Johnson) Marston, and who d. Aug. 23, 1910, in Paterson, N. J.; m. (3) Dec. 24, 1919, at Ridgewood, N. J., *Charles E. Frost*, the son of George and Frances (Bell) Frost of Paterson, N. J.

Children: 1 (Howe) 1 daughter by her first husband:—

177. i. Hattie Ethel, b. Aug. 23, 1882, at Fortsville, N. Y.; living in 1925 at the Hotel Kathan, Gloversville, N. Y.; m. *Russell Burnham*. No children.

Authority: Letter from Mrs. Charles E. Frost—No. 106, this record.

107. JOHN HENRY BURNHAM, the son of George B. and Elizabeth^r (Reynolds—No. 29) Burnham, b. Jan. 8, 1837, in Glens Falls, N. Y.; d. Jan. —, 1917, in Kansas City, Mo., and buried in Mulberry, Mo.; m. Feb. 14, 1872, in Toulon, Ill., *Velma Kessler* of that place, who was b. Sept. 19, 1851, the daughter of Henry N. and Mary A. (Keifer) Kessler.

He taught school when a young man, and later in life after he had gone west he became a farmer and stock raiser. He

was a man of high ambition, and felt perhaps too keenly in later years when he had lost his health that he had not realized all in life which he had planned. His children feel that he would have been better suited to a business career than to that of a farmer. He was a man whose word was as good as his bond in all his dealings. He was a Prohibitionist in politics. Most of his life was spent in Mulberry, Mo. Mrs. J. Henry Burnham is living in 1925 in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Children: 8 (Burnham) 4 sons and 4 daughters, all b. in Mulberry, Mo.:—

- 178. i. Nellie Elizabeth, b. Apr. 9, 1873; living in 1925, at No. 2728 Holmes street, Kansas City, Mo.; m. in Amsterdam, Mo., to *Frank E. Palmer* of Hastings, Neb., from whom she was divorced about a year later. No issue.
- +179. ii. Henry Rufus, b. Apr. 8, 1875; m. *Lora Pearson*.
- 180. iii. Mamie, b. Feb. 23, 1877; d. Nov. 18, 1883.
- +181. iv. Lottie Velma, b. Oct. 10, 1878; m. *James G. Fleenor*.
- 182. v. Ernest Beckwith, b. Oct. 31, 1882; living in 1925 in Oklahoma City, Okla.; m. Mch. 13, 1924 *Mary Gaynell Wall*.
- +183. vi. Tressie Hazel, b. Feb. 19, 1886; m. *James A. Strait*.
- +184. vii. William Pitt Kellog, b. July 4, 1891; m. *Myrtle Ransdell*.
- +185. viii. Mark Reynolds, b. May 12, 1893; m. *Lela Rexroad*.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. James G. Fleenor (No. 181), and Mrs. Ralph M. Cheney (No. 190), this record.

108. GEORGE REYNOLDS BURNHAM, the son of George B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds—No. 29) Burnham, b. Sept. 1, 1839, in South Glens Falls, N. Y.; fell from his shed roof and broke his thigh bone near the hip on Aug. 4, 1925, and was taken to the Glens Falls Hospital, where he d. Sept. 3, 1925. His age was against his recovery. He m. Mch. 5, 1865, at office of Justice Hamilton in So. Glens Falls, *Elizabeth Burnet* of French Mt., Warren Co., N. Y., who was b. Aug. 10, 1838 in Scotland and d. Feb. 20, 1881, in So. Glens Falls, the daughter of Andrew and Mary (Lauder) Burnet. She came to America when she was fourteen years old. They were married at the Justice's office because their respective parents were opposed to the match.

Except for a time spent in Missouri he lived all his life in the vicinity of Glens Falls, N. Y. He was educated at the Fort Edward Institute; a farmer and gardener by occupation; a Methodist and a Republican.

Children: 3 (Burnham) 1 son and 2 daughters:—

186. i. Gertrude, b. Dec. 10, 1865, at French Mt., N. Y.; d. Jan. 27, 1866.
187. ii. Lillie E., b. Apr. 20, 1867, in Glens Falls, N. Y.; d. Feb. 16, 1884, in South Glens Falls, N. Y.
- +188. iii. Fred Thomas, b. Sept. 29, 1868, in Glens Falls, N. Y.; m. *Louise Baker*.

Authority: Letters from Fred. T. Burnham—No. 188, this record.

109. MINNIE E. BURNHAM, the daughter of George B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds—No. 29) Burnham, b. Oct. 5, 1843, in Glens Falls, N. Y.; d. June 15, 1909, in Traverse City, Mich., and buried in Kendallville, Ind.; m. April 4, 1869, in Kendallville, Ind., *Arthur Wilson* of that place, who was b. June 23, 1843, and d. June 6, 1925, the son of Albert and Isabelle (Trowbridge) Wilson.

She was a Methodist, and lived in Kendallville, Ind., and later in Palo, Mich.

Children: 2 (Wilson) 2 daughters, both b. in Kendallville, Ind.:—

189. i. Cora E., b. Jan. 13, 1870; d. Oct. 5, 1883, in Palo, Mich.
- +190. ii. Gertrude Minnie, b. May 15, 1878; m. *Ralph M. Cheney*.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Ralph M. Cheney—No. 190, this record.

112. GEORGE⁸ REYNOLDS, the son of Judge John⁷ Hazard and Margaret A. (Whiting) Reynolds (No. 30), b. Nov. 5, 1847 in Kinderhook, N. Y.; d. Sept. 23, 1886 in Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. ——— 1872 in Kinderhook, N. Y., *Pauline A. Sudam*, who d. Nov. 9, 1885 in Brooklyn, N. Y., the daughter of Jacob and Sarah (Sally Decker) Sudam of Kinderhook and New York City.

He was in the hardware business in Kinderhook with James Lathrop under the firm name of Lathrop & Reynolds. Their store was on Hudson St., near Broad St., and for some time held the town Post Office. A picture of it before the fire of 1880 is given in Collier's "History of Old Kinderhook." He received his education at the Albany Academy. No further information about him obtainable.

Children: 4 (Reynolds) 4 sons, all b. in Kinderhook, N. Y.:—

- +191. i. Harrison⁹ Sudam, b. June 3, 1874; m. *Mary V. Green*.

- +192. ii. John^o Hazard, b. Oct. 15, 1875; m. *Margaret Schermerhorn*.
 193. iii. George^o, b. about 1878; d. when young.
 +194. iv. Adger^o Whiting, b. July 6, 1882; m. *Mary B. Stahl*.

Authorities:

"History of Old Kinderhook," by Collier, pp. 317, 437, 441, 508.
 Letters from James Adger Reynolds (No. 114), and Harrison S. Reynolds (No. 191), this record

113. JOHN^s HAZARD REYNOLDS, the son of Judge John⁷ Hazard and Margaret A. (Whiting) Reynolds (No. 30), b. June 19, 1850, in Kinderhook, N. Y.; d. June 16, 1917, in Kinderhook, N. Y.; m. ———? *Mary L. (Molly) Mickle*, who was b. in 1858, the daughter of Andrew H. and Mary (Lawrence) Mickle of Bay Side, Long Island, N. Y. John^s H. Reynolds and his wife were divorced. She thereafter m. (2) Frank J. Saxe, and lives (1925) in Flushing, N. Y.

He was educated at the Kinderhook and the Albany Academies. For some years he was Deputy Clerk of the Court of Appeals at Albany, N. Y., where he resided the greater part of his life. He was an officer in the 10th Reg't. Inf. N. Y. State Nat'l. Guard covering a long period.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 son:—

195. i. John^o Hazard, b. Nov. 13, 1886 in Albany, N. Y.; living (1925) at No. 30 E. 60th St., N. Y. City; m. Apr. 6, 1918, *Grace Fleischman*, the daughter of Maximilian and Johanna (Müller) Fleischman of N. Y. City.

He is a member of the Union Club and the Riding Club in N. Y. City. During the Great War he served as Captain in Quartermasters Corps at Washington, D. C., in the office of the Director of Finance. He has had no children.

Authorities:

N. Y. Social Register for 1924.
 Letters from James A. Reynolds (No. 114), and John H. Reynolds (No. 195), this record.

114. JAMES^s ADGER REYNOLDS, the son of Judge John⁷ Hazard and Margaret A. (Whiting) Reynolds (No. 30), b. Feb. 4, 1852, in Kinderhook, N. Y.; living (1925) in Kinderhook, N. Y.; m. (1) Oct. 22, 1874, *Kate Bradley* of the same place, who was b. in 1849 and d. Nov. 20, 1896, the daughter of Francis W. and Christina (Harder) Bradley; and m. (2) Nov. 2, 1911, *Mrs. Mary (Bain) Earll*, the widow of Geo. D. Earll, and daughter of Augustus and Mary Esther (Clark) Bain.

He was educated at the Albany and the Kinderhook Academies. On April 1, 1868 he entered the Nat'l. Union Bank of Kinderhook and has been with that institution ever since, becoming its President a few years ago. He is a Republican; has been in Co. A, 10th Reg't. N. Y. State Nat'l. Guard; is a member of the Burns Club in Albany, and the Sons of the American Revolution, Empire State Chapter, and the Old Guard Co. A, Albany Burgess Corps, Albany, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Reynolds) 2 sons, both b. in Kinderhook, N. Y., the children of his first wife Kate Bradley:—

- 196. i. Charles⁹ Whiting, b. Aug. 10, 1875; d. July 11, 1911.
- +197. ii. Francis⁹ Bradley, b. June 11, 1882; m. *Helen Cushing Perry*.

115. MARGARET⁸ WHITING REYNOLDS, the daughter of Judge John⁷ Hazard and Margaret A. (Whiting) Reynolds (No. 30). b. Mch. 22, 1854, in Albany, N.Y.; living in 1925 at 2 Park Place, Albany, N. Y.; m. Nov. 8, 1877, in Kinderhook, N. Y., *Dr. Franklin Townsend*, who was b. Nov. 4, 1854, and d. Oct. 31, 1895, the son of Gen. Franklin and Anna I. (King, daughter of Rufus H. King), Townsend, of Albany, N. Y., *Dr. Townsend* received his medical education at the College of Physicians & Surgeons, N. Y. C., and abroad at Vienna, Strasbourg, and London. He was a Presbyterian and a Democrat.

Children: 2 (Townsend) 2 sons, both b. in Albany, N. Y.:—

- +198. i. Franklin, b. Dec. 22, 1879; m. *Jane L. Pruyn*.
- 199. ii. Reynolds King, b. July 15, 1884; living in 1925 at 2 Park Place, Albany, N. Y. He is a Bond Broker; a graduate of Albany Academy and of Williams College; Episcopalian; Democrat. Served in the World War to the finish, when he was a Captain in the 51st Pioneers.

