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WHEN DUES ARE DUE: Dues are due and payable each year at the annual meeting of the Reynolds Family Association. For those not attending the meeting, the dues are still due at the time of the meeting with a grace period til the end of the year. Paid dues entitles members to a complete volume of the newsletter. (1987 dues = Vol.V, 4 issues.)



NEW BEGINNINGS: Congratulations to Susan and Stewart R. Essex, Jr. upon the arrival of their son, a new grandson for Executive Vice President, Stewart R. Essex, Sr. and his wife. Jonathon represents the eleventh generation of the JAMES of N.Kingston line, and is our newest potential member. On behalf of the entire membership, we send our best wishes to the Essex family. The date of birth and other vital statistics are not known at this time, but will probably be made available in the near future.

EDITOR'S NOTE: In reviewing all RFA correspondence received, this is the only new birth located. It seems unlikely that this is the only baby to arrive in the past three months, so if I have overlooked this important information, please let me know and the births will be acknowledged in the next issue.



SPEEDY RECOVERY: Best Wishes for a continued speedy recovery to Betty, the wife of Howard L. Reynolds, our treasurer. According to Howard, Betty is steadily improving after a nasty fall.

Paul Clement, husband of Susan, our executive secretary, has had to hobble around on crutches because of an accident, but is probably back on two feet by the time this goes to press. It is hoped that he has fully recovered.

Dorothy Jellinghaus, our beloved historian-consultant, is on an extended visit with her family in Michigan, recuperating from "Cabin Fever". She will be in this area for a few more weeks then will return to her home in Delaware. Her mail is being forwarded to her, so her replies will take longer than usual.

For the years that the RFA was inactive, Dorothy safeguarded to RFA records, thereby affording us a foundation for reorganization in 1977. Several members were responsible for the reorganization of the RFA, but without Dorothy it wouldn't have happened with access to many valuable records, documents and publications which have allowed us to carry on the RFA in the tradition of the original founders.

Dorothy is a gracious lady to whom we all owe a great deal of gratitude for the preservation of our RFA material, the generous help she extends, her words and deeds of encouragement to the officers and membership, her continued interest in the growth of the Reynolds Family Association, her dedication to the preservation of the records and last but not least, her friendship.



DEEP REGRETS: Our historian-consultant reports on the loss of one of our long time members due to an untimely death. Much of the RFA's reorganization is due to this member and he will be greatly missed by all who knew him. We hope that the recollection of fond memories will help the family of William Glasgow Reynolds during this time of sorrow.

WILLIAM GLASGOW REYNOLDS, affectionately called "Scotty" died after a lengthy illness on Thursday, January 29, 1987. He was a major participant in the reorganization of the Reynolds Family Association. His professional advice and active participation in the initial meetings was priceless and essential.

Scotty was born July 15, 1911 in Stewart County, Tennessee and moved to Delaware in 1935. He married the former Nancy Bradford duPont May 18, 1940. He was the son of

John Lacey and Harriett Edwina Glasgow Reynolds and she the daughter of Eugene E. and Catherine Dulcinia Moxham duPont of Greenville, Delaware.

Scotty had a long and illustrious career with DuPont, and served on numerous private and government boards and commissions. He was a frequent lecturer, author of seven books and co-authored three others. He was a graduate of Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee and was first in his class at Vanderbilt School of Law. After he graduated from the law school, he joined DuPont in Wilmington, Delaware as a trial lawyer. He was an attorney with the Department of Navy during World War II. Scotty retired from DuPont in 1971.

Nancy Reynolds survives her husband of 47 years. Also surviving a son, William Bradford Reynolds, assistant U. S. attorney general of Arlington, Virginia; three daughters, Katherine Sturges Reynolds of Phoenix, Arizona, Mrs. John Savage of Omaha, Nebraska, and Mrs. Kermit Nelson Farris of Wilmington, Delaware; and 13 grandchildren.

We extend our deepest sympathy on behalf of the entire membership.

BY WAY OF INTRODUCTION: Susan E. Clement, Executive Secretary of RFA

Susan was elected Executive Secretary at the Old Sturbridge RFA meeting. As the chart on the side shows, she is definitely related to Electious Reynolds.

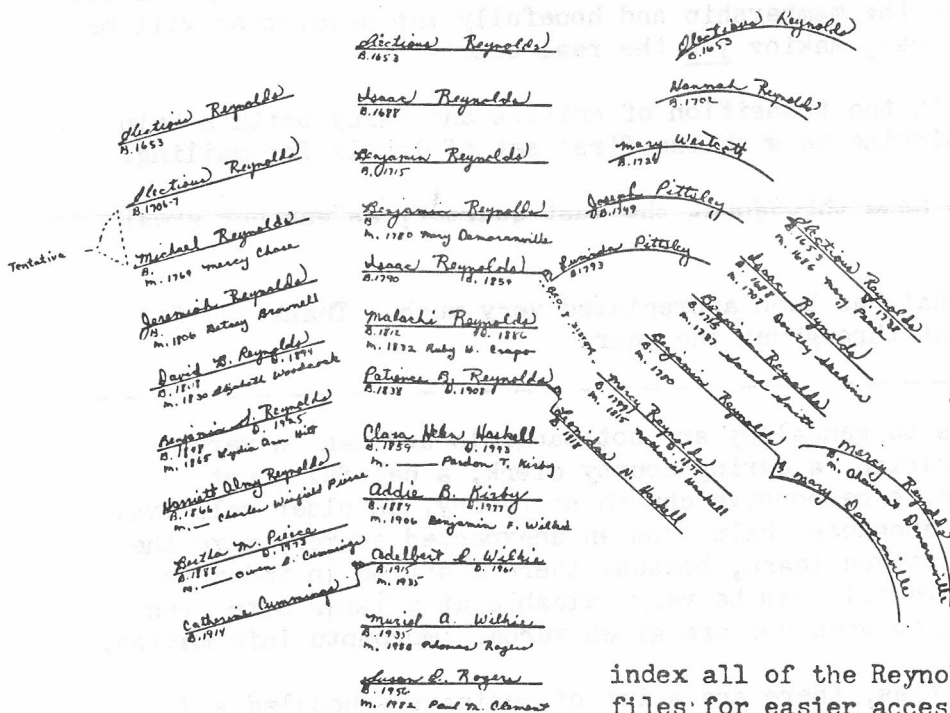
Susan lives in Swansea, MA with her husband Paul and their five sons. She works for the Dept. of Public Welfare for Massachusetts as a Program Manager. She belongs to many societies and associations. Susan became interested in genealogy and became an RFA member in 1985.

Susan enjoys corresponding and sharing information with others. She has certainly been of great assistance to me in a short period of time. Her immediate goal is to

index all of the Reynolds ancestors in the Association files for easier access to respond to requests received. She has already begun finding ancestor patterns that are of great interest and could become very exciting as time goes by.

Susan has also been very efficient in forwarding new member information to her fellow RFA officers. She says she really must thank Linda Stangel for her great organization of the mass of files and information that she received so promptly, together with all the other "belongings" to the office of Executive Secretary, but most of all for her support and help throughout the transition.

Susan reports that we have already had a record number of new members this year, which is a continuation of the enthusiasm which was present at the Old Sturbridge meeting. She will keep the membership informed through the newsletter if she finds a real find in the files.



FROM THE EDITOR

First, I would like to thank each and every one of you having taken the time to send me your cards and letters. Many were in response to the article in the last newsletter, and I haven't answered them all as yet. However, as soon as this newsletter is in the mail, RFA mail is my top priority. Most of you who included your phone number have already been called...that's quicker and easier, and as stated before, MCI loves me because I'd rather call than wait. (So please include a phone number when writing?)

