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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

by Larry "Joe" Reynolds



As time draws nearer to our 2014 Annual RFA Reunion I cannot help but be a little disappointed. As of this date we have only had 5 people sign up for our Reunion. I have heard from more than that saying that they will be attending, however they are waiting to register.

If you plan to attend or even think you may be able to attend, please take a few minutes to register at the following web address: www.reynoldsfamily.org/registration.php.

There is a lot of planning that goes on for a reunion and I hate being rushed at the very last minute. I need to visit there soon in order to reserve the meeting rooms, etc. I really need to know how large of a room I need to get. If you register early and later you have to cancel, your money will be returned with no questions.

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Dr. John Purdy Reynolds

(compiled by Larry Joe Reynolds)

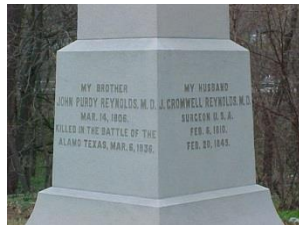
With this year's Annual Theme, Gone to Texas, I thought it fitting to include one of the Alamo's Heroes. Dr. Reynolds is from Line 18 (Henry & Prudence Clayton, Lancaster Co. PA). If you do a search for him on the Internet you will find lots of information, I could only include part of it here.

From Georgetown University Website



Little is known of Dr. John Purdy Reynolds (1806-1836), whose collection of medical books is owned by Southwestern University. Born in 1806, he died in the battle of the Alamo on March 6, 1836, just eight days before his thirtieth birthday.

His family lived in Lewistown, Mifflin Co, Pennsylvania, where his father was a merchant and county judge. Reynolds attended



medical school in Philadelphia, graduating around 1827. The Handbook of Texas indicates that he then practiced medicine in Mifflin County, Pennsylvania, for seven years, but notes in Reynolds' books hint that his practice was perhaps in Mifflin, Tennessee, instead—several of his signatures in the books indicate that he was reading them in Tennessee. For example, Wistar's System of Anatomy is inscribed in Reynolds' hand: "Commenced reading Anatomy Oct. 13th, 1832, Mifflin, Tenn."

Reynolds apparently left his medical books behind in Tennessee, and this may provide an answer about his point of departure for the Alamo. The Handbook of Texas states that Reynolds traveled from Tennessee to Nacogdoches, arriving in Texas in 1835, where he joined the Volunteer Auxiliary Corps of Texas in January, 1836. He then went to San Antonio de Bexar in the same company as Davy Crockett. Other sources state that Reynolds came to Texas directly from Pennsylvania, but handwritten notes in the books state that they were purchased in an estate sale in Mifflin, Tennessee, in 1842.

If he did in fact abandon his medical books in Tennessee, perhaps he did not expect to serve as a physician at the Alamo. Whether or not he intended to use his medical skills at the Alamo remains questionable. Although some sources refer to Reynolds as a medical officer, records from the Alamo classify him as a private, and there were already at least five other physicians or surgeons. Still, it is likely that most books he carried with him would not have survived the arduous Battle of the Alamo.

From Texas State Historical Association

REYNOLDS, JOHN PURDY (1806–1836). John Purdy Reynolds, Alamo defender, son of Judge David and Mary (Purdy) Reynolds, was born at Cedar Springs, Mifflin County, Pennsylvania, on March 7, 1806. He graduated from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, in 1827 and practiced medicine in Mifflin County for seven years. Reynolds traveled to Texas in 1835 with William McDowell, and the two joined the Volunteer Auxiliary Corps of Texas on January 14, 1836, at Nacogdoches. They then went to San Antonio de Béxar as members of Capt. William B. Harrison's company, which included David Crockett.

They arrived at Bexar on or about February 9, 1836. It is not known if Reynolds worked as a surgeon in the Alamo garrison. He died in the battle of the Alamo on March 6, 1836.

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Election Schedule

- Nominations must be received by 1 August 2014.
- Ballot in July-Aug must be returned by 1 September 2014
- Final election held at the 2014 Annual RFA Reunion
- Results published in the Oct-Dec 2014 Newsletter

All nominations must include a short biography of the nominee, and an indication that the nominee will serve if elected. Nominations should be mailed or e-mailed to Ern Reynolds, RFA Corporate Secretary, 1324 Brunswick Street S.W., Roanoke VA 24015-2229, ERReynolds@verizon.net by 1 July 2014.

APPRECIATION TO MEMBERS

A very special Thank You to Peggy Reynolds Oliver for assisting me with all of the correspondence that we receive each month.