116. ISABELLA⁸ CORNELL REYNOLDS, the daughter of Austin⁷ L. and Mary E. (Cornell) Reynolds (No. 32). b. Feb. 8, 1856, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; living (1925) on the Williams Farm in Moreau, on the west side of the Hudson River where her sister Mrs. Geo. L. Williams (Mary⁸ E. Reynolds) formerly lived, being the farm surmised to have been lived on by George⁵ Reynolds after the Revolution; m. June 3, 1891, *William Gleason Havens*, the son of Archibald and Catharine (Hughes) Havens, of Shelter Island, N. Y. He is a lawyer and formerly practised in New York City.

Children: 2 (Havens) 2 sons, both b. in New York City:—

- 200. i. Archibald Reynolds, b. June 17, 1892; d. July 31, 1892.
- 201. ii. William Gleason, b. Apr. 20, 1894; d. Apr. 20, 1894.

Authority: Letters from Austin L. Reynolds—No. 119, this record.

119. AUSTIN⁸ LEONARD REYNOLDS, the son of Austin⁷ L. and Mary E. (Cornell) Reynolds (No. 32), b. April 12, 1861, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; living in 1925 at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y., but the present P. O. address of which is R. F. D. No. 3 Fort Edward, N. Y.; m Oct. 17, 1894, *Marilla Elizabeth Simpson*, who was b. Nov. 12, 1874, the daughter of Thomas Andrew and Marilla Elizabeth (Hart) Simpson, of Moreau, N. Y.

Austin⁸ L. Reynolds was born and brought up in and is the present owner and occupant of The Reynolds Homestead at Reynolds Corners. His father granted him by deed a life estate in the homestead farm. The remainder interest, after his death, goes to his sons Austin⁹ and George.⁹ He is a farmer, and was also interested with his father in minor lumber operations. He attended school at Ft. Edward Collegiate Institute; the Island Grove Academy, and the New York College. He was elected Justice of the Peace of the Town of Moreau in 1902; resigned in 1909 to accept the office of Supervisor which he held for five years; in 1918 he was elected Sheriff of Saratoga County and served as such until Jan. 1, 1922. He is a member of the Gansevoort Lodge F. & A. M.; the Electric Lodge of Odd Fellows; the Saratoga Lodge of Elks; and the Utopian Club of Ballston Spa.

Children: 3 (Reynolds), 2 sons and 1 daughter all b. in the Homestead at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.:

- 202. i. Dorothy⁹ Evelyn, b. Nov. 13, 1895; living (1925) in the Homestead at Reynolds Corners; m Oct. 5, 1915, *Howard Jackson*, who was b. Feb. 18, 1896, the son of Fred and Helen Edith (Johnson) Jackson of Moreau, N. Y.
- +203. ii. Austin⁹ Leonard, Jr., b. July 2, 1901; m. *Minnie Leonore Miller*.
- 204. iii. George⁹ William, b. Aug. 7, 1903; living (1925) in the Homestead at Reynolds Corners. Employed as bookkeeper and stenographer with Whipple & West.

121. MARY⁸ EVELYN REYNOLDS, the daughter of Austin⁷ L. and Mary E. (Cornell) Reynolds (No. 32), b. Oct. 22, 1868, at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; d. July 12, 1920, in Moreau, N. Y.; m. June 16, 1890, *George Louis Williams*, who was b. June 30, 1864 (?), the son of George Williams of Oxford Junction, Iowa. As has been mentioned under George⁵ Reynolds, Mary⁸ E. (Reynolds) Williams and her husband, up to the time of her death, owned and lived at least part of each year on a farm on the west bank of the Hudson River about a mile south of Fort Edward, N. Y., which was reputed to have comprised the land on which George⁵ Reynolds settled after the Revolution, when he moved from the Battenkill district. If this is correct, then this is where Mrs. Williams' grandfather, George⁶ Reynolds, grew up and like enough where he was born. Mrs. Williams was killed in an automobile accident, when the car in which she and Mr. Williams were driving was struck by a train at a railroad crossing not far from their home. Mr. Williams, however, survived and is living in 1925 in Flushing, N. Y., where he is engaged in a real estate development.

Children: 5 (Williams) 1 son and 4 daughters:

- +205. i. Bernice Louise, b. Nov. 3, 1890, in Moreau, N. Y.; m. (1) *Robert Siebrecht*, (2) *Dr. Lawrence Barnett*.
- +206. ii. Gladys Mildred, b. Aug. 1, 1892, in Albany, N. Y.; m. (1) *John Edwin Finch* (divorced), m. (2) *Silsbe Porter Hart*.
- +207. iii. Austin Reynolds, b. Feb. 13, 1897 in Moreau, N. Y.; m. *Jennie Loseau*.
- 208. iv. Mary Evelina, b. May 6, 1899 at Pittsburgh, Pa.; living (1925) in Rochester, N. Y.; m. Oct. 8, 1921, *Earl Abbott Thorne* of Rochester, N. Y., who was b. Feb. 8, 1895, at New Haven, Conn., the son of Charles and Mary Thorne of Middletown, N. Y.
- 209. v. Helen Dorothea, b. Oct. 25, 1903, in New Rochelle, N. Y.; living (1925) in Scarsdale, N. Y.

Authorities: Letters from Austin L. Reynolds (No. 119), and Mrs. Barnett—No. 205, this record.

122. NELLIE⁸ BRADLEY REYNOLDS, the daughter of James⁷ and Lucy D. (Webster) Reynolds (No. 33), b. Apr. 28, 1858 in Fort Edward, N. Y.; living (1925) at 215 Genesee St., Auburn, N. Y.; m. Sept. 1, 1880, *Horace Richard Wait*, who was b. Sept. 1, 1843, at Hagerman's Mills, N. Y., and d. May 8, 1919, in Auburn, N. Y., the son of William and Mary (Haig) Wait, originally of Whitehall, N. Y., and later of Auburn.

Children: 2 (Wait), 1 son and 1 daughter:

- +210. i. James Reynolds, b. May 2, 1882, in Whitehall, N. Y.; m. *Mary Kyle VanSickle*.
- +211. ii. Nellie Mary, b. June 25, 1887, in Auburn, N. Y.; m. *John Arner Bell, Jr.*

Authorities: Letters from J. Reynolds Wait (No. 210), and Mrs. John A. Bell, Jr. (No. 211), this record.

124. TABOR REYNOLDS SUMMERS, the son of John W. and Adeline⁷ L. (Reynolds-No. 34) Summers, b. Nov. 8, 1858, in Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls), N. Y.; d. Dec. 1, 1892, in Glens Falls, N. Y., where he is buried; m. May. 4, 1879, in Albany, N. Y., *Florence Margaret Reynolds*, who was b. Aug. 29, 1861, in Glens Falls, N. Y., the daughter of Charles W. and Annette M. (Kubatz) Reynolds of that place. He was for some years the manager of a Men's Furnishing Store in Boston, Mass. An Episcopalian and Republican. Lived at different times in Hudson Falls and Cohoes, N. Y.; Boston, Mass.; and Glens Falls, N. Y.

Children: 3 (Summers), 1 son and 2 daughters:

212. 1. Blanche Adeline, b. June 21, 1880, in Cohoes, N. Y.; living in 1925 at Apt. B., Notre Dame St., Glens Falls, N. Y.
- +213. ii. Grace Florence, b. Aug. 20, 1886 in Cohoes, N. Y.; m. *Richard William Helwig*.
- +214. iii. John William, b. Jan. 29, 1891 in Boston, Mass.; m. *Aileen Morrison*.

Authority: Letters from Miss Blanche A. Summers—No. 212, this record.

NINTH GENERATION FROM JAMES¹ REYNOLDS

Fifth Generation of Reynolds Corners Family

128. STEPHEN VIELE LEWIS, the son of John B. and Margaret J. (Viele) Lewis (No. 49), gd. son of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds-No. 12) Lewis, b. Jan. 11, 1860, New York City; living in 1925 at 156 Second Ave., North Troy, N. Y.; m. Nov. 11, 1886, in Cohoes, N. Y., *Sarah M. Johnson*, who was b. Oct. 2, 1862, in Stillwater, N. Y., the daughter of William Melancthon and Anna Elizabeth (Warner) Johnson of Cohoes, N. Y.

He was educated in the public schools of Waterford, N. Y. Lived all his life in Cohoes; Troy; and the vicinity. He is associated with John J. Strain, under the firm name of the "L. & S.

Textile Company," in the manufacture of athletic underwear in Troy, N. Y. He is a Presbyterian; Republican; and a Mason.

Children: 2 (Lewis) 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- +215. i. Margaret MacDougall, b. Sept. 30, 1888, in Cohoes, N. Y.; m. *Henry Everett Holmes*.
- +216. ii. William Johnson, b. Aug. 24, 1891 in Whitehall, N. Y.; m. *Madeleine Harp*.

129. MORGAN TAYLER LEWIS, the son of John B. Lewis (No. 49); grandson of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds-No. 12) Lewis, b. Sept. 29, 1861, Mechanicsville, N. Y.; d. May 25, 1916, Round Lake, N. Y., and buried at Waterford, N. Y.; m. Feb. 9, 1888, in Cohoes, N. Y., *Isabella Bramhall*, who was b. Jan. 29, 1862, Cohoes, N. Y., the daughter of Joseph and Martha (Makin) Bramhall of that place.

He was educated in the public schools at Waterford, N. Y., and lived most of his life in Cohoes where he had a Fancy Goods Store at 100 Remsen St. He was a Presbyterian and a Republican.

Children: 3 (Lewis) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Cohoes, N. Y.:—

- 217. i. Leila Gordon, b. May 3, 1889; living (1925) in Round Lake, N. Y.
- 218. ii. Muriel Viele, b. Jan. 7, 1891; living (1925) in Summerville, N. J.
- +219. iii. Morgan Tayler, b. July 18, 1893; m. *Helen Thoma*.

Authority: Letters from Morgan T. Lewis—No. 219, this record.

132. EUGENE WILLIS VELSEY, the son of Charles M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey, grandson of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Nov. 17, 1861, Gansevoort, N. Y.; d. Sept. 13, 1924, Watervliet, N. Y.; m. (1) Feb. 13, 1884 in Watervliet, N. Y., *Nettie Parmenter*, who was b. July 2, 1864, Hudson, N. Y. and d. Mch. 4, 1916, Watervliet, N. Y., the daughter of Theodore and Margaret (Harvey) Parmenter of Hudson, N. Y.; m. (2) June 16, 1917, *Ida Wideman*, who was b. Oct. 3, 1859 in Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls) N. Y., the daughter of Henry and Huldah (Griffith) Wideman. He was a baggage man on the D. & H. R. R., and lived at 1523 Sixth Ave., Watervliet, N. Y. Attended Lansingburgh High School, and Troy Business College. Baptist; Republican.