Most of you who wrote were interested in genealogy, but some of you were only interested in the Reynolds Family Association for other reasons and had no interest whatsoever in genealogy. So basically, I have tried to hold to the format presented at Old Sturbridge for the expanded version of the newsletter. There is not a book review in this issue, as I haven't had replies for permission yet. There isn't much member material because only one member forwarded me any material. Your articles and other material are needed.

This is the membership's newsletter, and I am trying to present it to you as you want it presented, so please keep the cards and letters coming. Your thoughts and ideas are very important to all the officers of the RFA.

Our president has come up with a couple of excellent ideas for closer communication between the officers in order to better serve the membership and hopefully the newsletter will be the benefactor as results of these ideas, making you the real benefactor.

Our treasurer has been a great help in the transition of editors and Marcy Smith's help was very valuable....especially furnishing me with the first set of labels for mailing.

Our executive secretary was my right hand throughout the last quarter, as was our great historian-consultant.

Everyone has been very helpful and that has been appreciated very much. Thank you for your support.. May it be ever present throughout the year.

FINDING YOUR ANCESTORS: Certain aids to genealogy are not tangible and can be very important....a good genealogical librarian, a caring county clerk, a helpful court clerk, a courteous cemetery custodian, a responsive church secretary, an older relative. Whenever you are fortunate enough to encounter help from an unexpected source, make the most of it. Make careful notes on what you learn, because there won't be an index to refer to at a later date. What you are told can be very valuable at a later date even though it seems to be of no value to you when you are given verbal impromptu information.

Among your various genealogical societies, there are a lot of seminars scheduled and could be of interest to other members, so please report them if possible in order to share the information. Information was received on some seminars in Ohio: 5/9/87 at 543 S. Front St, Columbus, Ohio, the Ohio Chapter of Palatines to America will hold a one-day seminar (at the Germania Club) Friedrich Wollmershaueser of Stuttgart, Germany will be the featured speaker. The Federation of Genealogical Societies is sponsoring the "Harvest of History, 1987 - A Conference for all People" to be held July 8-12 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Also: May 13-16, Radisson Hotel, Raleigh, N.C., the National Genealogical Society Conference is held. The theme will be "North Carolina, Where It All Began." Then June 4 - 6 in South Bend, Indiana, The Old Northwest Bicentennial Conference will be held, focusing on the history of the old Northwest Territory. (Thanks, Gene!)

Seminars and workshops can be of great value, especially if the speaker is organized and prepared for the program or subject.



OUT OF PRINT: There is no way of knowing how many members have access to the old annuals which have long been out of print. The 1903 annual is one of the earlier annuals using the format of several and gives a brief review of the origins of the RFA, which many members may not be aware of, so we are going to reprint a portion of the 1903 in this newsletter. To save space the pages have been reduced to approximately one-fourth their original size. Like all columns in the newsletter, membership opinion will determine if this particular section continues to be part of our newsletter.



THE REYNOLDS FAMILY ASSOCIATION.

THE Twelfth Annual Reunion of the REYNOLDS FAMILY ASSOCIATION was held at Bristol, R. I., August 20, 1903. Notwithstanding it was the first meeting of the association to take place outside of the State of Connecticut, the twelfth reunion was a decided success, more members being present than at any previous meeting. Owing to the fact that it was necessary for a majority of those present to travel a long distance to attend, several journeyed to historic Bristol the day before the reunion—in fact, REYNOLDS was a much-mooted name in the town during the entire week.

The business meeting and banquet were held at D'Wolf Inn. The usual reception and welcome to members was held in the parlors of the hotel prior to the business meeting, which was called to order at 11 o'clock.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. R. Trotter, of Bristol, R. I.

The President then addressed the association as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Reynolds Family Association:

I am reminded by the presence of so many members and friends, and by the interchange of greetings that I have observed this morning, that another year has rolled around, and in the infinite goodness of our Heavenly Father we are privileged to unite in the observance of the twelfth anniversary of the Reynolds Family Association. It has been customary, in years past, for the President of your association to speak a word of welcome to its members and friends at the opening of the annual session, and I have great pleasure in welcoming you all to this twelfth anniversary, and I desire to express my appreciation of your presence and your loyalty to the Reynolds Family Association. The meetings of our association have heretofore been held within the boundaries of the State of Connecticut, as many of you know. Those of you who were present at our meeting last year will recall, no doubt, the very

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kind invitation extended to the association by our esteemed first Vice-President, of Bristol, to meet here. I am sure we are very glad to meet in the good State of Rhode Island to-day. We are indebted to our friend and brother, Mr. Reynolds, for the provision he has made for meeting in this historic town of Bristol. We have come over into Rhode Island where we may have an opportunity of meeting more of the Rhode Island families than we have had the pleasure of seeing at our former meetings. To-day, therefore, marks a departure from the usual custom of our association, which, by the way, appears to be gradually changing from what was once a local organization to one that is destined, I believe, to include all the old families of our name. It is gratifying to observe the familiar faces this morning. It is also a pleasure to see the new faces—faces of those who to-day meet with us for the first time; and to all present I bid hearty welcome to this our twelfth annual reunion. Let us hope that it will be no less joyful than those that have preceded it, and that this day may be one of genuine pleasure to every one of us. We meet to-day to perpetuate the memory and deeds of our ancestors, to renew many pleasant memories and recollections of the past, and to form new friendships that will prove great fountains of pleasure in the years to come. The year just closed presents only encouraging features in the growth of the association, in the work which it has accomplished and in its prospects for the future. I shall not take time now to refer to the work which lies directly before the association, with which you are all more or less familiar. The various reports will be submitted for your consideration at this session. Our Historian will also present some matters of interest concerning the beginnings of our association. My duty is to simply welcome you to-day to this festive occasion, and to hope that the day may be full of pleasant experiences to every one of you. In behalf of the association I extend to you all most cordial welcome.

Mr. John P. Reynolds:

Mr. Chairman:—I have been requested to welcome the Reynolds Family Association to old Bristol, and it gives me great pleasure to do so. It was with some fear and trembling that last year I extended an invitation to the association, when we met in New London, and suggested that the next meeting be held in Bristol. I was fearful for two reasons: In the first place, that the members generally would not care to make such a change, for previously all the meetings had been held in Connecticut; and in the second place, that if it was decided to come here, we would not have many present, and it would be a failure in that way. But, as I look around to-day and see them still coming, I feel that it has not been a mistake. It looks as if the number would be very good here to-day. There is considerable business to be attended to this morning, and as we are engaged to complete it by 12 o'clock, I shall cut my remarks very short. I simply state, perhaps, what has been stated before, that arrangements have been made to take a walk up to the old cemetery and visit the old grave-stone, a picture of which has been shown to the association before, and then to visit the historic residence of the Reynolds, built by Joseph Reynolds. We shall be back here in time for dinner at 2 o'clock.

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wended our way hither to confer on subjects of mutual interest, to kindly and tenderly bring the silent dead into loving remembrance and strew their graves with fresh flowers.

We come to join in the kind of hero worship which is reverent recognition of the faith and courage of our Puritan ancestors. They may not have comprehended the stretch and sweep of the purposes of God in bringing them into the wilderness of New England, but it is a fact for Americans to be proud of, that the fame of our Puritan ancestors, instead of diminishing, grows brighter and more intense, the world around, with the passing years.