REYNOLDSFAMILY.ORG

www.reynoldsfamily.org has made the following updates this quarter:

- Added additional lines to our site.

- Added some new pictures – We welcome an pictures that members would like to submit.

ROBERT REYNOLDS

(by Lindal Reynolds)

The question now is how short or how long should it be? Too short and I could not convey the true Problems or solutions for the Problems I had to overcome.

Too long and the reader would lose interests for a lot of the solutions has to deal with history.

I will try to keep it short at the same time I will try to convey to the reader some problems they may encounter such as I did. My intentions are to encourage the reader not to give up even when there seems to be no hope.

Before I start I would like to give credit to Janet Mysinger the assistant Manager of my Reynolds Y-DNA Project. She is a charming delightful and Graceful Lady. She has been of great help in my endeavor. Also I like to thank Steven Danderson of the Church of Jesus Christ of LDS, Who has helped me more than anyone else with my research. That being said let me start.

My line came from Virginia to Georgia, to Alabama then on into Florida. I started my research on my Reynolds side back in the late 60s and early 70s. From that research I had my line pinned down to Martin B. Reynolds of Columbia Co, Georgia. Who died in 1859 leaving a will naming my G-G-Grandfather. We all knew Robert was Martin's father. We also knew Robert was a Rev. War Vet.; Robert had received land

grants in Georgia that in itself should have proved something I thought.

I was told about a book called Christopher Reynolds and his decedents by S. F. Tillman. I am sure everyone knows about that book by now. At that time I was new, that was the first time I had heard about it. I searched and found Martin B. Reynolds and Robert Reynolds listed just as they should be. I did not question the rest of my line going back to Christopher of Virginia 1622. Entrees of Martin and Robert were correct why should not the rest be? I also found that Tillman was from the same area as Robert. I also found Tillman would have been Martin's third cousin. If he was that closely related he should know my line really well or that was what I thought at the time.

All was going okay I was conformable with my line. I started working on the other sides of the family. Then I decided to take the Y-DNA test. I also joined the Reynolds Family Y-DNA project. That is when things started to change. Gary and Janet informed me I had to have documented proof of each member of my line starting with me and going as far back as I could find a paper trail. I was not all that organized but I was able to supply all the information I need up to Martin B. Reynolds. That is when I started finding that all Records were destroyed for Columbia Co. Georgia and for the old Edgefield District 96 of South Carolina in the war of 1812. To top it all off Caroline County Virginia records were all destroyed or burned twice, once in 1812 and again in 1865. I had no records available I could locate in order to conduct my research. It seemed like a dead end trail with no other possible way around.

I only had one Document I could fall back on. That was Mary Reynolds Rev. War

Petition filed in 1855. That Petition is famous. So many times it has been referenced the problem is you can't read it. There is almost no information you are able to retrieve from it. I sent a request to national archives for Robert's war records. When it came back it showed Robert was with the 4th Virginia Regt. Of foot under Capt. John Brent Commanded by Col. Thomas Elliott. On the Muster Rolls Robert was listed as a Deserter in April, May and June of 1777. I was shocked that did not sound like my family. Martin's had 3 sons who all fought for the south. W. B. was in WWII, Daddy was in Korea with the 101st Air Born Rangers, Uncle Bob was with the Big Red One in Vietnam (67, 68 and 69) -- my son is in the Marines, he spent two tours in Afghanistan. My son has two combat metals both with valor. Robert being a deserter does not fit within my family's history something had to be wrong. I called the National Archives in D.C. They told me the records I received were all that remained of Robert's records. The rest were destroyed, in the war of 1812. Even the White house was burned. They also told me he must have rejoined or have been forgiven in order to have received Rev. War Land Grants. There just were no records to support that theory however.

I had a little talk with one of my Y-DNA matches. He suggested I try the LDS maybe they could help. That was a good move. Steven with the LDS was able to supply me with better copies of Mary's petition. We were able to retrieve more information from that document. From the enhanced photo copies we were able to read on page three a record showing Robert was discharged in 1782. On page four Mary states Robert enlisted sometimes in 1776, and enlisted for the term of the war, Robert enlisted in Caroline County Virginia, She was 86 years

old, Robert was mustered out in Franktown Virginia, Robert and Mary were married in the old Edgedfield district 96 of South Carolina, on 20th Dec. 1788, by Benj. Harney a minister of the Gospel, Her maiden name was Mary Jones, and Robert Died on 20th of Dec. 1815 in Columbia Co. Georgia. There were a few other details not stated at this time. On page five we learned Mary was unable to supply documents of their marriage or of Robert's discharge. All documents had been destroyed or lost. Mary at the time was 86 her memory was failing her. Mary was unable to supply Robert's Capt. Name or the Command Robert served under. There is more information not stated at this time. I will move on.