Children: 3 (Velsey) 1 son and 2 daughters, all the children of his first wife, and all b. in Watervliet, N. Y.:—

- 220. i. Harriet Anna, b. Jan. 21, 1885; d. Mch. 11, 1915 in Watervliet, N. Y.; m. Mch. 14, 1914 in Bennington, Vt., *Edward S. Huyck*.
- 221. ii. Ethel May, b. Oct. 16, 1893; d. Nov. 17, 1893.
- 222. iii. Theodore Willis, b. Aug. 17, 1903; d. Oct. 8, 1903.

Authority: Letters from Chas. E. Velsey—No. 136, this record.

133. ADA MAY VELSEY, the daughter of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; granddaughter of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Apr. 23, 1864, Gansevoort, N. Y.; living (1925) at 33 Quaker St., Granville, N. Y.; m. Sept. —, 1882, in West Troy (Watervliet), N. Y., *William C. Osterhout*, of Latham Corners, N. Y., who was b. Nov. 14, 1849, and d. June 6, 1918, at Crescent Station, N. Y., the son of Jacob and Margaret (Clapper) Osterhout of Latham Corners, N. Y.

Children: 4 (Osterhout) 1 son and 3 daughters, all b. in Latham Corners, N. Y.

- +223. i. Eugene William, b. Jan. 13, 1884; m. *Gertrude Sears*.
- +224. ii. Clara Frances, b. Sept. 13, 1887; m. *William Reepmeyer*.
- +225. iii. Evelyn May, b. Dec. 29, 1893; m. *Herman Reepmeyer*.
- 226. iv. Edith Belle, b. June 26, 1895; d. Mch. —, 1896.

Authority: Letters from Chas. E. Velsey—No. 136, this record.

134. ELLA FRANCES VELSEY, the daughter of Charles M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey, granddaughter of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Dec. 4, 1866, Gansevoort, N. Y.; living (1925) in Plattsburgh, N. Y.; m. Mch. 4, 1885, in West Troy, Watervliet, N. Y., *Myron Hulin*, who was b. Aug. 4, 1885, Half Moon, Saratoga County, N. Y. and d. July 2, 1910, in Mechanicsville, N. Y., the son of Rice and Adeline (Myers) Hulin of Half Moon, N. Y.

Mrs. Ella F. (Velsey) Hulin was brought up in West Troy, N. Y. She has also lived in Sandy Hill (Hudson Falls), N. Y.; Lansingburgh and Troy, N. Y.; and in Los Angeles, Calif. A Baptist and a Republican.

Children: 3 (Hulin) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Mechanicsville, N. Y.:—

- 227. i. Arthur Willis, b. July 10, 1887; d. Jan. 1, 1889.
- +228. ii. Lydia Melissa, b. Mch. 31, 1890; m. *Dana B. Hanks*.
- 229. iii. Maybelle Marion, b. Feb. —, 1897; d. Feb. —, 1897.

Authority: Letters from Chas. E. Velsey—No. 136, this record.

135. MABEL CLARA VELSEY, the daughter of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; granddaughter of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. May 22, 1870, Lansingburg, N. Y.; living (1925) in Mechanicsville, N. Y.; m. Dec. 15, 1887, in Watervliet, N. Y., *Charles H. Bassett*, who was b. Sept. 25, 1866, Watervliet, N. Y., and d. Mch. 5, 1920, Mechanicsville, N. Y., the son of John and Julia (Downing) Bassett of Watervliet, N. Y.

Mrs. Mabel C. (Velsey) Bassett was brought up in Watervliet, N. Y. She has also lived in Troy and Hudson Falls, N. Y. She is a Baptist.

Children: 3 (Bassett) 2 sons and 1 daughter, all b. in Mechanicsville, N. Y.:—

- 230. i. Ethel, b. Aug. 20, 1889; d. Oct. 6, 1889.
- +231. ii. Frederick M., b. Sept. 12, 1890; m. *Lila Vance*.
- 232. iii. Lewis Gordon, b. Sept. 22, 1902; living (1925) in Troy, N. Y.; m. Aug. 16, 1924, in Easton, N. Y., *Katherine Estella Buckley*, who was b. Aug. 28, 1904, in Valley Falls, N. Y., the daughter of Allen and Adella (Gifford) Buckley. He graduated June, 1923, from the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N. Y., with the degree of Chemical Engineer, and has since been an Assistant Instructor in mathematics in that Institute. He was a member of the honorary society of Sigma Xi.

Authority: Letters from Chas. E. Velsey—No. 136, this record.

136. CHARLES EDGAR VELSEY, the son of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; grandson of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Nov. 18, 1872, Upper Troy (Lansingburg), N. Y.; living (1925) at 83 Oakdene St., Grantwood, N. J.; m. Dec. 18, 1894, at Mechanicsville, N. Y., *Evelyn Francisco*, who was b. Nov. 16, 1872, Troy, N. Y., the daughter of Charles H. and Annette (Hill) Francisco.

He was educated at the Mechanicsville Academy; and his business is that of an Accountant. A Baptist; Republican; member of the Andawa Lodge No. 820, F. & A. M. of Mechanicsville, N. Y. He is (1923) President of the Board of Education in Grantwood, N. J. During the years 1900 to 1905 he belonged to the New Jersey National Guard; and during the World War was in the Federal Service at Fort Myer, Va., in 1917, and in the New York National Guard in 1918-1919. He has formerly lived in Mechanicsville, N. Y.; North Adams, Mass., and Weehawken, N. Y.

Children: 1 (Velsey) 1 son:—

233. i. Raymond DeWitt, b. April 9, 1896, in Mechanicsville, N. Y. Living (1925) with his father in Grantwood, N. J. He entered Cornell University in the fall of 1916, but the World War coming on he enlisted in the U. S. Navy May 16, 1917, and served as Seaman and Quartermaster aboard the U. S. Canandaigua with the U. S. Expeditionary Forces in foreign waters, until honorably discharged in May, 1921. Thereafter he returned to Cornell. He is member of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity.

142. KATE LAPHAM SILL, the daughter of Seth R. and Mary P. (Lapham) Sill (No. 72); granddaughter of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ F. (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. Dec. 12, 1865, Rochester, N. Y.; living (1925) at 56 So. Washington St., Rochester, N. Y.; m. Jan. 15, 1889, in Rochester, *Charles Gilbert Brady*, who d. May 24, 1905, the son of Gilbert and Margaret (Robb) Brady of Rochester. Educated at the Rochester Free Academy; Presbyterian; Republican; and member of the Century Club of Rochester.

Children: 2 (Brady) 1 son and 1 daughter:—

234. i. Margaret Lapham, b. Oct. 7, 1889, in Albion, N. Y.; living (1925) at 56 So. Washington St., Rochester, N. Y.
235. ii. Seth Gilbert, b. Apr. 10, 1892, in Rochester, N. Y.; living (1925) at 42 Park Ave., N. Y. City. Educated in Rochester Public Schools. Presbyterian; Republican. During World War was connected with the Draft Board at the Adjutant General's headquarters in Albany, N. Y.

Authorities: Letters from Miss Harriet R. Sill (No. 77), this record, and Miss Margaret L. Brady—(No. 234), this record.

143. LOUISE REYNOLDS SILL, the daughter of Seth R. and Mary P. (Lapham) Sill (No. 72); granddaughter of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ F. (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. July 12, —?, Rochester, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 160 Rutgers St., Rochester, N. Y.; m. Jan. 26, 1893 in Rochester, *William Warren Steele*, who was b. Jan. 10, 1868, Pittsford, N. Y., the son of Cassius and Affie Louise (Stone) Steele of Rochester, N. Y. In the Rochester City Directory, Mr. Steele is described as "Sup't. of 'The Bradstreet Co.' and Vice Pres. of the 'C-Saw Shoe Co.'"

Children: 3 (Steele) 3 sons, all b. in Rochester, N. Y.:—

236. i. Warren Sill, b. June 19, 1895; living in 1925 at 703 West Ferry St., Buffalo, N. Y.; m. May 12, 1924, in New York City, *Elizabeth Smith*, who was b. about 1895-6 in Woodstock, Vt., the daughter of Elton and Mary E. (O'Byrne) Smith. She lived at the time of her marriage at 130 E. 51st St., N. Y. City. He studied at Cornell University and also University of Wisconsin. Member of Chi Psi Fraternity.

In 1925 General Sales Manager for Standard Cement Co.

World War Record: 1st Lieut., 312 Infantry, 78th Division. Served from May, 1917, until June, 1920. In U. S. at Madison Barracks and Camp Dix. Overseas in France one year; active service in Argonne, St. Mihiel, etc. Gassed.

237. ii. Edward Lapham, b. Feb. 6, 1904; residing, 1925, with his parents; attended University of Virginia, member of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity.
238. iii. William Reynolds, b. June 23, 1906; residing, 1925, with his parents; attended Amherst College, member of Chi Psi Fraternity.

143. FLORENCE MARY NICHOLS, the daughter of Edwin M. and Helen E. (Sill-No. 78) Nichols; granddaughter of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ Finn (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. Apr. 14, 1882, Java Village, N. Y.; living in 1925 in Wales Center, Erie Co., N. Y.; m. May 24, 1899, in Wales, N. Y., *Frank Hull Smith*, contractor and builder, who was b. Apr. 22, 1874, Wales Center, N. Y., the son of Frank N. and Susan (Simmens) Smith. She attended the East Aurora High School; a Baptist; Republican; and has also lived in Strykersville and East Aurora, N. Y.

Children: 4 (Smith) 2 sons and 2 daughters:—

- +239. i. Arlene Helen, b. May 23, 1901, in Wales, N. Y.; m. *Roy Dayton Carr*.
- +240. ii. Frank Ellsworth, b. July 21, 1902, in Wales, N. Y.; m. *Mary Thompson*.
241. iii. Beatrice Susan, b. June 23, 1910, in Strykersville, N. Y.
242. iv. Howard James, b. Dec. 17, 1918, in Strykersville, N. Y.

149. HARRIET S. NICHOLS, the daughter of Edwin M. and Helen E. (Sill-No. 78) Nichols; granddaughter of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ F. (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. Mch. 14, 1885, Arcade,

Wyoming Co., N. Y.; living in 1925 in Freeville, Tompkins Co., N. Y.; m. Feb. 4, 1909, *Samuel J. Davis*, who was b. Jan. 3, 1874, the son of Samuel and Zoetta (Thurston) Davis.

Children: 3 (Davis) 3 sons, all b. in Litchfield, Conn.:—

- 243. i. Thomas E., b. Sept. 4, 1910.
- 244. ii. Samuel N., b. July 12, 1912.
- 245. iii. John T., b. Feb. 3, 1914.