How completely in keeping with the object of the society whose invitation has brought us together in this place, the home of Captain Nathaniel Reynolds and his descendants, to recount their virtues and pay our tribute of honor to their memory.

Robert Reynolds was in Watertown in 1632, and may have been in Boston in 1630, or earlier. As the oldest family in Boston of this name, it takes just pride in its ancient origin and its clear and unbroken lineage. We find in this family names written high in the roll of fame—warriors, statesmen, orators, theologians, those who have brought to the bench not only sound learning, absolute integrity and the judicial mind, but also in a marked degree the judicial presence and dignity.

To view the historic mansion built about 1700 by Joseph Reynolds, born December 20, 1676, son of Nathaniel, is an additional pleasure. This mansion and its surroundings bear testimony to a standard of living in full keeping with the dignity of his time and life. From this substantial mansion Joseph ad dispensed a generous hospitality, and he was honored by having as his guest for about ten days in this house, in the fall of 1778, General Lafayette. George Washington said: "Without the money and sword of France this young republic would never have acquired liberty." This Joseph saw the birth of American freedom and rocked the cradle of the infant republic. After a life full of stirring events and ripe with age and honors, he died in 1759. The third Joseph inherited a distinguished name and enriched it with added distinction. It is expected that the full history of these descendants will soon be published.

Those of you who were present last year will remember that a lengthy sketch of John Reynolds of Watertown and Stamford, with their descendants, was given. Of them we have nothing new to relate at this time, but with grateful hearts mention that the older members in this branch have been spared to us, the eldest being that good servant of God, our venerated and beloved Edwin R. Reynolds, of Albion, N. Y., now 88 years of age.

From the line of Henry of Chichester, the Pennsylvania branch, we have within the last year received several new members from the West. These descendants have helped to build up and develop that splendid western country of ours until it has blossomed like the rose. Among them we find men of keen and trained intelligence—ministers, doctors, lawyers, men of the highest standing in their respective communities.

Dr. Hills says: "The Friends have produced in proportion to numbers more great men than any other group of people." A member of this branch of the family, Mr. Joseph T. Richards, of Philadelphia, holds the responsible position of Chief Engineer of Maintenance of Way with the Pennsylvania, America's greatest railroad. The memory of the late Joseph Reynolds, of Philadelphia, a member of the same branch, is cherished by all who knew him. Mr. Lewis G. Reynolds, of Dayton, Ohio, also of this family, was the originator of the Carnation League of America, instituted as an annual memorial to the late President William McKinley.

Of the William of Providence, or James of Kingston, family we have a most encouraging report to bring, there being no less than eight genealogists at work, besides those trying to connect with that line. Ex-Governor John J. Reynolds, of Wickford, R. I., has been at work for years. This occasion would seem perfect but for his necessary absence. He is certainly here in thought. In 1900, Mrs. H. K. Wight, your Assistant Historian, published her line with allied families, tracing back to Joseph, son of James 1st.

Mr. Thomas A. Reynolds, of East Greenwich, R. I., and Prof. William A. Reynolds, of Wilmington, Del., have just issued a pamphlet of more than forty pages, tracing back to Francis, son of James 1st. Some years ago Mr. Charles E. Tillinghast made a study of the family in England, giving his line back to William, born in 1561 in Gloucestershire, through James, Jr., who settled at Sand Hills, North Kingston, R. I.

Col. Uriah Lott, of Glen Ridge, N. J., with Mr. George Washington Reynolds, of Minneapolis, Minn., the oldest member of this association, are expecting to publish their line very soon, which is through Francis, son of James 1st.

Hon. H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, Pa., who is with us to-day for the first time, has been making a study of his line, and from him we will hear later.

Attention has been called to the omission of the history of this association in our printed reports, and I have been asked to state the circumstances attending its formation in this report. There were no romantic or heroic features connected with its details; no great plan was formulated at the start. Of the circumstances leading up to it, the interest awakened by the formation of patriotic societies, Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution, and like organizations, which have done so much to promote the growth of interest in historical research and preservation of family history, had its influence, and must certainly be reckoned with as an important factor in its formation.

However, the principal reason for holding the first meeting was this: In August, 1892, some of the descendants of John Reynolds, of Stonington, Conn., being on a visit to their native place, Lyme, Conn., became interested in the records of that historic town, which date back to 1665, and its early settlers, the Griswolds, Lays, Elys, De Wols, McCurdy, John Reynolds, Reynold Marvin, and others. As their thoughts turned backward to their ancestors, a strong desire was kindled to know more

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Order of Business.

Reading of Minutes.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of Treasurer.

1903.		RECEIPTS.		
Aug. 21.	Balance on hand,	-	-	\$5 24
	Received for membership fees,	-	-	\$87 00
	Received for reports sold,	-	-	75
				\$92 75
				\$92 99
1902.		PAYMENTS.		
Aug. 21.	Paid for menu cards, 1902 meeting,	-	-	\$3 30
	Paid for report of 1902 meeting and expenses of stenographer,	-	-	11 04
	Paid for invitations, 1902 meeting,	-	-	4 75
Aug. 30.	Paid balance due on 1901 reports,	-	-	13 25
1903.				
Jan. 20.	Paid for membership roll,	-	-	4 50
Feb. 9.	Paid for engraving coat of arms,	-	-	9 50
June 13.	Paid on account of 1902 reports,	-	-	29 35
Aug. 20.	Paid for postage and express to date,	-	-	13 10
				\$88 99
	Cash on hand,	-	-	\$4 00

Report of Historian.

Mr. President and Members of the Reynolds Family Association:

As your Historian, I bring you most cordial greetings and messages of love and peace. It gives us great pleasure to hold this twelfth anniversary in the Commonwealth of Rhode Island, to come to Providence, "the cradle of religious liberty," and to assemble in this historic town of Bristol. Whether we regard the occasion as a pilgrimage to a patriotic shrine, a family home-coming to give thanks for all our ancestors were able to do and be, or as a social gathering, it is sure to be one of profit and pleasure. In the words of the Thanksgiving Proclamation, we have "laid aside our usual avocations," and with common consent have

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of their history, and while no particular plan was outlined for the work, they decided to call the family together.

The first meeting was held August 23, 1892, at the home of Judge Frederick Fosdick, North Lyme, Conn. There were present three sons of the late Henry Billings Reynolds of Lyme, Conn., viz., Ephraim O. Reynolds, Wilson C. Reynolds and Giles L. Reynolds, with their families, sixteen in number. This gathering was of an informal nature. All present were in favor of an annual reunion, and the plan outlined was to invite all the known descendants of this branch of the Reynolds family, a majority of whom were then living in Eastern Connecticut, to meet in some convenient place. The object of the reunion was to be the collection of facts and events in the history of the family, to perpetuate family ties, and to increase sociability among kindred. A committee was appointed to determine the time and place of the next meeting. During the day a visit was paid to the homestead and the little schoolhouse where so many of the family received their early training in the three R's.

The second meeting was held at Hamberg, Conn., August 16, 1893, where the thirty-one members of the family present were the guests of Mr. Ephraim O. Reynolds. The morning hour was spent in social intercourse, and after a collation served in the public hall, a business meeting was held, Mr. Giles L. Reynolds acting as chairman and Miss Anna M. Reynolds as secretary.

The third reunion was held at North Lyme, August 15, 1894. At the business meeting the formation of a permanent organization was agreed upon, and the chair was authorized to appoint a committee of four to act with the chair in drawing up a constitution to be laid before the meeting in 1895.

