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Salutation to All

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Your Opinion?

Thanks to all who stepped forward to express an opinion regarding how this medium of communication ought to be named. Some 56.25% of you who responded to our questionnaire on this matter voted for *RFA Dispatch*. The next largest set of responses (31.25%) landed in the "Other" category where some of you offered suggestions for various titles. So, for the time being, we will continue using the title, *RFA Dispatch*.

We want to thank Debra Reynolds Jones for collecting your responses and for doing tallies of your input.

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RFA Dues Assessment

A reminder that 2012 RFA annual dues in the amount of \$20.00 are due and payable by Monday, January 16, 2012. Please make checks payable to the RFA and send your check to the following address:

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RFA dues are assessed against those with annual memberships. RFA Lifetime members are exempted from this assessment of annual membership dues.

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Research Project Notes

A couple of years ago, I worked up a rather long Research Request to launch a Research Project entitled, *Northern Neck (Virginia) Reynolds Research Project*. The objective of that project was to try to identify the parental family of the Most Distant Known Ancestor of my line, one Thomas Reynolds, b. abt. 1730 in poss. Eastern Virginia. While the results of that project were inconclusive, one component of the Research Request might be helpful to some of you in your family research efforts (if your family's roots are in Virginia), so I thought that I would include that part of the Research Request, as follows:

**Listing of Some Reynolds Immigrants & Descendants
in the Colony of Virginia
1623 - 1740
(Sorted by Date)**

Sources:

- 1.) Colonial Records of Virginia¹
- 2.) Cavaliers and Pioneers²
- 3.) Early Virginia Immigrants³
- 4.) Virginia Colonial Abstracts⁴
- 5.) English Duplicates of Lost VA Records⁵
- 6.) Virginia County Militia, 1651 - 1776⁶
- 7.) Colonial Virginia Register⁷
- 8.) Virginia's Colonial Soldiers⁸
- 9.) Quit Rent Roles of Virginia, 1704⁹
- 10.) Cavaliers and Pioneers, Abstracts of Virginia Land Patents, Vol. 4, 1732 - 1741¹⁰

<u>Year</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Locale</u>	<u>Source</u>
1623	Mr. Reignolds	James City Co.	1
1623	Christopher Reinolds	Warrosquyoake	1
1623	Paul Reinolds	James City Co.	1
1623	Robert Reynolds	James City Co.	1

1633	Alex. Reynald	Jamestown	5
1633	Jno. Reynolds(in <i>Hopewell</i>)	Jamestown?	2
1636	Gilbert Reynalds	Elizabeth City Co.	2
1637	Austin Rennell	Accomack Co.	2,3
1637	Richard Reynolds	New Norfolk/Nansemond Co.	2,3
1637	Thos. Reynolds	Charles River Co.	2,3
1637	Willi. Reynolds	James City Co.	2
1638	Edw. & Eliz. Reynolds	Charles River Co.	2,3
1638	Richard Reynolds	Charles City Co.	2,3
1638	William Reynolds	James City Co.	2
1639	Randal Rennal	Accomack Co.	2,3
1642	Nich. Reynolds	? Co., Pyankatanke River	2,3
1642	William Reynolds	York Co., Mockjack Bay	2
1645	Thomas Reynalds	York Co.	4
1646	Rondell Renell	York Co.	4
1646	Wm Rennalds	York Co.	4
1646(Dec.)	William Rennalds (est.)	York Co.	4
1647(Jan.)	Wm. Rennalds	York (departed)	4
1648	William Reynolds	Isle of Wight Co.	2
1649	Thos. Rennolds	Lynnhaven Parish	2
1650(Jan.)	Ann Rennolds	Charles City Co.	2
1651(May)	Wm Rennolds&Ann	Northumberland Co. (650 a.)	2
1652	Charles Reynolds	Isle of Wight Co.	7
1652	Geo. Reinolds	Lancaster Co.	2
1652	Rich. Reynolls	Gloucester Co., Mockjack Bay	2
1652	Richard Reynolds	Rappahanock River	2
1652	William Reynolls	Lancaster Co.	2
1653	Geo. Reignolds	Rappahannock River	4
1653	John Renoll	Charles City Co.	2
1653	Thos. Rennells	Gloucester Co., Mockjack Bay	2
1653	Thos. Rennals	Norfolk Co., Dan. Taners Cr.	1
1654	Rob. & Y. Renolls	Northampton Co.	2,4
1654	Wm. Rennells	Westmoreland Co.	2,4
1654	Wm. Rennells	Westmoreland Co.	3
1655	Fra. Reinolls	New Kent Co.	2
1655	Anne Renolls	New Kent Co.	2
1655	Randal Rennells	Northampton Co.	2
1658	Eliz. Reinolls	Northumberland Co.	2
1658	Rich. Reynolds	Lower Norfolk Co.	2
1658	Wm. Reynolds	New Kent Co.	2
Hannah Reynolds			
Abygoll Reynolds			
Jno. Reynolds			
Deborah Reynolds			
1661	Peter Renolds	Westmoreland Co.	2
1662	Hen. Reynolds	Lancaster Co.	2