150. CHARLES EDWIN NICHOLS, the son of Edwin M. and Helen E. (Sill-No. 78) Nichols, grandson of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ F. (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. Nov. 10, 1888, Wales, Erie Co., N. Y.; living in 1925 in Mt. Vernon, Wash.; where he m. Nov. 18, 1916, *Hazel Gorton*, who was b. in 1886, the daughter of E. P. and Edith Gorton of that place.

Children: 3 (Nichols) 3 daughters, all b. in Mt. Vernon, Wash.:—

- 246. i. Helen A., b. Nov. 12, 1917.
- 247. ii. Charlotte, b. May 6, 1920.
- 247A. iii. Ileen Yoma, b. Jan. 22, 1925.

Authorities: Letters from Miss Harriet R. Sill (No. 77), and Mrs. Frank H. Smith (No. 148), this record.

151. ALENA MERCY THOMPSON, the daughter of Samuel L. and Susan C. (Lawrence-No. 82) Thompson; granddaughter of Harlow and Mercy⁷ W. (Reynolds-No. 16) Lawrence, b. Dec. 9, 1871, Northumberland, Saratoga Co., N. Y.; d. April 25, 1912, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Dec. 12, 1895, *Daniel Griffin*, who was b. Jan. 26, 1864, the son of Orville and Amanda (Brayton) Griffin of Hudson Falls, N. Y. He later m. (2) Jan. 28, 1919, in Schuylerville, N. Y., *Grace A. Thompson*, the daughter of Sidney Berry and Ethelinda A. (Winney) Thompson of Schuylerville. Mr. Griffin is the President of the Griffin Lumber Co. in Hudson Falls, and he and his family reside in 1925 at 114 Main St., Hudson Falls, N. Y. Alena (Thompson) Griffin's children have two separate lines of descent from this Reynolds family through her parents as explained in the text under Susan (Lawrence-No. 82) Thompson.

Children: 5 (Griffin) 2 sons and 3 daughters, all b. in Hudson Falls, N. Y.:—

- 248. i. Orville Thompson, b. Dec. 2, 1901; Dartmouth College, 1923; now employed in his father's business, The Griffin Lumber Co.
- 249. ii. Susan Katherine, b. Oct. 13, 1903; Wellesley College, 1924.

- 250. iii. Amelia Ann, b. Oct. 4, 1905; now attending Miss Niel's Kindergarten Training School, in Boston, Mass., will graduate in June, 1926.
- 251. iv. Lawrence Brayton, b. Sept. 3, 1908; when through high school will go into the Griffin Lumber Co.
- 252. v. Mary Alena, b. July 27, 1910; now attending Hudson Falls High Schools. Expects to go to Wellesley College.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Susan L. Thompson—No. 82, this record.

152. HENRY⁹ SUYDAM REYNOLDS, the son of Edgar⁸ L. and Alice L. (Burdett) Reynolds (No. 85), b. Aug. 31, 1881, in the Albany Apartments at the southwest corner of Broadway and 52nd St., New York City; permanent address The Union League Club, 1 East 39th St., N. Y. City; m. May 22, 1909, in New York City, *Ilse Georgine Heinmüller*, who was b. Oct. 17, 1885, at 222 East 32nd St., N. Y. City, the daughter of Dr. Robert John and Amalie (Neuman) Heinmüller.

He was educated at The Cutler School in N. Y. City; Yale University 1902 Academic, and Columbia Law School, 1905. Admitted to the N. Y. Bar March 1, 1905. Practised law several years with the firm of Shephard & Houghton in N. Y. City, and a partner for the last two years thereof. Has not been in any active business since 1919. During the World War served in a civilian capacity with the Military Intelligence at Headquarters, Department of the East, on Governor's Island, N. Y. Member of Union League Club and Yale Club in N. Y. City; also member of Society of Colonial Wars; Sons of the Revolution; St. Nicholas Society; N. Y. Historical Society; N. Y. State Historical Association; *Reynolds Family Association*, and the N. Y. Genealogical & Biographical Society. He always resided in N. Y. City except when abroad or at summer residence near Patterson, Putnam Co., N. Y. He is the Compiler of this branch of the *James of Kingstown Line*.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 son:—

- 253. i. Henry¹⁰ Suydam, b. Aug. 15, 1910; d. Dec. 4, 1910, in N. Y. City.

154. ALFRED MILLER WHITE, the son of Robert E. and Nettie F. (Miller-No. 86) White; grandson of Alfred A. and Sarah⁷ C. (Reynolds-No. 21) Miller, b. Sept. 3, 1883, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 2027 Holland Ave., Utica, N. Y.; m. Sept. 10, 1900, in Hillview, N. Y., *Edith Madeline Frake*, who was b. Nov. 5, 1883, in Brooklyn, N. Y., the daughter of Chas.

Augustus and Ella Marie (Gaunt) Frake of Hudson Falls, N. Y. He is a manufacturing pharmacist; Presbyterian; Democrat; and a Mason. Has also lived in Hudson Falls, and New York City.

Children: 2 (White) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Hudson Falls:—

- 254. i. Charles Gerald, b. July 27, 1901; living in 1925 at 44 W. 126th St., N. Y. City. He is a Store Manager with the F. W. Woolworth Co.
- 255. ii. Helen Annette, b. July 17, 1904; living with her parents.

155. HARRIET ELIZA SCHERMERHORN, the daughter of John C. and Julia Maria (Austin-No. 89) Schermerhorn; granddaughter of Jonathan and Maria⁷ (Reynolds-No. 25) Austin, b. Feb. 24, 1857 in the Austin homestead at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 7 Mechanic St., Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Aug. 10, 1881, *George Alfred Ferris*, who was b. Mch. 26, 1856, the son of Lyman Rich and Minerva A. (Miller) Ferris of Hudson Falls, N. Y. He has been associated for a number of years with Allen Bros. Co. of Hudson Falls; also between 1886 and 1894 managed the hotel known as Horicon Lodge at Ripley's Point, Lake George; widely known as a fraternity man and prominent in Masonic circles; on the Hudson Falls School Board; and for many years President of the Board of Trustees of the Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Ferris have always lived in Hudson Falls. She is a member of the D. A. R. through the Austin family. Her interest in the family genealogy and active co-operation has been a great help to the compiler of this record.

Children: 2 (Ferris) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Hudson Falls, N. Y.

- +256. i. Evelyn Marguerite, b. July 23, 1882; m. *Frank H. Cronkhite*.
- +257. ii. George Schermerhorn, b. Mch. 22, 1890; m. *Inez Webster Hoyt*.

Authority: "History of Washington Co., N. Y.," by Wm. L. Stone (1901), p. 237.

159. FLORENCE SIMMONS, the daughter of Daniel and Catherine C. (Austin-No. 92) Simmons; granddaughter of DeWitt C. and Maria⁷ (Reynolds-No. 25) Austin, b. Oct. 1, 1860, Cohoes, N. Y.; permanent address in 1925 at 3218 No. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis, Ind.; m. Mch. 21, 1889, in Indianapolis, *Archibald McGinnis*, who was b. Aug. 10, 1841, in Fairfield Dist., South Carolina and d. Dec. 2, 1920 in Indianapolis, the son of Archibald and Elizabeth (Dunceith) McGinnis of Bloomington, Ind.

She is a member of The Effingham (Illinois) Chapter of the D. A. R.; a Presbyterian; and has previously lived in Washington, D. C., Detroit, Effingham, Ill., Paris, Ill., and Chicago.

Children: 3 (McGinnis) 2 sons and 1 daughter:—

- +258. i. Archibald, Jr., b. May 30, 1890, in Indianapolis; m. *Alice Sullivan*.
- 259. ii. Knefler, b. July 21, 1892, in Indianapolis; graduated from U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., in 1916, and is now (1925) a Lieutenant in the U. S. Navy on board the "U. S. S. Wright" in the Atlantic Fleet. Permanent address: The Army & Navy Club, Washington, D. C. He is also a member of St. Nicholas Club in N. Y. City.
- 260. iii. Ruth, b. Jan. 1, 1895, in Chicago, Ill.; living in 1925 at 1142 So. Michigan B'lv'd., Chicago; m. Oct. 14, 1922, in Indianapolis, *Willis DhuAine Peaslee*, who was b. June 19, 1887, in Grass Valley, Calif., the son of Willis Edwin and Maude Mansfield (Smith) Peaslee of that place.

164. RUFUS CORNELIUS JONES, the son of Pomeroy E. and Luthena M. (Gallup-No. 96) Jones; grandson of Rufus B. and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds-No. 27) Gallup, b. Aug. 5, 1860, near Auburn, DeKalb Co., Ind.; living in 1925 at Miami, Oklahoma; m. Jan. 10, 1883, in Kendallville, Ind., *Minnie L. Childs*, who was b. Jan. 6, 1864 and d. Oct. 30, 1923, the daughter of James N. and Mahala L. (Whitford) Childs of Noble County, Ind.

After a common and normal school education, he was employed eighteen years with the B. & O. R. R. at Garrett; later was General Manager of The St. Joseph Valley Ry. Co.; then several years with The Electric Short Line Ry. Co. while living in Minneapolis, Minn.; and in 1925, Auditor for the Northeast Oklahoma R.R. Co. at Miami, Okla. A member and Past Master of Kendallville Lodge No. 267, F. & A. M. and Past Captain General and Past Commander of Apollo Commandery No. 19 Knights Templar at Kendallville, Ind.

Children: 2 (Jones) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Kendallville, Ind.:—

- 261. i. Roy Childs, b. June 22, 1885; living in 1925 at 101 Blaisdell Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

Graduate of Garrett High School, and of the University of Penn., 1908. Now Professor of Design in University of Minnesota; and associated as a practising architect with the firm of Toltz, King, and Day in St. Paul, Minn.

World War Record:—Enlisted Oct. 5, 1917, in Camouflage Section of 40th Engineers, U. S. Army. Sailed for France and commissioned 2nd Lieut. Engineers Jan. 3, 1918. While in France, served on Staff of C. O. Camouflage Section of 40th Engineers in 4th Army Corps. Returned to U. S., landing Jan. 30, 1919. Discharged Feb. 17, 1919.

+262. ii. Elta A., b. Jan. 8, 1887; m. *Walter Funk*.

Authority: Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record.

165. JOHN AUSTIN JONES, the son of Pomeroy E. and Luthena M. (Gallup-No. 96) Jones; grandson of Rufus B. and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds-No. 27) Gallup, b. Nov. 27, 1862, near Kendallville, Noble Co., Ind.; living in 1925 in Kendallville, Ind.; m. Sept. 22, 1886, in Kendallville, *Celia Elta Hall*, who was b. July 13, 1866, the daughter of Wm. B. and Esther C. (Jay) Hall of Kendallville.