The fourth meeting took place at Crescent Beach, Conn., July 18, 1895, Mr. Ephraim O. Reynolds acting as chairman. The object of the meeting was stated, viz., that a permanent organization be formed, to be known as The Reynolds Family Association. The committee appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, recommended the same as published in our annual reports. I will not take time to read them. The object of the association as set forth in the constitution is to collect and preserve memorials, and to secure the preparation and publication of a genealogical sketch of the Reynolds family.

At the fifth reunion, held at Niantic, Conn., August 12, 1896, a committee was appointed to prepare the history of John Reynolds of Weymouth and Stonington.

The sixth meeting was held at Crescent Beach, August 25, 1897. At this meeting it was voted to appoint a committee to confer with other branches of the Reynolds family about to publish memorials or genealogies, and, if possible, to unite in the publication of a history embracing all the branches. This committee was continued from year to year until 1901, when the present committee was chosen. This brings us to the commencement of our published reports.

This organization, from its inception until 1899, was local in interest, and membership was confined to descendants of John and Ann (Holbrook) Reynolds. At the 1899 meeting the constitution was amended to admit all of the name whose ancestors were in this country in 1660. In 1900, by means of another amendment, the 1660 limit was changed to 1700.

The work of the association after twelve years affords, as a whole, a very satisfactory retrospect as far as membership is concerned. A comparison between then and now is full of interest, and affords ample justification for what was then somewhat hesitatingly undertaken. The original design has by no means been lost sight of—that of publishing a genealogy of the Reynolds family.

The association claims fraternity with all of the name. Formally stated its functions are: (1) To gather from all possible sources facts of every kind which bear on the history of our ancestors; (2) to seek to hold together the descendants of all the original proprietors in common fellowship and brotherhood; (3) social service is its spirit. To sum up the mission of this organization, it exists for the betterment of the Reynolds family and for the brightening and smoothing of life. It has kindled a feeling of mutual affection between members of the Reynolds family, "turned the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the hearts of the children to the fathers." These results have been obtained largely through the influence of members. Our strength is in our membership.

The past year has been one of expansion and most substantial growth. But we are only at the beginning. The past points the way to the future. We have in a measure learned to grow; let us put our knowledge into practice.

In closing, I wish to gratefully acknowledge the many favors shown and assistance rendered to me by the members of this association, and I especially desire to thank the officers for their constant assistance, courtesy and interest. I also wish to express my gratification in having been privileged to serve under our President and the honorable Vice-Presidents.

On the motion of Mr. J. P. Reynolds, duly seconded, the thanks of the association were extended to Mrs. Fosdick for her excellent report.

Mr. Howard I. Reynolds then read the Necrologist's report, as follows:

Mr. President and Members of the Reynolds Family Association:

I have to announce the death of Amelia Boardman Reynolds, wife of Wilson C. Reynolds, who died August 13, 1903. By her gentleness of spirit, her unswerving personal charms, and her consecrated life she won a large place in the affections of all. Mrs. Reynolds was deeply interested in this association, and showed her interest by attending its meetings, as well as in many other ways.

that had not been referred to. He said he should be pleased to hear from any representative of John of Wethersfield.

Mr. J. P. Reynolds said that there did not seem to be any representative of John of Wethersfield present. He also said that Marcus Reynolds, of Albany, had accomplished a good deal in this line, and also that Dr. Street had done work in the same direction.

New Business.

The association then proceeded to the election of officers, and on motion of Mr. Cole, duly seconded, the officers of 1902-03 were unanimously reflected.

On motion of Mr. H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, the thanks of the association were tendered the officers of the association.

On motion of Mr. H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, the thanks of the association were tendered the President for preparing and distributing badges among the members of the association.

Mr. J. P. Reynolds moved that Mr. H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, be added to the list of Vice-Presidents.

The President drew the attention of the association to the fact that the by-laws provided for five Vice-Presidents, and before Mr. J. P. Reynolds's motion could be entertained it would be necessary to amend the by-laws.

Mr. J. P. Reynolds moved that the by-laws be amended so as to provide for six Vice-Presidents, instead of five. The motion was adopted.

Mr. J. P. Reynolds then nominated Mr. H. C. Reynolds for the office of sixth Vice-President. The motion was duly seconded and unanimously adopted.

The President called upon Mrs. H. K. Wight to read the following letter:

TO THE REYNOLDS FAMILY ASSOCIATION, ASSEMBLED IN THE CITY OF BRISTOL, R. I., AUGUST 20, 1903:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen, of the great Reynolds Family:

I esteem it one of the privileges of my life to appear before you (even by proxy) with the cheerful greetings that kindle in my heart. The name Reynolds to me has for a long time awakened more than common interest, and I suppose that 100 or 200 will be met on 20th this August,

A Jeweled Chain.

Written by CELIA MARY REYNOLDS, for the twelfth annual reunion of the Reynolds Family Association.

Back in the years whose deeds and thoughts in shadow yet remain,
Two spirits, Time and Human Life, were working at a chain.
They wrought until they came in sight of us who live to-day,
And now we watch them eagerly as still they work away.

Link after link beneath their hands the rich, bright chain extends,
Distinct from other works while yet with other works it blends,
Forming a part of that great web, that wondrous web of life
Whose tints are loves and joys of men, their sorrows and their strife.

Two spirits, Time and Human Life,—have these two worked alone,
Unaided forging out the chain that to such length has grown?
Nay, God hath touched each link, and lo! some jewel glows thereon,
With light that from no other place than heaven hath ever shone.

That chain—what mean to you and me its beauty and its worth?
It is the lineage we claim to be our own by birth;
Its jewels are the graces found in upright lives and true,
Lived by the faith of Jesus Christ, and by His power made new.

I have also to announce the death of William S. Reynolds, who died in his studio at East Orange, N. J., on Tuesday, June 2, 1903. Mr. William S. Reynolds was poet, author, journalist, and artist. He was the fifth child of Thomas and Juliana Reynolds, and was born in Reynoldsville, Pa., April 7, 1833.

The report was ordered placed on the records.

Report of the Arms Committee.

By Mr. HOWARD REYNOLDS, of Boston.

Mr. President and Members of the Reynolds Family Association:

At the reunion held last year in New London the Reynolds Family Association formally adopted, as an insignia of membership, the old Reynolds Coat of Arms, as portrayed upon the tombstone in Bristol cemetery, having found that the name Reynolds was distinctively Norman, and that the Arms appeared substantially the same in France at a very early period.

During the month of January some two hundred notices were mailed, notifying members that if sufficient subscriptions were received colored lithographic copies would be prepared, and sold at fifty cents each.

There was an immediate response to this notice and the net sum of \$47 was in the hands of the Clerk of the Arms within a few months. This was less than half of the estimated sum required, and the project was on the point of being abandoned, when five gentlemen came forward and subscribed \$10 each to insure the success of the undertaking.

The small subscription was at first a disappointment, but the committee soon learned that through a misapprehension many of the members understood that only one copy would be issued to each, whereas members may purchase as many as they choose for distribution as presents to their relatives. Additional copies may be obtained by addressing Howard Reynolds, 192 Devonshire Street, Boston, as long as the supply holds out.

As to the Arms themselves, the committee sincerely hope that they fulfill expectations.

The original design is by Henry Mitchell, of Boston, an authority on seal cutting and heraldic design, who has twice been offered the directorship of the National Mint, who cut both the old and the present seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and is at present at work upon a new seal for Harvard College.

The printing was done by Frang, the celebrated lithographer, and in order to obtain the maximum of brilliancy and general effect, each one has been through the press seven times.