About that same time Janet Mysinger my assistant manager with the Reynolds Project sent me a final payment receipt for Robert Reynolds, showing when Robert was mustered out on June 4th 1783. The document was marked on the right top corner in Bold VA. That was another piece of information I needed. That bit of information pointed me in the right direction for my search. It started a snow ball effect of information as I edged forward.

Armed with Janet's new found information and with the information we were able to retrieve from Mary's document Steven with the LDS was able to help me find the break through I was looking for. As we begin to find more information we also used history to piece everything together. We tried to create a time line by placing ourselves in Roberts Shoes. At the same time we went forward as well as backtracked many times making sure we were correct in our account of what took place.

Steven is like a walking encyclopedia when it comes to military history. Below are

some of the battles Robert would have been involved in while he was with the 4th Virginia Regt. Note they did not go well.

Note: I am not sure when Robert enlisted with the 4th Virginia Regt. I can say Robert went without pay for at least 3 months and 20 days. Something I will address a little further on.

The 4th Virginia Regt. Was attached to Charles Scott command led by Patton with the Continental Army. Robert would have participated while still with the 4th Virginia in the Battle of Fort Lee on November 20, 1776 which was a successful invasion of New Jersey by British and Hessian forces.

Also the Battle of Iron Works Hill, also known as the Battle of Mount Holly, was a series of minor skirmishes that took place on December 22 and 23, 1776, the British cleaned our slate.

When it was all said and done. In the late part of 1776 the war was not going well for the 4th Virginias. Many of the Virginias were abandoning their ranks for lack of food, general supplies, money and the hope of ever winning the war.

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HOUSEKEEPING

Don't forget to send in your changes of address or email.

The Reynolds/Maryland Connection

(Compiled by Patricia Spaeth)

The best place to start is John Reynolds.

This is specifically John Reynolds Senior – John(5) -- born in 1714, died 1784. He is our 5-greats grandfather. (The numbers I attach to names are the number of greats.) John(5) is one of our first established antecedents to appear in public records in America. He would qualify us to join the DAR or SAR.

Notes on Antecedents: John(5) was one of eleven children of Francis Joseph Reynolds – FJR(6) – born 1652, died 1747. FJR(6) was married to Rebecca Crook (Crooks, Cook, Crock). FJR(6) was one of eleven children of William Tillman Reynolds – WilliamT(7) – born 1606, died 1668. WilliamT(7) was married to Margaret Exton. WilliamT(7) was one of eight children of... well, things are harder to prove the further back you go. One family tree traces us back a full 25 generations, including Richard Reynell (1150-1194), the High Sheriff of Devon in the time of Richard I, King John and Robin Hood!

Notes on Descendants: John(5) married Elizabeth McKee and had nine children, including Joseph – Joseph(4) -- born 1747, died 1808. Joseph(4) married Sarah Smith and had eleven kids, including Isaac – Isaac(3) – born 1778, died 1848. Isaac(3) went to Baltimore about 1800, married Mary Margaret Hoffman and had eight children, including Susan Reynolds – Susan(2) – born 1821, died 1853. Susan(2) married Reverend Charles Porterfield Krauth – CPK(2) – and had two surviving children including Harriett Reynolds Krauth – Harriett(1) – born 1845, died 1925. At age 35 Harriett(1) became the second wife of Reverend Adolph Spaeth – Adolph(1) – born 1839, died 1910. Among their children was our grandfather, Reynold Albrecht Spaeth., born 1886, died 1925.

Hokay, back to John(5). He was probably born in Pennsylvania, although some sources say Dublin, Ireland. His father, FJR(6), was probably born in Pennsylvania as well. When you look up FJR(6), about half the sources say he was born in Chester, PA and the other half say Chichester, Sussex, England. (Some versions say FJR(6) went from England to Ireland, had his kids, then went to America.) So where was his father WilliamT(7) born? Most sources agree that he was born in England; variously he came to America at age 3, as an adult, or not at all. WilliamT(7) died in England, but reportedly he was a trader on a business trip.