He received a common school education. While a young man he was employed with his father in the Saw and Tile Mill. In April, 1887, he entered the Insurance Office of his father-in-law, Wm. B. Hall, in Kendallville, and has been in insurance ever since; now with his son as partner under the firm name of J. A. & R. H. Jones, "The Insurance Men". Past Master of Kendallville Lodge No. 276, F. & A.M.; Past Captain General, Past Commander and present Recorder of Apollo Commandery No. 19 K.T.; member of The Knights of Pythias Order, and for last twenty years Commander of the 2nd and 9th Regiments, Military Dept., K. of P., rank of Colonel. Also served on the Staff of the Major General for four years. During the World War he was Captain of Provincial Co. No. 84 Indiana, known as The Indiana Liberty Guards.

Children: 1 (Jones) 1 son:—

+263. i. Ronald Hall, b. July 5, 1894, at Kendallville, Ind.; m. *Ursula J. DeVault*.

168. NELLIE GERTRUDE WRIGHT, the daughter of Jas. W. and Mary A. (Gallup-No. 98) Wright; granddaughter of Rufus B. and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds-No. 27) Gallup, b. April 1, 1879, near Kendallville, Ind.; living, 1925, in Kendallville; m. Jan. 16, 1901, *Claude Thomas*, who was b. Mch. 21, 1877. She and her husband have previously resided at Louisville, Ky., and at Avilla, Ind.

Children: 1 (Thomas) 1 daughter:—

264. i. Berneda Laurene, b. Mch. 24, 1904, in Louisville, Ky.; now living with her parents in Kendallville, Ind.

Authority: Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record.

169. JOHN HERBERT SPROTT, the son of DeWitt C. and Frances^s L. (Reynolds-No. 99) Sprott, b. Nov. 16, 1858, near Wilton in Moreau, N. Y.; d. Aug. 20, 1909, in the same place and buried in the Griswood Cemetery, Moreau, N. Y.; m. in 1885, at Gansevoort, N. Y., *Emma L. Bloomingdale*, who was b. Nov. 13, 1849, Troy, N. Y., the daughter of John P. and Betty (Ellison) Bloomingdale of Green Spring, N. Y. He attended the Moreau Pond School. Methodist; Democrat.

Children: 1 (Sprott) 1 son:—

265. i. Harry John, b. Sept. 24, 1886, Bacon Hill, Northumberland, N. Y.; living (1925) in Glens Falls, N. Y.; m. Oct. 24, 1916, in Glens Falls, N. Y., *Julia Linchan*, who was b. Nov. 10, 1886, the daughter of Patrick D. and Mary E. (Danahy) Linehan of that place. Went to the Moreau Pond School like his father. Methodist; Democrat. Engineer with the Glens Falls Portland Cement Co.

172. MYRON SPROTT, the son of DeWitt C. and Frances^s L. (Reynolds-No. 99) Sprott, b. Oct. 18, 1862, near Wilton, in Moreau, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 34 Delaware Ave., Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Oct. 30, 1884 in West Galway, Saratoga Co., N. Y., *Carrie L. Lane*, who was b. Oct. 7, 1863, the daughter of Wm. H. and Helen (McNeil) Lane of Middle Grove, Saratoga Co., N. Y. He is a Caretaker; Democrat; an I. O. O. F. and an Elk.

Children: 2 (Sprott) 1 son and 1 daughter:—

- +266. i. William DeWitt, b. Aug. 26, 1885, at Ft. Edward, N. Y.; m. *Flora Ellsworth*.
267. ii. Edith, b. April 1, 1891, in Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

176. BERTHA⁹ OLIVIA REYNOLDS, the daughter of George^s Potter and Eliza B. (Doane) Reynolds (No. 104), b. Aug. 16, 1880, in Portville, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 46 Essex St., Buffalo, N. Y.; m. Aug. 20, 1903, at Coudersport, Pa., *Edward Hanlon Cooley*, who was b. June 22, 1879, at Rochester, N. Y., the son of John Henry and Lilla (Bird) Cooley of Bath, N. Y.

She is a Presbyterian; and a Democrat; and previously lived

at Portville, N. Y., Coudersport, Pa., and Hornell, N. Y. She has the Family Bible of George^r Potter Reynolds (No. 28, this record).

Children: 3 (Cooley) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. at Coudersport, Pa.

- 268. i. Janice Lillian, b. June 14, 1904; living with her parents in 1925.
- 269. ii. Harriet Reynolds, b. Sept. 24, 1905; d. Nov. 28, 1922, in Buffalo, N. Y.
- 270. iii. Edward Hanlon, Jr., b. April 11, 1907; living with his parents in 1925.

179. HENRY RUFUS BURNHAM, the son of John Henry and Velma (Kessler) Burnham (No. 107); grandson of Geo. B. and Elizabeth^r (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. April 8, 1875, Mulberry, Barton Co., Mo.; living in 1925 on R. F. D. 3, Truman, Minn.; m. Feb., 1901, at Hastings, Neb., *Lora Pearson*, who was b. July 15, 1880, in Hastings, Neb., the daughter of Fletcher and Annie Pearson of that place. He is a Farmer; Methodist; and Republican. Has previously lived in Hastings, Neb., Sedgwick, Colo., St. James and Triumph, Minn.

Children: 6 (Burnham) 3 sons and 3 daughters, all b. in Hastings, Neb., except Harold:—

- +271. i. Anna Velma, b. Oct. 11, 1902; m. *Claude E. Mays*.
- 272. ii. Nelson B., b. Feb. 28, 1904.
- 273. iii. Florence M., b. Jan. 1, 1907.
- 274. iv. Raymond, b. Oct. 30, 1908.
- 275. v. Harold, b. Sept. 4, 1910, in Sedgwick, Colo.
- 276. vi. Marjorie, b. Dec. 2, 1914.

181. LOTTIE VELMA BURNHAM, the daughter of John Henry and Velma (Kessler) Burnham (No. 107); granddaughter of Geo. B. and Elizabeth^r (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. Oct. 10, 1878, Mulberry, Barton Co., Mo.; living in 1925 at 3423 Charlotte St., Kansas City, Mo.; m. Dec. 22, 1896, at Butler, Mo., *James G. Fleenor* of Amsterdam, Mo., who was b. Dec. 5, 1871, in Mulberry, Mo., the son of Thomas B. and Catherine (Dole) Fleenor. He is a builder; a Methodist and a Republican.

Children: 5 (Fleenor) 3 sons and 2 daughters, the first two b. in Amsterdam, Mo., and the last three b. at 2728 Holmes St., Kansas City, Mo.

- 277. i. Frank Raymond, b. Jan. 17, 1898; d. Nov. 3, 1917 in Kansas City, Mo.
- 278. ii. Lee Otho, b. Aug. 16, 1901; d. Feb. 27, 1903.

- 279. iii. Velma Katherine, b. May 27, 1907.
- 280. iv. Jessie Clare, b. May 28, 1911.
- 281. v. James Frederick, b. July 20, 1913.

183. TRESSIE HAZEL BURNHAM, the daughter of J. Henry and Velma (Kessler) Burnham (No. 107); granddaughter of Geo. B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. Feb. 19, 1886, Mulberry, Mo.; living in 1925 at 3018 Holmes St., Kansas City, Mo.; m. Oct. 12, 1910, at Amsterdam, Mo., *James A. Strait*, mechanic of Amoret, Mo., where he was b. May —, 1884, the son of James and Ann (Allman) Strait.

Children: 1 (Strait) 1 daughter:—

- 282. i. Lillian Agda, b. May 18, 1924, in Kansas City, Mo.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. James G. Fleenor—No. 181, this record.

184. WILLIAM PITT KELLOG BURNHAM, the son of John Henry and Velma (Kessler) Burnham (No. 107); grandson of Geo. B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. July 4, 1891, Mulberry, Barton Co., Mo.; living in 1923 at 140 E. Park Place, Oklahoma City, Okla.; m. July 7, 1920, at Kansas City, Mo., *Myrtle Ransdell*, who was b. Sept. 26, 1896, in Paris, Mo., the daughter of Shelton and Annie E. (Tyson) Ransdell of that place. He attended the Trade School at Amoret, Mo. Did farm work until he was 21; then an R.R. clerk for 2 years and a salesman 4 years. After one year in U. S. Army, from which he was discharged as Corporal, he became a Life Insurance Agent which has been his occupation to date. He is a Methodist; Independent with Republican leanings in politics; and a member of Amity Lodge 473, A. F. A. M. and the Amer. Central Life, Quarter Million Club. He has previously lived in Amoret, Mo., Amsterdam, Mo., and Kansas City, Mo.

Children: 1 (Burnham) 1 daughter:—

- 283. i. Lois Lucerne, b. Mch. 9, 1921, in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Authority: Letters from Wm. P. K. Burnham—No. 184, this record.

185. MARK REYNOLDS BURNHAM, the son of John Henry and Velma (Kessler) Burnham (No. 107); grandson of Geo. B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. May 12, 1893, Mulberry, Barton Co., Mo.; living in 1923 at 1119 No. Walnut St., Oklahoma City, Okla.; m. Sept. 30, 1914, at Adrian, Mo., *Lela Rexroad*, who was b. May 7, 1896, at Adrian, Mo., the daughter of Perry N. and Lydia C. (Lamb) Rexroad of that

place. He received his education in Mulberry, Amoret, and Amsterdam, Mo. Farmed until 18 years of age; then clerked for 4 years since when he has been in the Life Insurance Business. He is a Baptist; and Republican 'but votes for the best man'. He is member of \$100,000 and the Quarter Million Life Ins. Clubs. Previously lived in Amoret and Amsterdam, Mo., and in Kansas City, Kansas and Mo.

Children: 1 (Burnham) 1 daughter:—

284. i. Dixie Dene, b. May 17, 1922, in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Authority: Letters from Wm. P. K. Burnham—No. 184, this record.

188. FRED THOMAS BURNHAM, the son of Geo. R. and Elizabeth (Burnet) Burnham (No. 108); grandson of Geo. B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. Sept. 29, 1868, Glens Falls, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 100 Saratoga Ave., So. Glens Falls, N. Y.; m. Oct. 10, 1899, at So. Glens Falls, *Louise Baker*, who was b. Jan. 31, 1877, in Wilton, N. Y., the daughter of Robert and Maria E. (Washburn) Baker of So. Glens Falls. Educated at the Glens Falls Academy. A Methodist; Republican; and Mason. A mechanic, and an electrical and stationary engineer. In 1918, with his brother-in-law George Baker who was to be Foreman, he went to Afghanistan to help run a Hydro-Electric Plant which had been built there for the late Amir Habibullah Khan who was assassinated on Feb. 20, 1919. The other men who were expected, however, did not arrive having been drafted for the war, and the plant was run by "the Boss" and these two for three weeks to try it out. As it proved to be satisfactory they then left for home, but before they got out of the country George Baker died from influenza and typhoid pneumonia. His body was brought to India and buried there. Fred Burnham finally reached home on Jan. 27, 1919, having been away just one year and one day.