As to the other matter with which the committee was charged, namely, the publication of the genealogies, we can report considerable progress. In order that the meeting may have a full sense of the situation, we

A. D. 1903,—a new day, that none of us ever enjoyed before and can never again—met, to make and renew acquaintance with our kinsfolk, just for a day in our life journey, and let it be a day of profit to us all. This very thought must inspire in every heart a thrill of thanksgiving to Him, the author of our being, that He has permitted such a goodly number, all of one blood and nearly of one name, to voice our cheery greetings together, and it is with much regret that I cannot in person enjoy this more than common privilege with you. Having recently read the minutes of your last year's meeting, your sayings and doings awaken a strong wish to be present with you. While it is no loss to you, it is a serious one to me. I am in good general health, but because of a fall five years ago, disjuncting my hip, the left foot fails to do its duty. So I may not look at your cheery faces and mingle with you in pleasant converse, making your acquaintance, but must sit in silence, imagining your full enjoyment of the occasion through the day's fleeting hours, and patiently await the faithful mail to bring me a list of your names and the details of your doings, and especially the speeches of the several brilliant Reynolds, which I shall much enjoy. It will be with me the aftermath, the "sugaring-off" time. This thought makes me a little lonely: that I, like other children, must wait for second table.

I notice some of your rules, same as practiced soon after the landing from the Fatherland—then greater dangers surrounded the firstcomers, and it was found necessary to keep strict watch for lurking enemies, as in the Lexington alarm and Pequot war, prompting careful watch,—so I notice that you practice after the old time, in that hitherto you have the service of a truly faithful "Guard," and can enjoy all the privileges for which you have journeyed so far, some of you, without molestation. I am glad in thinking you will have with you the Hon. Ex-Governor J. J. Reynolds, whom I remember meeting at Wickford in 1841, when he was well out of his teens. He, reared there, among many of our ancestors, can give you valuable information of our earliest Reynolds settlers in America, as quite a number are buried at Humesland and Sand Hills. And now I am aware that the Reynolds enjoy lively company and are met for one short day only, don't let your good name be neglected or forgotten in the midst of your good cheer. Think soberly of how much we value this *our own name*. Is it worth recording? I think so, and propose as follows: That whereas Mr. Allen Reynolds, of Davisville, near Wickford, knows and can point out the grave of John Reynolds in the old cemetery near John, son of Peter, son of James 2d, son of James 1st, who tradition says was the son of first William, who came from England with John and Christopher in about 1634,—(we have counted William out because he failed to get himself on record as a citizen, as did James, and I have been told he had an incurable disease caused by alcohol, so we are ashamed to own him as our kin),—now I suggest that we put an enduring monument at John's grave in the shape of a block of granite, say about three feet square, a sloping top, dressed over: on the sloping top "John Reynolds" cut in: three sides dressed and inscribed with other names, James 1st, James 2d, Peter 2d, William, and such as a

suggest that the historians of the five branches, or such of them as are present, be called upon to state the percentage of completion in which their work now stands, the approximate number of pages, and any estimates they have received for the cost of publication and price per copy to members.

The report was ordered received and made part of the records.

The President addressed the association with reference to completing the reports of the five lines of the Reynolds family, some of which lines, he said, have a fairly complete history, which with a few weeks' or months' attention would be ready for publication.

Judge John P. Reynolds stated that he had taken up the work in his line, profiting by the work of those who had preceded him. He stated that his work was nearly complete, and, in fact, had been so for ten years; and the reason for its remaining in that condition so long a time had been due to the stumbling block concerning which he had addressed the association in previous years. This difficulty was with reference to Benjamin Reynolds, who went to Nova Scotia about 1770; who was married and had children, and who returned to this country at the time of the Revolutionary War. Outside of that, Judge Reynolds thought his work was in a fair state of completion.

Mrs. Fosdick stated that her work in that line was as nearly completed as any work of that kind could be.

Mr. H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, Pa., supplemented the report of Mrs. Fosdick, and urged the development of a greater enthusiasm in the work of the association.

The Rev. Frederick B. Cole, of Wickford, said that the branch of the family to which he belonged had been accounted for by Judge Reynolds. He referred to the work of Mr. John J. Reynolds, of Wickford, and to the difficulties encountered therein. Mr. Cole could not say how near this part of the work was ready for publication. For the last few years they had simply been hunting for details. They had got back to James directly, but beyond James they were at sea, although they had settled some things definitely.

The President said that it must be very encouraging to listen to these reports, and called for any other lines of family history

committee of not over three, which I trust you will appoint at this meeting with authority to place. Such a monument will last 1000 years, marble only 100. I will pay \$10 toward it. What say you all, gentlemen and descendants of James of Kingston?

My parents reared six sons (of them I was the first), and each of those sons had six sisters. All came up to mature years and all had families,—not average, but about or near four children, who have families averaging less than two to each of children. Other American families about the same, and it looks that in a few more generations the Reynolds family will become extinct, and what shall be the summing up, closing record of our name? As the name goes out shall there be seen a brightening halo across the horizon in which the name of Reynolds shall appear? All depends upon our life's work what it shall tell for us.

God created this great and beautiful world, arrayed it in lovely adornings, and created man to enjoy himself in its culture and further adornings, while he should heed the injunction, "Multiply and replenish the earth." Also He enjoins us to be diligent in business, yet fervent in spirit, serving the Lord.

My dear kinsmen, let us so employ while here our God-given capacities and energies, that at the close of our mortal career and our name passes, where—into oblivion? or shall our lives and work have some place on history's page?—that we shall have wrought good works, and the name Reynolds be written on fadeless memories of ours beyond earthly vision.

I am going just before you, and may it be mine to hail and welcome you all to the "Land over there, that is fairer than day," where rightness, peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost shall be ours forever.

Accept my regrets that I cannot meet with you and make your acquaintance, and my heartiest wishes that all present may have an enjoyable time and safe return to your homes again.

Respectfully yours, GEORGE W. REYNOLDS.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

It was duly moved and seconded that the foregoing letter be made a part of and printed with the records of the association.

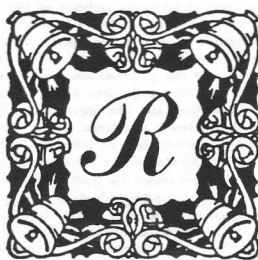
Mr. H. C. Reynolds, of Scranton, Pa., moved that a committee be appointed to consider the suggestions referred to in the foregoing letter of George W. Reynolds, as to the marking of the grave of John Reynolds.

The motion was adopted, and the President announced the following committee:

Mr. John Jonathan Reynolds, Wickford, R. I.
Mr. Joseph E. Reynolds, Monson, Mass.
Mr. Joseph G. Reynolds, Wickford, R. I.

The President announced that letters of regret had been received from:

Mrs. Margaret Reynolds Cordline, Randolph, N. Y.
Mrs. Mary C. Reynolds Lott, Appleton Place.
Joseph E. Reynolds, Monson, Mass.
Mrs. C. B. Boynton, Hartford, Conn.
Mrs. Julia S. Reynolds Baldwin, Bryn Mawr, Pa.
Harrah J. Reynolds, Rochester, N. Y.
E. W. Reynolds, New York City.
S. Walter Reynolds, Pinesville, Ill.
Lewis G. Reynolds, Dayton, O.
James B. Reynolds, Dayton, O.
Miss Celia M. Reynolds, Manchester Depot.
F. F. Street, Hartford, Conn.
George A. Reynolds, Hartford, Conn.