John(5) first appears in written records around 1744, when he married Elizabeth McKee. (No marriage certificate discovered yet.) Four of his children were born in Swatara, PA (east of Harrisburg; Lancaster County before 1785, Dauphin County after 1785). The children's names and dates are found in the Baptismal Records of Rev. John Casper Stoeber, a traveling preacher (whose notes were put online by a descendant). One, Bridgette, was born in 1742 (hmmmm...). The other three are Elizabeth Reynolds (1744), John Reynolds (Jr.) (1746) and Joseph(4) (1747).

(Some family histories list these children as being born in Washington County, Maryland. It appears some later Reynolds children were born there.)

Some time while these children were still small, John(5) moved the family to Maryland. In 1761 he bought a parcel of land from James Smith – JamesS(5) – and began building a farmstead. The house is on a little knoll, to catch the summer breezes and the winter sunshine. It is still standing – right in the middle of the Civil War

battlefield at Antietam. It's referred to as the Roulette house. One story is that John(5), a trader like his father and grandfather, brought a beautiful tall case clock to the house, but the ceiling was too low. He had to cut an alcove in the parlor ceiling so the clock would fit.

John(5)'s daughter Elizabeth married Thomas Smith in 1763 and eventually had ten children. His son John Jr. married Margaret Smith in 1764, bought his own chunk of land from Joseph Smith (appears to be James(5)'s brother) in 1767, and eventually had seven children. Joseph(4) married Sarah Smith in 1774 and eventually had eleven children. And yes, all the Smiths were brother and sisters, three of six children of JamesS(5) and Mary Graham.

Comes the Revolution. John Jr. became a captain in the 7th Maryland, but resigned his commission in 1777. Thomas Smith became a Major in the 4th Maryland. Joseph(4) probably joined the army too, but I haven't found any records. In 1777 an order came out from the Committee of Observation for Elizabeth Town (the original name of Hagerstown):

“Ordered that George Moore, Richard Carter and John Reynolds Sr. appraise the several waggons, horses, Waggon Cloths and Blanket that can be produced for the use of Coll. Jos. Smith's Batt. and make return to this Committee.”

The family story is that John(5) responded to the call. But he quit after a week. Consider that he was 63 at the time.

In 1777, the Oath of Fidelity was instituted by the laws of Maryland. Every free male over 18 had to swear allegiance to the revolutionary government and renounce the

King of England. If you didn't, you paid triple taxes, couldn't teach or hold office or vote or appear in court... and other penalties. Magistrates went around administering the Oath and making lists of names. James Smith and Thomas Smith appear on a 1778 list; John Reynolds Sr. (John(5)) and "Joseph Rennolds" (probably Joseph(4)) appear on a 1779 list.

Not in our direct line but interesting: In late 1778 John Jr. sold out his Maryland holdings. The next spring he packed up his wife and seven children and, together with other families, started down the river to settle in Kentucky. Their party of flatboats was ambushed by Indians in April 1779 and John Jr. was shot and killed. His wife Margaret and children were held hostage by Indians; it took Margaret eighteen months to get everyone back together. They returned to the Reynolds homestead in Maryland. In 1785 Margaret remarried. The whole story is told in *Frontier Mother* by O. Glenn Stahl, 1979.

Ditto: Elizabeth Reynolds Smith and Thomas Smith moved to Kentucky around 1794. Two of their ten children married brother ministers, Martin Hitt and Samuel Hitt. Some of the Hitts later moved to Urbana, Ohio. In 1815 Samuel Hitt performed the marriage of his niece Betsy Smith, one of Elizabeth's granddaughters, to Martin Reynolds, one of Joseph(4)'s sons.

The Maryland Tax Assessment rolls for 1783 list three Reynolds: John Reynolds (John(5)), Joseph Reynolds (Joseph(4)) and Margaret Reynolds. I presume this is the widow of John Reynolds. She may have inherited this property from her father JamesS(5), who died in 1780.

John(5) made his will in March 1784 and died in April 1784. The will divides his homestead between his sons Joseph(4) and Francis. You can find the full text on the website for Reynolds Family Association. The goods included a slave named Ham. Joseph(4) continued to live in the farmhouse and made some improvements. In the 1790s Francis sold his portion to the Orndorffs, who in turn sold it to Jacob Mumma. The Mumma farm is also on the Antietam battlefield, though the house was burned to the ground.

In 1804 Joseph(4) sold the Reynolds farmhouse and land to a neighbor, Joseph Miller. Joseph(4) and Sarah moved to Urbana, Champaign County, Ohio, a town that was just being formed. His son John also moved there and was very active in the town's early history. Joseph(4) died in Urbana in 1808; Sarah died there in 1821.