Children: 1 (Burnham) 1 son:—

285. i. Kenneth Robert, b. Apr. 27, 1902, in So. Glens Falls; has been working at the Franklin Automobile Factory in Syracuse.

190. GERTRUDE MINNIE WILSON, the daughter of Arthur and Minnie E. (Burnham-No. 109) Wilson; granddaughter of Geo. B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. May 15, 1878, Kendallville, Ind.; living in 1925 at 623 W. Washington St., Ionia, Mich.; m. May 26, 1897 in Palo, Mich., *Ralph M. Cheney*, who was b. Sept. 17, 1875, Palo, Mich., the son of Daniel and

Emma (Raymond) Cheney of that place. She graduated from the Palo High School in 1894; a Methodist; Republican; and Past N. G. of Rebekah Lodge No. 100, Past Regent of Women of Mooseheart Legion, an officer in the White Shrine of Jerusalem, and an Eastern Star No. 35, Ionia, Mich. She previously lived in Palo, Mich.

Children: 4 (Cheney) 4 daughters, the first three b. in Palo, Mich.:—

286. i. Eleanor Gertrude, b. Dec. 12, 1898; living 1925 in Detroit.
287. ii. Mary Louisa, b. Feb. 14, 1900; m. Feb. 21, 1925, in Ionia, Mich., at the home of her parents, *John G. Haas*, who was b. in Ill., the son of Jacob and Minnie (Schroder) Haas. His father was b. in Germany.
288. iii. Lucile Wilson, b. Jan. 21, 1901; living 1925 in Detroit, Mich.
289. iv. Irma Minnie, b. Oct. 7, 1903 in Ionia, Mich., and living there in 1925.

191. HARRISON⁹ SUDAM REYNOLDS, the son of George⁸ and Pauline Augusta (Sudam) Reynolds (No. 112), b. June 3, 1874, Kinderhook, N. Y.; living in 1923 in Anson, Me., R. F. D. 1, Box 109; m. Sept. 7, 1901, in Camden, N. J., *Mary V. Green*, who was b. Sept. 29, 1878, in Clarksboro, N. J., the daughter of John and Mary V. (Hughes) Green of that place. He is a farmer; Republican; of the Dutch Reformed Church; and was educated at the Kinderhook Academy in Kinderhook, N. Y., where he previously lived.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 daughter:—

290. i. Pauline¹⁰ Sudam, b. Jan. 5, 1914, in Madison, Me.

Authority: Letter from Harrison S. Reynolds—No. 191, this record.

192. JOHN⁹ HAZARD REYNOLDS, the son of George⁸ and Pauline A. (Sudam) Reynolds (No. 112), b. Oct. 15, 1875, Kinderhook, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 110 Grove Ave., Albany, N. Y.; m. May 18, 1903 in Valatie, N. Y., *Margaret Schermerhorn*, who was b. Mch. 25, 1883, the daughter of Henry and Margaret (Wilson) Schermerhorn of Valatie, N. Y. He is Sales Manager for the National Biscuit Co. at Albany, N. Y. Received his education at private schools and the Kinderhook Academy; an Episcopalian; Republican; and 32 Mason.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 son:—

291. i. John¹⁰ Suydam, b. Mch. 8, 1905, in Albany, N. Y.

Authority: Letter from Adger W. Reynolds—No. 194, this record.

194. ADGER⁹ WHITING REYNOLDS, the son of George⁸ and Pauline A. (Sudam) Reynolds (No. 112), b. July 6, 1882, Kinderhook, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 6 Shannon St., Schenectady, N. Y.; m. Aug. 30, 1916, at Philmont, N. Y., *Mary B. Stahl*, who was b. July 12, 1883, in Red Hook, N. Y., the daughter of Harvey G. and Sara J. (Nash) Stahl of Philmont, N. Y. He attended the Kinderhook Academy; Albany Business College; is now a mechanic with the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, N. Y.; Protestant; Republican; a member of the "Elks Club," and the Charles W. Mead Lodge No. 862, F. & A.M., Schenectady, N. Y. He has previously lived in Kinderhook, N. Y., where he was Town Clerk, and in Colonie, N. Y., where he was the Village Clerk.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 son:—

292. i. Charles¹⁰ Whiting, b. Jan. 28, 1921, in Albany, N. Y.

197. FRANCIS⁹ BRADLEY REYNOLDS, the son of James⁸ Adger and Kate (Bradley) Reynolds (No. 114), b. June 11, 1882, Kinderhook, N. Y.; living in 1925 in Bronxville, N. Y.; m. June 6, 1907, at the Cathedral of St. John The Divine in N. Y. City, *Helen Cushing Perry*, who was b. Aug. 10, 1882, in Chicago, Ill., the daughter of Frederick Barr and Belle (Porter) Perry. He attended the Sedgwick School at Gt. Barrington, Mass., 1896-1900, and graduated from the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, N. Y., in the class of 1904 with the degree of Civil Engineer. After two years with the N. Y. Central R.R. Co. in Grand Central Terminal work, he became associated with The Columbia Mills, Inc., 225 Fifth Ave., N. Y. City, of which corporation he is now (1925) Treasurer. He is a Republican; of the Dutch Reformed Church; and has previously lived in Kinderhook, N. Y., Chicago, Ill., and Minetto, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Reynolds) 2 sons:—

293. i. James¹⁰ Adger, b. June 4, 1908, in Chicago, Ill.

294. ii. Frederick¹⁰ Perry, b. Apr. 20, 1915, in N. Y. City.

198. FRANKLIN TOWNSEND, the son of Dr. Franklin and Margaret W. (Reynolds-No. 115) Townsend, b. Dec. 22, 1879, Albany, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 204 Lark St., Albany, N. Y.; m. April 22, 1903, *Jane Lansing Pruyn*, the daughter of Charles L. and Elizabeth (McClintock) Pruyn of Albany. Her mother before marriage lived in Chillicothe, Ohio. He attended Albany Academy, St. Mark's School; and graduated from Williams in 1904. A member of the Fort Orange Club, the University Club, and Albany Country Club. He is head of the Townsend Fur-

nace and Machine Shop Co., being the fourth of his family in direct descent in the business.

Children: 2 (Townsend) 2 sons:—

295. i. Franklin, Jr., b. Feb. 20, 1904; living in 1925 at 204 Lark St., Albany, N. Y. Associated with his father in the Townsend Furnace and Machine Shop Co.
296. ii. Charles Lansing, b. Jan. 25, 1907.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Franklin Townsend, Sr.—No. 115, this record.



MARY¹⁰ LEONORE REYNOLDS, NO. 297
The Youngest Reynolds of Reynolds Corners

203. AUSTIN⁹ LEONARD REYNOLDS, JR., the son of Austin⁸ L. and Marilla E. (Simpson) Reynolds (No. 119), the third of

the name, b. July 2, 1901, in the Homestead at Reynolds Corners, Moreau, N. Y.; m. June 2, 1923, at Clarks Corners, Moreau, N. Y., *Minnie Leonore Miller*, who was b. July 17, 1905, the daughter of Yates D. and Anna Miller of that place. He has always lived at Reynolds Corners, and now (1925) resides in the small house to the west of the homestead, which was moved from its previous site nearer the Corners several years ago. This was the house which used to contain the store and may have been the original house erected on the spot by Col. John⁶ Reynolds. After its removal down the road it was occupied by Austin⁹ L.'s sister, Mrs. Jackson (No. 202) until he married and went to live there with his bride. He is working the homestead farm with his father, which it has been stated was deeded to Austin⁹ L. and his brother George⁹ L. by their grandfather subject to a life estate in their father's favor.

Children: 1 (Reynolds) 1 daughter:—

297. i. Mary¹⁰ Leonore, b. June 2, 1924.

Authority: Letters from Austin L. Reynolds—No. 119, this record.

205. BERNICE LOUISE WILLIAMS, the daughter of Geo. L. and Mary⁸ E. (Reynolds-No. 121) Williams, b. Nov. 3, 1890, Moreau, N. Y.; living (1925) on Brewster Road, Hartsdale, N. Y.; m. (1) Oct. 5, 1910, at Ft. Edward, N. Y., *Walter Robert Siebrecht*, who was b. Sept. 28, 1890 and d. Oct. 19, 1918, the son of Henry and Emma (Reid) Siebrecht of New Rochelle, N. Y.; m. (2) Nov. 9, 1918, at Chattanooga, Tenn., *Dr. Lawrence Barnett*, a dentist of N. Y. City, who was b. Dec. 3, 1893, in New Orleans, La., the son of Isaac L. and Emma Barnett.

Children: Of her first marriage to W. R. Siebrecht—2 (Siebrecht) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in N. Y. City:—

298. i. Marjorie Bernice, b. Feb. 7, 1912.

299. ii. Walter Robert, b. Aug. 18, 1915.

Of her second marriage to Dr. Lawrence Barnett—1 (Barnett) 1 son:—

300. iii. Lawrence, b. Sept. 30, 1920, in N. Y. City.

206. GLADYS MILDRED WILLIAMS, the daughter of Geo. L. and Mary⁸ E. (Reynolds-No. 121) Williams, b. Aug. 1, 1892, Albany, N. Y.; living in 1925 at Rochester, N. Y.; m. (1) Apr. 21, 1914, at Glens Falls, N. Y., *John Edwin Finch*, who was b. in 1878, the son of Oscar and Ida (Bush) Finch of Glens Falls, N. Y., and from whom she was divorced Apr. 24, 1923; m. (2) in the fall of 1923, at Rochester, N. Y., *Silsbe Potter Hart*, of

Rochester, N. Y., the son of Howard and Elinor (Silsbe) Hart of that place.

Children: Of her first marriage to John Edwin Finch—3 (Finch) 1 son and 2 daughters, all b. in Glens Falls, N. Y.:—

301. i. John Edwin, b. Mch. 14, 1915.

302. ii. Mary Reynolds, b. Sept. 8, 1916.

303. iii. Jane, b. Jan. —, 1919; d. Apr. —, 1920.

Of her second marriage to Silsbe P. Hart—1 (Hart) 1 daughter:—

304. iv. Elinor Silsbe, b. July 23, 1925, in Rochester, N. Y.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Barnett—No. 205, this record.

207. AUSTIN REYNOLDS WILLIAMS, the son of Geo. L. and Mary* E. (Reynolds-No. 121) Williams, b. Feb. 13, 1897, So. Glens Falls, N. Y.; living in 1925 in Flushing, N. Y.; m. Mch., 1919, *Jennie Loscau*, of Fort Edward, N. Y., who was b. in 1903, the daughter of David and Mary (Reynolds) Loseau of that place. He was educated at the Phillips Exeter Academy. Has lived until recently at So. Glens Falls, N. Y., but is now (1925) in Flushing, N. Y., in a real estate development business with his father.