REYNOLDS RECIPEPAULINE'S CHOCOLATE CAKEPREHEAT OVEN TO 400°

2 C. All-purpose Flour	3- $\frac{1}{2}$ T. Cocoa	1/2 C. Buttermilk	1 tsp. Soda
2 C. Granulated Sugar	1 C. Water	2 Eggs	1 tsp. Vanilla
1/2 C. Margarine	1/2 C. Wesson Oil		

MIX together flour and sugar in large bowl.
BRING to boil in sauce pan margarine, water and Wesson Oil.
POUR over flour and sugar mixture.
ADD buttermilk, eggs, soda and vanilla.
STIR all ingredients until well blended.
POUR into 13 x 9 pan which has been greased and floured.
BAKE 20 to 25 minutes at 400°.
COOL in pan, then frost
STORE in pan until ready to serve.

PAULINE'S FROSTING

1/2 C. Margarine
 3- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. Cocoa
 6 T. Milk
 1 tsp. Vanilla
 1 lb. box of Powdered Sugar
Put margarine, cocoa and milk into pan and bring to boil.
Stir in vanilla.
Pour powdered sugar into mixing bowl.
 Add chocolate mixture.
Beat until smooth.
Put on cake while still warm.

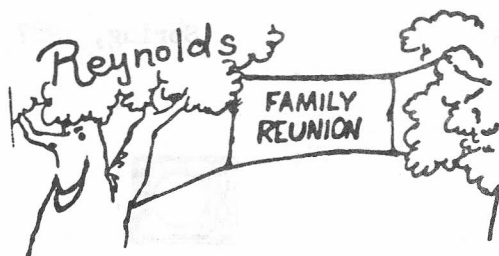
Pauline Harrison's earliest known Reynolds relation is her 3rd gr.grandfather, Justus F. Reynolds, born @ 1761. This cake goes fast at her Reynolds Family Reunion, which is held on the 4th of July.

THE LINK LINES.....RFA

The membership of the RFA can be proud of the Reynolds family history that has been preserved as part of our heritage due to documentation through the years by many RFA members. It has been suggested that more members might become interested in their own individual family history if we developed a "how to" column on the subject. As your editor, I think this is an excellent idea, but I would hesitate to rely on my own knowledge as a basis for this column. Each member who is already interested in genealogy has their own individual approach to their research. Some are content with their system and some are continually seeking better ways to proceed. If this column is to survive, then members will have to let us know what they want to learn or read about, send tips to share with others, send questions....whatever.

All members are supposed to complete a five generation chart as part of joining the RFA, and the family group sheet has been discussed in the newsletter when Marcy had requested that each member send her their family group sheets. (For your convenience, the last page of this issue is a blank family group sheet which you could photocopy, fill out and send to Marcy so that she can enter them into her computers and perhaps connect you to other members working on the same ancestor.) So for this issue, the "how to" will focus on pension records.

Pension applications date back to Colonial America and can be very valuable in your research. Any woman who had been married to a Revolutionary War veteran was eligible for a pension regardless of when she married the veteran--before, during or after the war, so widow's pension files might be very informative because they can contain a lot of information about the veteran, his widow and his children and usually give circumstances of the veteran's life after he left the military as well as pertinent facts before and during his military service. She had to prove she was his widow, usually named her children in the documents, provided marriage information, told where she had been living, sometimes submitted statements from friends, fellow veterans, neighbors, officials, or doctors, etc. If possible, get a photocopy of any pension applications so that you can review them again and perhaps read something you didn't absorb when first reading.

ANNUAL RFA MEETING

Date: October 16 and 17, 1987

Location: Americana Inn, Albany, New York

Commences: 7:00 P.M. With Dinner

Report by Tom Reynolds

Since an interest was shown for a two day RFA meeting, a dinner is planned to begin the reunion and is tentatively scheduled for 7:00 P.M. After dinner a short program has been planned, with the rest of the evening devoted to socializing or other activities of your choice. Saturday is scheduled to begin with a wine and cheese social hour. There will be a break for lunch (not included in reservation cost). After lunch, there will be a planned program, followed by the business meeting which will be followed by an open discussion session which was so popular at last year's meeting. Those staying Saturday night will make their own plans for Saturday evening and Sunday. This schedule leaves plenty of time open for a genealogy workshop early Saturday morning if enough interest is shown by the members for a workshop....or a Saturday night workshop if preferred. If interested, bring your genealogy with you.

Those not able to be in attendance Friday night will be offered an alternative fee for registration at a future date. This alternate fee will depend on the number of members requesting the alternate registration.

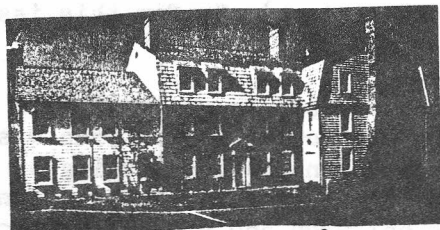
A registration form is below. Please fill out as soon as possible and return to our treasurer so that the RFA meeting can be finalized.

Several members are known to be coming by car. Many might be willing to share the ride with other members...or non-members to keep the costs down. If you would like to attend but do not have travel arrangements, let your editor know, and we will try to match up someone in the same area who would like to have a passenger(s). Perhaps you know of someone who would consider attending the meeting if they could share a ride.

There are numerous motels in the area, including Best Western, Travelodge, Sheraton, Days Inn, Howard Johnson, etc. Rates range from \$28.00-single, \$35.00-double to \$114.00-single, \$125.00-double.

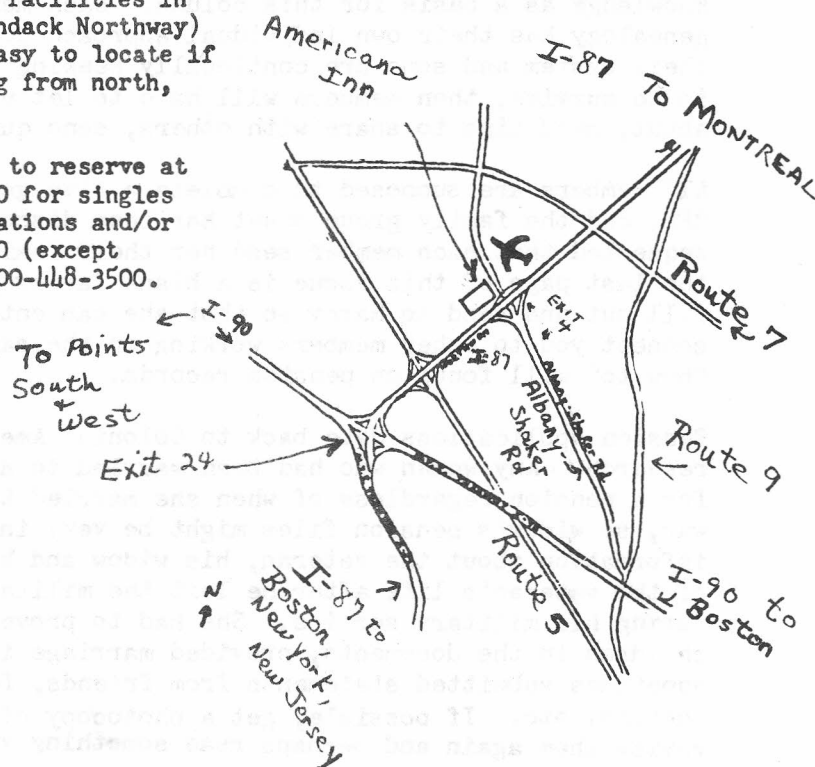
The RFA meeting is to be held at the Americana Inn, located less than one half mile from Albany County Airport. Amtrak and the bus terminals are nearby, and as the map shows, the inn is very accessible by road. The Americana Inn is considered to be one of the finest meeting and convention facilities in the East. Exit 4 off I-87. I-87 (Adirondack Northway) connects with I-90 and I-88 so is very easy to locate if traveling by auto, whether you are coming from north, east, south or west.