You can learn about the Roulette farm (and William and Margaret Roulette) from any history of the battle of Antietam. One witness, a chaplain in the Connecticut army, says a Confederate shell tore through the parlor wall, continued upwards through the ceiling and came to rest in the attic. Wounded soldiers were laid out in the house, the barns and the surrounding grounds. Some Confederate soldiers took cover in the springhouse kitchen – and were captured when a quick-thinking Yankee slammed the door. Some beehives on the front lawn were knocked over – propelling some Philadelphia soldiers a bit quicker toward the Confederate lines at the Sunken Road.

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QUERIES

Upon writer request members' queries will be published without charge and non-members' will be published at discretion of RFA, also without charge. Queries may be edited and RFA assumes no responsibility for their accuracy. [Editor's comments will be in brackets.] Please address all queries to the editor.

Teresa Rust, read2befree@yahoo.com, 547 Casa Buena Street, Redding, CA 96003, The only record I have of my 5th great grandfather is a marriage record. Nichols (Nicholas?) RUNNELS married Patty NORTON in Weathersfield, VERMONT on 31 Dec 1801. They had at least one daughter, my 4th great-grandmother, Rozilla Reynolds, born in Rutland, Vermont on 27 Dec 1804. I do not know the parentage of Nichols Runnels or of Patty Norton. Any help is appreciated.

Tim Kilburn, tk95253@gmail.com, 1419 Easrt Avenue, Eureka, Ca. 95501, Hello I am seeking verification I have my Reynolds ancestors correct as far as can be known.

James Reynolds 1625-1700 (may have been the son of William and Esther) married Deborah ? 1628-1692 > Joseph I 1652-1739 married unknown 1655-1725 > Joseph II

1672-1722 married Susanna Babcock 1674-1740 > George 1708-1781 married Joanna Spencer 1711-1782 > Isabel married Soloman Sprague.

Thank you. Tim Kilburn

Cindy Thomas, cthomas5@prodigy.net, 6029 Forest Highlands Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76132, I WILL PAY FOR DNA TESTING of a male Reynolds documented descendant of Joseph B. REYNOLDS born about 1750, probably Orange/Culpeper Co VA, died about 1825, Botetourt Co VA, what is now Roanoke Co VA, married Rachel (last name unknown).

Children: Susannah, died Berrien Co. MI, married Noah (Manoah) HAWKINS, maybe s/o William HAWKINS of Culpeper/Orange Co VA, listed in 1783 Culpeper Co personal property tax list

Thomas, married Mary LOVE, died in KY. Mary Rachel, died Botetourt Co. VA, married Josiah MARTIN. Larkin, died Botetourt Co. VA, married Hannah FERGUSON. John R., died Roanoke Co. VA, married Mary BAKER. Obadiah R., died Roanoke Co. VA, married Sarah SMITH. William L., died Berrien Co. MI, married Elizabeth CAMPBELL. Sophia, who died unmarried and young.

A few descendants: Dawson Reynolds, b about 1825 Botetourt/Roanoke Co VA. Joseph Terrill Reynolds, born about 1840 Roanoke Co VA. Preston Reynolds, born 1842 Roanoke Co VA, died 1908 Manassa, Conejos Co, CO. Patterson Reynolds, born about 1826 Botetourt Co. VA, died Berrien Co, MI. Wiley Crockett Reynolds, born about 1835 Botetourt Co. VA, died Daviess or Harrison Co, MO, had son William b about 1870 Daviess Co, MO. George

Washington Reynolds, born about 1842 OH, died Daviess or Harrison Co, MO. James Alexander Reynolds, born 1845 Berrien Co, MI, died Idaho, had sons William M. born about 1871 Daviess Co, MO & Milton Reynolds born about 1874 Daviess Co, MO. William Reynolds b about 1828 Botetourt Co. VA, died Berrien Co, MI, had sons Noah, James, Sylvester & Perry, all born MI

Some of Larkin Reynolds descendants went to Oregon.

This Joseph REYNOLDS is NOT the Joseph who married Susannah WRIGHT and also lived in Orange Co VA.

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Margaret Reynolds Oliver,
peggyjune@roadrunner.com, P.O. Box 46, South Thomaston, ME 04858-0046,
Dear RFA Members, My Reynolds line is proven back to Elisha Reynolds, b. abt. 1755 in the Wilkes County area of NC. His father is probably a John Reynolds who married a Sarah Jenkins, but John's parentage is in question. There is a bit of evidence to indicate that John may stem from the James and Deborah line of RI. I have recently had a close DNA match with another RFA member showing my Elisha to be a brother to her John Francis Reynolds. We are hoping that someone from the James and Deborah line has done, or is willing to do DNA testing. Feel free to contact me at:
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Chris Demeritt,
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Hello,

I hope you can help.