Children: 2 (Williams) 2 sons, both b. in So. Glens Falls, N. Y.:—

305. i. James Shannon, b. Mch. 31, 1921.

306. ii. George Austin, b. Jan. 16, 1923.

Authority: Letters from Mrs. Barnett—No. 205, this record.

210. JAMES REYNOLDS WAIT (J. Reynolds Wait), the son of Horace R. and Nellie* B. (Reynolds-No. 122) Wait, b. May 21, 1882, Whitehall, N. Y.; living in 1925 in Auburn, N. Y.; m. June 18, 1918, *Mary Kyle Van Sickle*, who was b. Aug. 3, 1896, the daughter of John and Katherine (McIntosh) Van Sickle late of Auburn, N. Y. He graduated from the Auburn High School in 1899, and Yale University in 1903. Now Managing Partner of "The H. R. Wait Co." (partners Mrs. H. R. Wait, Mrs. Nellie Wait Bell, J. Reynolds Wait), a mercantile establishment of thirty-nine years standing operating several stores; also The Wait Farms, well-known breeders of fine Holstein cattle.

President of Retail Merchants Division, Auburn Chamber of Commerce; Vice-Pres. & Director of Auburn Chamber of Commerce; Pres. of Board of Trustee of 2nd Presbyterian Church; Pres. of Cayuga County Holstein Club; Vice Pres. & Director of Cayuga County Farm Bureau; Director and former Pres. of Auburn Y. M. C. A.; Trustee of Auburn City Hospital; Trustee

and Vice-Pres. of Cayuga Home for Children; Former Commissioner, Board of Education, City of Auburn; Formerly Director in Auburn Trust Co. and National Bank of Auburn. During World War was Chairman of War Garden Committee of Auburn; and Top Sergeant in Home Defense Reserves.

Children: 1 (Wait) 1 son:—

307. i. Horace Richard, 2nd, b. Oct. 11, 1919, in Auburn, N. Y.

Authority: Letter from J. Reynolds Wait—No. 210, this record.

211. NELLIE MARY WAIT, the daughter of Horace R. and Nellie⁸ B. (Reynolds-No. 122) Wait, b. June 25, 1887, Auburn, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 816 Washington Ave., Carnegie, Penn.; m. June 24, 1914, *John Arner Bell, Jr.*, who was b. Oct. 6, 1885, at Carnegie, Penn., the son of John A. and Mathilda R. (Foster) Bell of that place.

Children: 4 (Bell) 2 sons and 2 daughters, all b. in Carnegie, Penn.:—

308. i. Dorothy Wait, b. Oct. 24, 1915.
 309. ii. John Arner, Jr., b. Dec. 11, 1918.
 310. iii. Jean Wait, b. Mch. 11, 1922.
 311. iv. Reynolds Wait, b. July 27, 1923.

Authorities: Letters from Mrs. Geo. A. Ferris (No. 155), J. Reynolds Wait (No. 210), and Mrs. John A. Bell, Jr. (No. 211), this record.

213. GRACE FLORENCE SUMMERS, the daughter of Tabor R. and Florence M. (Reynolds) Summers (No. 124); granddaughter of John W. and Adeline⁷ L. (Reynolds-No. 34) Summers, b. Aug. 20, 1886, Cohoes, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 34 Riverside Ave., Baldwin, Long Island, N. Y.; m. Sept. 20, 1920, in Glens Falls, N. Y., *Richard William Helwig*, who was b. Mch. 15, 1885, in Brooklyn, N. Y., the son of Richard W. and Ida K. (Stehlin) Helwig.

Children: 1 (Helwig) 1 daughter:—

312. i. Jane Elizabeth, b. Jan. 21, 1922, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Authority: Letters from Miss Blanche A. Summers—No. 212, this record.

214. JOHN WILLIAM SUMMERS, the son of Tabor R. and Florence M. (Reynolds) Summers (No. 124); grandson of John W. and Adeline⁷ L. (Reynolds-No. 34) Summers, b. Jan. 29, 1891 Boston, Mass.; living in 1925 on Homestead Ave., Albany, N. Y.; m. June 26, 1922, in Glens Falls, N. Y., *Aileen Morrison*, who

was b. Jan. 14, 1892, in Hudson Falls, N. Y., the daughter of Edward P. and Ellen Mary Morrison.

He served in the World War as 1st Lieut. Machine Gun Co., 108th Inf. 27th Divis. Landed over-seas May 10, 1918, and returned to United States, Sept. 9, 1919, having received upon return of the 27th Divis. to the U. S. a transfer to the R.R. & C. Dept. of the A. E. F. He was engaged in the battles of the Somme Offensive, the Ypres-Lys Offensive, and the Defensive Sector. He had command of his company in the line for a period of time prior to the signing of the Armistice.

Children: 2 (Summers) 2 daughters:—

313. i. Rose Ellen, b. Aug. 9, 1923, in Glens Falls, N. Y.
314. ii. Aileen, b. Nov. 15, 1924, in Albany, N. Y.

Authority: Letters from Miss Blanche A. Summers—No. 212, this record.

TENTH GENERATION FROM JAMES¹ REYNOLDS

Sixth Generation of Reynolds Corners Family

215. MARGARET MACDOUGALL LEWIS, the daughter of Stephen V. and Sarah M. (Johnson) Lewis (No. 128); granddaughter of John B. and Margaret J. (Viele) Lewis (No. 49); great granddaughter of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds-No. 12) Lewis, b. Sept. 30, 1888, Cohoes, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 156 Second Ave., North Troy, N. Y.; m. June 15, 1915, in Troy, N. Y., *Henry Everett Holmes*. Previous to and since her marriage, she lived at 84 Bellaize Drive, Toronto, Canada.

Children: 2 (Holmes) 2 sons, both b. in Toronto, Canada:—

315. i. David Everett, b. Nov. 9, 1921.
316. ii. John MacDougall, b. Aug. 14, 1923.

Authority: Stephen V. Lewis—No. 128, this record.

216. WILLIAM JOHNSON LEWIS, the son of Stephen V. and Sarah M. (Johnson) Lewis (No. 128); grandson of John B. and Margaret J. (Viele) Lewis (No. 49); great grandson of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds-No. 12) Lewis, b. Aug. 24, 1891, Green Island, N. Y.; living in 1925 at No. 257 Sixth Ave., North Troy, N. Y.; m. Dec. 25, 1917 at Green Island, N. Y., *Madeleine Harp*.

Children: 2 (Lewis) 2 sons, both b. in Troy, N. Y.:—

317. i. William Johnson, Jr., b. Oct. 10, 1918.

318. ii. Stephen Viele 2nd, b. July 9, 1921.

Authority: Stephen V. Lewis—No. 128, this record.

219. MORGAN TAYLER LEWIS, the son of Morgan T. and Isabella (Bramhall) Lewis (No. 129); grandson of John and Margaret J. (Viele) Lewis (No. 49); gt. grandson of Morgan and Catherine⁷ (Reynolds-No. 12) Lewis, b. July 18, 1893, Cohoes, N. Y.; residing in 1925 at Round Lake, N. Y.; m. June 18, 1918, at Ballston Spa, N. Y., *Helen Thoma*, the daughter of Gustave W. and Grace (Philips) Thoma. He was formerly associated with the Albany office of Paine Webber & Co., brokers, of N. Y. City, but since 1923 has been with Estabrook & Co., bankers of N. Y. City. He is an Episcopalian.

Children: 1 (Lewis) 1 son:—

319. i. Morgan Tayler, Jr., b. May 28, 1924 at the Saratoga Hospital.

223. EUGENE WILLIAM OSTERHOUT, the son of Wm. C. and Ada M. (Velsey-No. 133) Osterhout; grandson of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; gt. grandson of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Jan. 13, 1884 at Latham's Corners, N. Y.; living in 1923 at No. 33 Quaker St., Granville, N. Y.; m. June 14, 1909 in Cohoes, N. Y., *Gertrude Sears*, who was b. in Danbury, Vt., the daughter of Joseph and ——— (Murray) Sears of Granville, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Osterhout) 2 daughters, both b. at Crescent Station, Saratoga County, N. Y.:—

320. i. Evelyn Frances, b. April 4, 1910.

321. ii. Ada May, b. Jan. 26, 1916; d. Aug. 29, 1917.

224. CLARA FRANCES OSTERHOUT, the daughter of Wm. C. and Ada M. (Velsey-No. 133) Osterhout; granddaughter of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; gt. granddaughter of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Sept. 13, 1887 at Latham's Corners, N. Y.; living in 1923 at Crescent, N. Y.; m. Sept. 16, 1909, at Crescent Station, N. Y., *William Reepmeyer*, who was b. Apr. 29, 1885 at North Troy, N. Y., the son of John and Christina (Haas) Reepmeyer.

Children: 3 (Reepmeyer) 3 sons, all b. at Crescent Station, N. Y.:—

322. i. William Dana, b. July 13, 1911.

323. ii. James Milton, b. April 1, 1914.

324. iii. Henry Osterhout, b. Oct. 21, 1919.

225. EVELYN MAY OSTERHOUT, the daughter of Wm. C. and Ada M. (Velsey-No. 133) Osterhout; granddaughter of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; gt. granddaughter of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Dec. 29, 1893, at Latham's Corner's, N. Y.; living in 1923 at Crescent Station, N. Y.; m. Sept. 29, 1911, at Crescent Station, *Herman Reepmeyer* of that place, who was b. June 20, 1883, in North Troy, N. Y., the son of John and Christina (Haas) Reepmeyer.

Children: 4 (Reepmeyer) 1 son and 3 daughters, all b. at Crescent Station, N. Y.:—

325. i. Ethel Louise, b. May 6, 1912.

326. ii. Christina, b. Oct. 29, 1913.

327. iii. Jane, b. Jan. 11, 1920.

328. iv. Herman, Jr., b. Dec. 9, 1923.

228. LYDIA MELISSA HULIN, the daughter of Myron and Ella F. (Velsey-No. 134) Hulin; granddaughter of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; gt. granddaughter of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Mch. 31, 1890, Mechanicsville, Saratoga Co., N. Y.; living in 1923 at No. 14 Robinson Terrace, Plattsburg, N. Y.; m. Dec. 24, 1913, in Mechanicsville, N. Y., *Dana Benjamin Hanks*, who was b. Oct. 8, 1893 at West Pawlet, Rutland Co., Vt., the son of Camillus Brooks and Alice Lefia (Reed) Hanks of that place.