50 rooms have been set aside for members to reserve at the Americana Inn. The rooms cost \$75.00 for singles and \$85.00 for double rooms. For reservations and/or information call toll free 1-800-235-1210 (except New York State residents should dial 1-800-448-3500).



Americana Inn

660 Albany-Shaker Road (I-87 Exit 4)
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QUERIES

QUERIES SHOULD BE NO LONGER THAN EIGHT TYPED LINES,, giving enough data to identify your Reynolds ancestors and include your name and address. Queries are free to RFA members. Non-members may insert queries for a fee of \$2.00 each query, payable to Reynolds Family Association and limited to ancestors showing Reynolds connection.

- 871 BENNETT, HOWE, MERRIMAN, PARKS, REYNOLDS: Need help with family of Lt. Jonathan and Rebekah _____ Reynolds, both bur. Evergreen Cem, Rutland Co, Vt. My 2nd gr. grandmother, Alavander Reynolds, b. 5 Feb 1812, Wells, Vt, dau of John, Jr. and Polly Merriman Reynolds. With this info, it makes it impossible for Phoebe Bennett m. 1806 John Reynolds to be mother of John Jr. who m. 1811. Census records place John Jr. b 1790-1800; John S. was 45-up in 1800 & b. before 1755. Need Rebekah's maiden name, proof of parents of John and Waldo Reynolds.
Mrs. Louise Warner, 1160 S W Broadway, Albany OR 97321
- 872 BELL, BELLows, DORMAN, GAGE, GILBERT, HUBBELL, LETTS, MANCHESTER, NYE, REYNOLDS, WRIGHT
Stephen Roscoe Reynolds b. 1811 Ferrisburg, VT, son of Stephen and Polly (Mary) Gage Reynolds. Need documentation of parents of Stephen and Polly together with general information on this family.
Maureen Wilson, 2706 Shawnee, Des Moines, Iowa 50310
- 873 BARTLETT, BROCKWAY, BULLIS, CARTER, CHARTER, DAVIS, GIPSON, KILBURN, LEWIS, REYNOLDS
James Reynolds b 1804-06 (?) New York or Vermont, died between 1860-70. He mar. Laura Bullis b 1810. Need documentation on James and information on parents of James.
Pat Taylor, Route 1, Box 153, Norrisburg, VT 05473
- 874 ALDRICH, BUELL, HOLLISTER, HOWE, JOHNSON, REYNOLDS, ROBINSON, WITTER: Need parents of Abel T. and Joseph P. Reynolds. Abel T. b. 1820 Providence, R.I. and d. 16 Jan 1888. He m. Fanny M. Gorton 9 Jan 1845 in Cuba NY. Joseph P. b. 16 Mar 1816, R.I., m. 1860 (2) Margaret Ellen Witter, dau of Joshua and Nancy Smith Witter. Joseph P. died 26 July 1885. Joseph P. resided Friendship, NY.
W. R. Buell, 642 Meadowlane Road, Dearborn, MI 48124
- 875 JOHNSON, LASTER, MCMILLAN, MORTON, PROCTOR, REYNOLDS, WILLIAMS, WRIGHT: Need parents of Justus Reynolds b. 1749 mar. Mary Wright dau of Gideon and Elizabeth _____ Wright. Resided 1776 Frederick Co. VA, 1790-95 Spartansburg Co. SC, died 1821 in Bibb Co., AL. Would like to document parents and siblings of Justus Reynolds and all his antecedents.
Virginia Warden Reynolds, 160 Angla Drive, SE, Smyrna, GA 30080
- 876 ALLEY, BILLS, BURGE, EDELIN, HUGHES, LA RUE, REYNOLDS, RIGGS: Need to authenticate the parents of Thomas Reynolds b 1750-60 MD, m. @1777 Mary Ann Edelin, d. 1815 Tyler Co., W. Va. Thomas and Mary Ann Edelin Reynolds were parents of Daniel Reynolds, b. 27 April 1801, Washington Co., OH who mar. 1824 Sarah LaRue, dau of Isaac LaRue and Elizabeth Hughes LaRue. Thomas might be son of Noah Reynolds, but have not been able to document. Interested in all information concerning this family.
Millard F. Reynolds, Rt 2 Box 232, St. Marys, W VA 28170
- 877 BOYNTON, COGGINS, GILPATRICK, HODGKINS, HUTCHINGS, KING, REYNOLDS: Would like to get in touch with any of descendants of Nathaniel Reynolds' children, especially the descendants of John, Lydia and James. (Nathaniel of Marblehead, MA, Amherst, N.S., and Lubec, ME.)
Arthur W. Reynolds, 3 Pleasant View Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095
(entered from request by letter to Exec. Secretary)

QUERIES -Cont'd

- 878 PURDY, REYNOLDS, WILDMAN: Seeking information to complete the family of Solomon Reynolds, born 1735 Connecticut; married 1754 in Connecticut Mary Wildman. Solomon was son of Nathaniel and Ruth Purdy, adopted son of Gideon Reynolds. Nathaniel, Gideon and Solomon removed to Dutchess Co., New York, Lower Nine Partners, Great Nine Partners, Patent 1740. Details in John and Sarah Reynolds by Marion Reynolds, 1924. Also seeking this book.
Bertha Reynolds Wilson, 2988 Chestnut Street, Riverside, CA 92501
- 879 DURHAM, REYNOLDS, RUNNELS: Would like to prove parentage on a very elusive ancestor, James Reynolds/Runnels. His daughter Patsey married Samuel Durham in Oglethorpe Co., Georgia - married 28 April 1801. 1850 census indicates that one of his youngest children was born in Virginia about 1790. There are lots of stories, but so far no documentation. James lived in Green County, Georgia and died after 1820, leaving a will. Wife's name not known.
Virginia T.Cates, Rt. 2, Box 52-A, Alto, TX. 75925
- 880 REYNOLDS, STARBUCK: Information wanted on Catherine (or possibly Eunice) Reynolds, who was born in Wales. She married circa 1636 Edward Starbuck who was born circa 1604. She died at Dover, New Hampshire. Their children were Nathaniel, Jethro, Sarah, Abigail, Esther and Dorcas.
Mrs. Dorothy West, 23 Smart Road, Acton, MA 01720
- 881 BELLOMY, CHURCH, CLARK, CRUM, HOLLAND, REYNOLDS, WEEMS: Need to unravel the mystery of conflicting information concerning Thomas Reynolds b. Dec 1815 N.C., father of R.N., Phoebe, Martha E., James and others. Wife's name unknown. Are there really two or more Thomases with many similarities or is there really only one with lots of wrong information on various documents. Phoebe married Hiram Howell 1866; Martha never mar., R.N. was Baptist minister; James b. May 1852, d 22 March 1911. In 1860 census Thomas stated his father born S.C. and in 1900 stated his father was born in Scotland. Was widower with small children 1860; was a widower for 44 years in 1900.
Frances O. Clark, 8219 Vaughan, Detroit, MI 48228
- 882 CELECTA, EARLY, HARRIS, REYNOLDS, WALDROP: Desire information re Millenton F. Reynolds born circa 1767, probably Carolinas; lived Montgomery Co. IL in 1830; lived Jackson Co., IL 1850. His (probable) son James Madison Reynolds mar. 1839 in IL Nancy Early, b. TN ca 1823. James Madison Reynolds was in Texas in 1860.
Mrs. Faye McClenney Griffin, 304 Maple Street, Enterprise, AL 36330
- 883 BARBER, DURHAM, KENNERLY, REYNOLDS, SMITH: Need help verifying information in Tillman's 1948 book, pg 70 par.682 "Spencer Reynolds son of Richard (590) and Sarah Reynolds, b. in Henry Co., VA and d. 1830 Williamson Co., TN. His will on file in that Co. He mar. _____. Issue: Richard C.; Green; Nancy who m. _____ Kennerly; George Washington; Sally; Catherine who mar. _____ Barber; Coleman B. 1785; Spencer b.1800; Elizabeth who mar. _____ Barber; Reuben b. 1784; Matilda who mar. _____ Durham; Phebe who mar. Thomas Smith, and William C. John Durham b. ca.1784-90 mar. Matilda Reynolds 21 Oct 1810, Clarke Co., GA. D. prior 4 July 1814 Clarke Co., GA. Admin.Wife. Were there any ch from this marriage?
Mrs. Dan B.Cates, Route 2 Box 52-A, Alto, TX 75925
- 884 BACKUS, HALLOWELL, REYNOLDS SMITH: Charles Reynolds, b. 1807, d. 1891, son of David and Amy B. Smith Reynolds, mar. 3 Oct 1832 Cross River, New York Hannah Backus. Hannah b. 30 July 1810 at Poughkeepsie, NY the dau of William Backus (b. 1784, poss. CT.) and Jane (Hallowell?) Backus, b. 23 Dec., 1779, poss. Dutchess Co., NY. Need parents and ancestors of William and Jane.
Jeanne T.(Mrs. Wm.) McKinley, Warwell Point Road, RFD #1, Box 60, Penobscot, ME 04476