1662	Thos. Reynolds	Lancaster Co.	2
1663	Andrew Reynolds	Accomack Co.	2
1664	[--?--] Reynoldes	Accomack Co.	2
1664	Cornelius Reynolds	New Kent Co.	2
	Margarit Reynolds	New Kent Co.	2
	William Reynolds	New Kent Co.	2
	Ann Reynolds	New Kent Co.	2
	Cornelius Reynolds(Jr.)	New Kent Co.	2
	Susan Reynolds	New Kent Co.	2
1664	Francis Reynolds	Charles City Co.	4
1664	Thos. Reynolds	Lancaster Co.	4
1664	Thos. Reignolds	Isle of Wight Co.	3
1665	Garrett/Jarrat Reynolds	Lancaster Co.	2,4
1666	Isaak Reynolds	Stafford Co.	2
1666	Samll. Raynolds	Rappahannock River	2
1669	Jno. Reynalds	Northumberland Co.	4
1687	Robert Renolls	Surry Co.	6
1699 (Jun)	Wm Rennalls&Mary	Pamunkey Neck (100 a.)	5
1704	James Reynolds senr.	Essex Co. (500 a.)	5,9
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1704	James Reynolds	Petsco-Gloucester Co.(200 a.)	5,9
1704	James Reynolds	Warwick Co. (75 a.)	5,9
1704	Jonah Reynolds	New Kent Co. (50 a.)	5,9
1704	Richard Reynolds	Middlesex Co. (50 a.)	5,9
1704	Robert Reynolds	Surry Co. (150 a.)	5,9
1704	Samuell Reynolds	New Kent Co. (820 a.)	5,9
1704	Thomas Reynolds	New Kent Co. (255 a.)	5,9
1704	William Reynolds	King William Co. (100 a.)	5,9
1713	Rich'd Rennalls, Jr.	Isle of Wight Co. 1699 (Jun)	5
1714	Sam'l Reynalds	New Kent Co. (289 a.)	5
1716	Peter Renolds	Northumberland Co.	4
1717	Jonathan Rennells	Essex Co.	4
1733(b. MD))	John Reynolds	Spotsylvania Co.	8
1732(b.)	Thomas Reynolds	Albemarle Co.	8
1735	John Reynolds & Richard Hyland	Orange Co., Opeckon (856 a.)	5
1736	James Reynolds	Rappahanock River, Forks of (370 a.)	5
1740(b.)	Eleanor Reynolds (male)	Albemarle Co.	8
1740(Jun)	Robert Rennocks on Buffalo Lick	Orange Co. (Augusta), 400 a.	10

----- **Endnotes**

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[Note: All of the above references have been reproduced and collectively indexed on Family Archives CD#503, *Virginia Colonial Records, 1600s - 1700s* (Genealogical Publishing, Baltimore, MD).]

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