She was educated in Mechanicsville, N. Y., and lived for a time in Los Angeles, Calif. She is an accomplished pianist and organist; a teacher of the piano and the organ; and Organist of the First Baptist Church at Plattsburg and Mechanicsville, N. Y., and also of the First Presbyterian Church at Plattsburg. She is a Baptist; Republican; and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Plattsburg, N. Y.

Children: 2 (Hanks) 2 daughters, both b. in Plattsburg, N. Y.:—

329. i. Bessie Edith, b. Jan. 1, 1916.

330. ii. Alice Mildred, b. Nov. 29, 1922.

231. FREDERICK M. BASSETT, the son of Chas. H. and Mabel C. (Velsey-No. 135) Bassett; grandson of Chas. M. and Harriet (Rogers-No. 66) Velsey; gt. grandson of Harper N. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 14) Rogers, b. Sept. 12, 1890, Mechanicsville, N. Y.; m. Sept. 6, 1910, in Mechanicsville, *Lila Vance*, who was b. Oct. 2, 1891, Franklin, N. H., the daughter of D. A. and Martha (Lyons) Vance. He has lived in Mechanicsville all his life, where he is now in the automobile business; Baptist;

Republican. During the World War he served in the No. 814 Aero Squadron, U. S. Army, from 1918 to 1921.

Children: 2 (Bassett) 2 sons, both b. in Mechanicsville, N. Y.:—

331. i. Donald Vance, b. Sept. 3, 1912.

332. ii. Kenneth Charles, b. Feb. 23, 1914.

239. ARLENE HELEN SMITH, the daughter of Frank H. and Florence M. (Nichols-No. 148) Smith; grand daughter of Edwin M. and Helen E. (Sill-No. 78) Nichols; gt. grand daughter of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ F. (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. May 23, 1901, Wales, Erie Co., N. Y.; living in 1925 in Wales, N. Y.; m. April 12, 1919, in East Aurora, N. Y., *Roy Dayton Carr*, carpenter, who was b. Nov. 30, 1895, the son of Orson and Anna (Rice) Carr.

Children: 2 (Carr) 1 son and 1 daughter:—

333. i. Dayton S., b. Apr. 24, 1920, in Strykersville, N. Y.

334. ii. Marguerite Onallu, b. Nov. 15, 1924, in East Aurora, N. Y.

240. FRANK ELLSWORTH SMITH, the son of Frank H. and Florence M. (Nichols-No. 148) Smith; grandson of Edwin M. and Helen E. (Sill-No. 78) Nichols; gt. grandson of Chas. A. and Mary⁷ F. (Reynolds-No. 15) Sill, b. July 21, 1902, Wales, Erie Co., N. Y.; living in 1925 in Wales Center, N. Y.; m. June 11, 1923 in East Aurora, N. Y., *Mary Thompson*, who was b. in 1905, Holland, Erie Co., N. Y., the daughter of Warren and Louisa (Fountaine) Thompson of that place. He is a hard wood finisher at the Roycroft Shops in East Aurora, N. Y.

Children: 1 (Smith) 1 son:—

335. i. Frank Arthur, b. Feb. 2, 1925 in Buffalo, N. Y.

256. EVELYN MARGUERITE FERRIS, the daughter of Geo. A. and Harriet E. (Schermerhorn-No. 155) Ferris; grand daughter of John C. and Julia Maria (Austin-No. 89) Schermerhorn; gt. grand daughter of Jonathan and Maria⁷ (Reynolds-No. 25) Austin, b. July 23, 1882, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; living in 1925 at 9 Hudson Place, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1915 at The Ferris Cottage, Lake George, N. Y., by the Rev. E. R. Sawyer, *Frank Hamner Cronkhite*, who was b. Aug. 12, 1883 in Fort Edward, the son of Hamner and Mary (Milliman) Cronkhite, of that place. He is a lawyer practising in Hudson Falls, and graduate of Union College. She is a graduate of Columbia Uni-

versity (Domestic Science); and a member of the Jane McCrea Chapter of the D. A. R.

Children: 2 (Cronkhite) 2 sons:—

- 336. i. George Ferris, b. July 25, 1916 at the Glens Falls Hospital.
- 337. ii. James Reynolds, b. Feb. 11, 1918 at Hudson Falls, N. Y.

257. GEORGE SCHERMERHORN FERRIS, the son of Geo. A. and Harriet E. (Schmerhorn-No. 155) Ferris; grandson of John C. and Julia Maria (Austin-No. 89) Schmerhorn; gt. grandson of Jonathan and Maria⁷ (Reynolds-No. 25) Austin, b. Mch. 22, 1890, Hudson Falls, N. Y.; living in 1925 in Brooklyn, N. Y.; m. June 23, 1919 at Hudson Falls by Rev. E. R. Sawyer, *Inez Webster Hoyt*, who was b. July 15, 1896, Franklin, N. H., the daughter of Sidney Frost (d. 1912) and Bertha Anna (Morrill-d. 1911) Hoyt of that place. Graduate of University of Penn.; mechanical engineer. Since graduation has been with the International Paper Co.; and now (1925) in the office of their Hydro Electric Dep't. in N. Y. City. Tried to enlist in the World War with his college unit, but refused on account of deafness. Tried again to enlist at three different times but failing acceptance finally went to work in the Gas Mask Plant on Long Island, N. Y., where he had something in his line to do.

Children: 2 (Ferris) 2 sons, both b. in Brooklyn, N. Y.:—

- 338. i. George Schmerhorn, b. Mch. 4, 1921.
- 339. ii. Raymond Morrill, b. June 30, 1925.

258. ARCHIBALD MCGINNIS, Jr., the son of Archibald and Florence (Simmons-No. 159) McGinnis; grandson of Daniel and Catherine C. (Austin-No. 92) Simmons; gt. grandson of DeWitt C. and Maria⁷ (Reynolds-No. 25) Austin, b. May 30, 1890, in Indianapolis, Ind., where he is living in 1925 at 3608 No. Pennsylvania St.; m. July 2, 1921, in Indianapolis, *Alice Sullivan*, who was b. Mch. 16, 1890, the daughter of Jeremiah and Kate (Shea) Sullivan of that city.

He was educated at public schools in Washington, D. C., and Effingham, Ill., and attended Illinois University and Butler College in Indianapolis. He is a Special Engineer on the General Manager's Staff of the Lake Erie & Western R.R.

Children: 1 (McGinnis) 1 daughter:—

- 340. i. Ann, b. Apr. 25, 1925, in Indianapolis, Ind.

262. ELTA A. JONES, the daughter of Rufus C. (No. 164) and Minnie L. (Childs) Jones; grand daughter of Pomeroy E. and

Luthena M. (Gallup-No. 96) Jones; gt. grand daughter of Rufus B. and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds-No. 27) Gallup, b. Jan. 8, 1887, Kendallville, Ind.; living in 1925 at 4665 Spencer Road, Rocky River, Ohio; m. May 5, 1917, in Cleveland, O., *Walter Funk*, who was b. July 7, 1889, the son of Dwight and Alice (Carpenter) Funk of that place. Mr. Walter Funk has been with the American Steel & Wire Co. (U. S. Steel Co.) for fifteen years. He served with the Marines during the World War.

Children: 2 (Funk) 1 son and 1 daughter, both b. in Cleveland, O.:—

341. i. James Rufus, b. Jan. 30, 1918.

342. ii. Helen, b. May 24, 1920.

263. RONALD HALL JONES, the son of J. Austin (No. 165) and Celia E. (Hall) Jones; grandson of Pomeroy E. and Luthena M. (Gallup-No. 96) Jones; gt. grandson of Rufus B. and Abigail⁷ (Reynolds-No. 27) Gallup, b. July 5, 1894, Kendallville, Ind.; living in 1925 in Kendallville; m. July 11, 1921, *Ursula J. DeVault*, the daughter of Wm. A. and Minnie (Magers) DeVault of that place.

Graduated from Kendallville High School in 1913. Employed with The Knoxville Lithographing Co. in 1914; and with The Ft. Wayne Box Co. from 1915 until the World War. On April 15, 1917, he entered the Officers Training Camp at Ft. Benjamin Harrison at Indianapolis, Ind.; commissioned 2nd Lieut. Inf., Aug. 8, 1917; reported to 8th Bt. 159 Depot Brig. at Camp Tayler Ky., Aug. 29, 1917; served as Regimental Personal Officer 1st Prov. Inf. and as Regt. Adj. 6th Inf.; commissioned 1st Lieut. July 3, 1918; transferred to the No. 814 Pioneer Inf., Aug. 23, 1918; left for overseas Oct. 6, 1918 and arrived England Oct. 20, 1918; returned to U. S., Dec. 22, 1918; discharged, Mch. 8, 1919.

Thereafter entered his father's insurance office, and has since become a partner under the firm name J. A. & R. H. Jones.

He was in 1923 Worshipful Master of Kendallville Lodge No. 276, F. & A. M.; and Capt. General of Apollo Commandery No. 19, K. T.

Children: 1 (Jones) 1 daughter:—

343. i. Mary Jane, b. April 7, 1924, in Kendallville, Ind.

Authority: Letters from J. Austin Jones—No. 165, this record.

266. WILLIAM DEWITT SPROTT, the son of Myron (No. 172) and Carrie L. (Lane) Sprott; grandson of DeWitt C. and Frances^s L. (Reynolds-No. 99) Sprott, b. Aug. 26, 1885, Fort

Edward, N. Y.; living in 1925 in Hudson Falls, N. Y.; m. Nov. 25, 1906, in Hudson Falls, *Flora Ellsworth*, who was b. Aug. 14, 1889, in Washington, D. C., the daughter of Herbert F. and Mary L. (O'Hara) Ellsworth of Hudson Falls. He is an Operator for the Automobile Underwriters Detective Bureau; Republican; an Elk; and has previously lived in Saratoga.

Children: 2 (Mays) 2 sons, both b. in Trumbull, Neb. :—

344. i. Marion Agnes, b. Aug. 2, 1908, in Hudson Falls, N. Y.

271. ANNA VELMA BURNHAM, daughter of Henry R. and Lora (Pearson) Burnham (No. 179); granddaughter of J. Henry and Velma (Kessler) Burnham (No. 107); great granddaughter of Geo. B. and Elizabeth⁷ (Reynolds-No. 29) Burnham, b. Oct. 11, 1902, Hastings, Neb.; living in 1925 at Trumbull, Neb.; m. Aug. 17, 1920, in Trumbull, Neb., *Claude E. Mays*, farmer, who was. b. Sept. 11, 1896 in that place, the son of William I. and Grace (Randall) Mays of St. James, Minn.

Children: 1 (Sprott) 1 daughter :—

345. i. Kenneth Ray, b. June 24, 1921.
346. ii. Richard Allan, b. Oct. 4, 1924.

Authority: Letter from Henry R. Burnham—No. 179, this record.

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