Last Confirmed name I have is a Henry Hobby Reynolds B:Feb 5, 1808, D: March 13, 1878, Buried in the Dutch Reformed Church, Mt. Pleasant, Westchester NY. M: Maria Storms B: 1806 Newcastle NY. They Lived in North Castle, Westchester, NY.

I suspect Henry Hobby Reynolds parents to be Reuben Reynolds B:1782 D:1842 and Rebecca Hobby B:1786 D: 1853 . Rebecca's Father, Henry Hobby lived in North Castle, Westchester, NY, very near (if not the same place) where Henry H. Reynolds lived.

Reuben and Rebecca are buried Middle Patent Rural Cemetery , Westchester County NY

I really would like to know who Reuben's parents are, and some solid evidence, if any exists, that Henry H. is indeed their Son. I believe there is a connection to the Greenwich Reynolds, but not sure how, and a grt. uncle who started the tree many years ago has connection to Joseph Reynolds and Ruth Palmer, but I am unsure how.

Thank you in advance,
Chris

Emma-Jo Davis, EDavis3797@aol.com, 268 Bunker Arch, Williamsburg, VA 23188, I descend from Shubel, died 1854, who was the son of Jeremiah (Dutchess, Schenectady, Livingston) NY. I want to do DAR papers for Jeremiah but I need proof that Shubel was indeed his son. We all "know" he was but does anyone have "proof?" I would be most grateful for any help that can be provided.

Jody (Emma-Jo) Davis

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Line	Line Coordinator	Year	Name
011	Sarah Reynolds Young	1650	John & Ann (Holbrook), Weymouth MA & Stonington CT
012	Dorothy Y. B. Johnson	1630	Robert & Mary (), Boston MA
013	Vacant	1634	William & Alice (Kitson), Duxbury MA & Cape Porpoise ME
014	Rosemary Markham	1643	James & Deborah (), North Kingstown RI
015	Vacant	1650	John & Sarah (Backus), Saybrook, Lyme & Norwich CT
016	Vacant	1725	() Reynolds & () (Crook), Washington Co. MD
017	Ern Reynolds	1622	Christopher & Elizabeth (), Isle of Wight VA
018	Marilyn J. Newton	1676	Henry & Prudence Clayton, Lancaster Co. PA
019	Vacant	1678	Electious & Mary (Pease), Salem & Middleboro MA
020	Dr. Glen G. Reynolds	1634	John & Sarah (), Watertown MA, Wethersfield & Stamford CT
021	Vacant	1682	John & (), DE
022	Dottie Smith	1708	Richard & Mary (Capers), Benjamin & Mary (), & William & (), St. Helena's Parish SC
023	Vacant	1700	John & Elizabeth (), Kent Co. DE
024	Vacant	1635	Katherine Reynolds and Edward Starbuck, Dover NH & Nantucket Island
025	None		Members Whose Line Not Yet Determined (Stonewalls)
026	William L. King	1637	Thomas & Mary, Isle of Wight VA
027	William L. King	1640	William & Ann Harrison of York Co, VA
028	Vacant	1660	John & Naomi (Latimer), Wethersfield CT
029	Vacant	1652	Thomas & Susan Snead, York Co VA
030	Vacant	1784	James & Mary Bannon, Margaret & Andrew Forgey, Ellen & ()McDaniel, Co. Louth IRE & Knox Co. TN
031	Vacant	1850	William & Rebecca Tawn of Moulton, ENG & Grinnell, IA
034	Vacant	1886	Thomas & Bigham Stuart of Scotland & Scranton, PA
035	William L. King	1703	James and Susannah (), Essex Co. VA
036	Vacant	1829	John & Mary Thornton Ashton, ENG, QUE, NH
037	Gary W. Reynolds	1725	Thomas & Ann (), Eastern Virginia
038	Larry Joe Reynolds	1790	William Reynolds & Jane Milliken, Green County, TN
039	Peggy E. Oliver	1755	Elisha & Judith (Eddins) Reynolds of Wilkes County, NC
040	Cynthia I. Nason	1782	John Laney Reynolds & Elizabeth 'Betty' Chester of Lancaster County, South Carolina

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September 18 – 20, 2014

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