EDITORS NOTE: Please limit your queries to eight lines, as that is all that can be used in each query. Sometimes it is difficult to edit down a query and decide what can or can't be deleted. Thank you. (8 typed lines)

QUERIES - Cont'd.

- 885 COLEMAN, FINLEY, FORESTER, MIDDLETON, OTTS, REYNOLDS, TUGGLE, WALKER: Need help on Davis Reynolds b 29 Aug 1800 in GA. He mar. Catherine Tuggle in Greene Co., GA on 20 Dec 1823. Resided Floyd Co., GA in 1841 when he helped establish the Enon Baptist Church. Moved to Henderson Co., TX ca 1856. Had eight ch: Matilda who mar. James F. Finley; James F. b ca 1830 in GA mar. Rebecca; William George b 9 Oct 1823 in GA, mar. Mary Ann Middleton; Elvira b. 19 Aug., 1823, GA mar Andrew Marion Otts; Eliza b. 30 Apr 1832 GA mar. Jesse Forester; Julia b ca 1834-38 mar. Ambrose J. Coleman; Catherine b 1840 GA mar. W.G. Middleton; and John Harrison b. 1843, GA. Need parents of Davis & Catherine. Mrs. Jack B. Strong, 1305 Yates Drive, Longview, TX 75601
- 886 BATSON, CHANDLER, DYER, REYNOLDS, SWIFT: Searching proof that Eliphalet Reynolds was or was not father of Benjamin Reynolds, b 1799 So. Addison, ME who mar. Ann Chandler. Benjamin and Ann had ch: Elizabeth, Abigail B., Mary E., Jemina F., Benjamin Franklin, Theresa A., and Eliphalet P. Also seeking documentation on Benjamin and Ann Chandler Reynolds -- their marriage records, places of residence, place of death. info on their children. ANYTHING. PLEASE.
Thomas E. Reynolds, P. O. Box 34, South Schodack, NY 12162

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MICHIGAN CEMETERY RECORDS.....

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Deloss Reynolds (20) b. 1861 MI of Charles b. 1818 NY and Eleanor H. B 1828
Rev. James Reynolds (32) b. 1874 buried 6 Oct 1944, age 70 yrs.
Lydia M. Reynolds (18) b. 1831 NY wife of Jerome L. b. 1829 MI
Sabra Reynolds (20) b. 1833 NY mother of Anson b. 1859 MI and John b. 1861 MI
(Anson mar. Alice _____)

- 3 - Clarksville Cemetery, Campbell Twp
- 4 - Danby Cemetery, Danby Twp
- 5 - Easton Cemetery, Easton Twp
- 8 - Highland Park Cemetery, City of Ionia
- 9 - Hubbardston Cemetery, East
- 18 - Muir Cemetery
- 20 - Oakhill Cemetery, Easton Twp
- 23 - Palo Cemetery
- 25 - Pinkney Cemetery, Keene Twp
- 32 - Smyrna Cemetery, Otisco Twp
- 36 - Spaulding Cemetery
- 37 - Tuttle Cemetery, Ionia Twp
- 41 - Portland Cemetery

(Ed. Note: Other Reynolds from this index were reported in the Apr.-Sept. 1986 issue and the cemetery list above covers all of those Reynolds also.)

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children:

- III John m

- II John B. Reynolds m ^{Blau. Ar. Mass} Nancy Appelworth b 29 Jan 1784; d 23 May 1862
children: b 11 Jul 1803; d. W. Mass 74 26 Dec 1887.

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children:

- #1. ^(No. King's team) 6 1718 m. 1594 1744 Phoebe T. Hingest, m2. ^{13 Nov 1753} same letter

- IV. John Reynolds [1714 - 9 OCT 1764] :
m. Phebe Tellinghaast 15 Jul 1744 m2. [sums down] d. 28 Apr 1787
Anne Ulter 62 OCT 1725

- He built houses in W. Elk Ford; was ENSIGN of 1st Co. Train band
(June 1775 - Pvt. RI Troop - Capt. Clarke and Capt. Brown -
a pensioner (See Vol. VII, P. 338, Vis. RI)

- children:
- * 1. Jeremiah b 31 Mar 1774 Ab. Kingsbury, d. 12 Sep 1837, m (2 other) 1833
2. Nicholas b 12 Dec 1775 d. 19 Jan 1822
3. James b 7 Apr 1777 d 18 Nov 1856
4. Elias b 17 Oct 1782 d 22 Jul 1814
5. Elizabeth b 15 Nov 1786 d 15 Dec 1837
6. Esther b 19 Aug 1788 d 31 Dec 1850
7. Wm. Gt. b 12 Mar 1791 d 14 Jul 1833
8. Samuel b 13 Apr 1795 d 15 Sep 1863
9. Asaiah b 13 Mar 1787 d 23 Mar 1821

VI Jonathan Reynolds (1774-1851) and ^(see d. 23 Feb 1851) Mary Spink ^(dau. Nicholas Spink) Cassie's children:

1. Esther Chapman⁷ b 1 Sep 1804. d 8 Feb 1875
 2. Helen Maria Williams b 29 Jan 1806 d 19 Feb 1869
 3. Mary Melick⁷ b 16 Aug 1807 d 24 Feb 1891
 4. Hannah Ann Little b 15 May 1810 d 7 Nov 1869
 5. John⁷ Jonathan b 7 Dec 1812 d 1 Oct 1877
 6. William Peter b 21 May 1816
- Jonathan⁸, Killed by engine at Dausville, NY Prov. Boston Railroad

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