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September 20 – September 22, 2001

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Des Moines, IA 50309

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Group rate and room availability cannot be guaranteed after the following date:

August 29, 2001

Tentative Schedule:

Thursday: September 20:

Research day at Iowa Historical Society
Library;

Friday: September 21:

Mix, mingle and archive access at the hotel;

Saturday: September 22:

Membership meeting, archives, banquet!

**Series II: Rappahannock River Reynolds
William & Anne Reynolds
of York & Northumberland Co., VA
Bill King**

Note: This is not a true Rappahannock Reynolds family but I believe that it should be reviewed for the reasons outlines below.

William Reynolds was very much in evidence in York Co., VA by 1637. He may have been in the region as early as 1634 or perhaps earlier. To Date, nothing is known about his early life. He bought & sold land in York Co. & was involved in several court suits. William Reynolds would have been married to his wife, Anne, by about 1637.

Some suggest that this couple are William & Ann [Harrison] Reynolds of England & York Co., VA; and that he died in York Co. about 1643. This is not true. Court documents from Northumberland Co., VA suggest that William was born ca 1602 and Ann abt 1616; thus they could not be William & Ann [Harrison] Reynolds. Although William Reynolds was the right age to have been the son of William & Ann [Harrison] Reynolds, we have no evidence who his p[ar]ents were. I have seen no evidence to date that William & Ann [Harrison] Reynolds were ever in the colonies.

One reference in York Co., VA suggests that William Reynolds left & went to Maryland; another says he was 'run out' of the county; another suggests that he owned a vessel and conducted trade with England. To date, I have seen nothing to either prove or disprove these statements.

William & Ann [?] Reynolds was evident in the Northumberland Co., VA area ca 1645/1646 and he was still there when he died, abt 1655. While in the Northumberland Co. area, he gave the appearance of being a person having some stature even though he was aging. William Reynolds had a grant for 650 acres in what is now Westmoreland Co., VA; and another grant for 630 – 650 acres in partnership with **Richard Clare** in Northumberland [some say that the Clares & Harrisons had some common family ties].

William and Ann [?] Reynolds had children:

1. Ann Reynolds was born abt 1638; in 1656 her father willed her 92 acres. Later in 1666. she acquired another 238 acres on her own. After 1667, I saw no evidence of Ann; since

there was no estate settlement for her, it can be assumed that she married.

2. James Reynolds was born abt 1644. By the terms of his father's will, James, and his brother, William, were to share equally in their father's share of the 630/650 acres William held in partnership with Richard Clare. James apparently married for "... Ann Reynolds, daug'r of James b. Feby 25, 1671." On 20 Feb 1677/78 the will of James Reynolds was proved in Northumberland Co. It is not known if there were other children; nor do we know who his wife was.

3. William Reynolds was born abt 1646. There was not much evidence of William in Northumberland records. On 2 July 1686 a William Reynolds was freed of tax levy. I found a deed in Lancaster Co., VA dated 17 Dec 1695, which in essence says that William Reynolds of Rye in the county of Sussex [England], mariner, was selling to Thomas Bushrod of Northumberland Co., VA for 36 pounds a certain plantation on Cherry Point of Northumberland Co. with all of the personal estate of the plantation. William Reynolds states that he was bequeathed this property by the will of Nicholas Owen, dated 16 August 1689. So, this William Reynolds was in England in 1695.

Ann Reynolds, the widow of William Reynolds, Sr., was remarried to Richard Clare, William's partner, by 1655 and Clare died about 2 years later. Richard Clare was widowed and had several children: William, Susan and Thomas. Ann Reynolds Clare was then married to Nicholas Owen, the young man William Reynolds brought from York Co., VA to tutor his children. Ann apparently lived to about the time Nicholas Owen died in 1689, or a little longer. Nicholas became a VIP in Northumberland Co. and he and Ann became guardians to some of the orphan children of William Medcalfe [1657 - 1663].

Summary:

1. This William & Ann Reynolds are not William and Ann Harrison Reynolds.
2. Anyone desiring to connect this family line would have to do so by developing a line to one of William & Ann Reynolds' three children: Ann, James & William, Jr.
3. This William Reynolds would be a progenitor line.

I have researched and documented this family; I would be glad to provide this information to anyone who desires it.

Camden Co., NJ Marriages 1837-1910

Reynolds, Amanda m. Jackson, Andrew 5 June 1876;
Emma E., m. Peachy, Samuel, 5 Feb 1872;
James, m. Osborn, Virginia, 3 Nov 1874;
Lydia, m. Burk, Thomas, 28 Mar 1845;
Mary J., m. Winfield, S., 9 Feb 1873;
Sallie T., m. Mount, Charles H., [of Easton, PA] 27 Apr 1871.

Livingston Co., MO Probate Records, Volume X

Box Number: 2278

William Reynolds, died February 12, 1862 Jeremiah Reynolds, Admr. Heirs: Sarah Reynolds, Widow Jeremiah Reynolds Abigail Madox Mary Jane Reynolds Clarissa Ann Reynolds William E. Reynolds Noah L. Reynolds Stephen Reynolds

Box Number: 2301

Frederick Gilbert Reynolds, Minor, 19 Louisa Reynolds, Curator and Mother Bond: January 18, 1911 Father: Stephen Reynolds, deceased 1907 Heir of his aunt, Clarissa Wooster, deceased

History of Lancaster Co., PA Chapter XIII: Lancaster Co. in the War of the Rebellion

Reynolds, John, Sept. 25, 1862; disch. June 10, 1865;
Reynolds, James, March 9, 1865; substitute; disch. Nov. 4, to date July 12, 1865;
Reynolds, John, July 31, 1861; pro. to corp.; killed at Wilderness, Va., May 5, 1864; veteran;
Reynolds, Reuben, Aug. 11, 1862; missing in action at Chancellorsville, Va., May 3, 1863; disch., date unknown;
Reynolds, Gregg W., Aug. 11, 1862; disch. on surg. certif. Dec. 22, 1862;

Reynolds, Emmet D. 1st sergt., July 15, 1863; trans. to Co. G, 182d (three years) Regt. P. V., Jan. 26, 1864;

Reynolds, James, March 13, 1865; must. out with company Jan. 31, 1866;

Reynolds, Adam C., Feb. 6, 1862; pro. to q.m.-sergt. Dec. 17, 1862.

**From "Pioneers of Audrain Co." (Missouri)
1876**

Submitted by Barb Senden

REYNOLDS, John REYNOLDS, of S. C., married **NANCY GRIGGS**, by whom he had Allen, John, Sarah, Shadrach, Emily, William, Wiley, Judith, Joseph and Durham. Mr. Reynolds settled in Boone Co., MO. in 1829, and in Audrain Co. in 1832..

**Accomack Co. VA Births
1882-92**

Reynolds, Eliza b. 9 Dec 1887 William & Sarah;
Iva, b. 1 Aug, 1886, William & Sarah;
Louisa, b. 16 Jun, 1889, Isaac & Sarah;
Nelson, b. 14 Mar 1887, Isaac & Sarah;
Unnamed, b. 29 Dec 1890, William & Sarah;
Risden, b. 28 Mar 1887, William & Sarah;
William, b. 12 Feb 1890, Joshua & Mary.

**Henry Co. TN Marriages
1851-1900**

Rennolds, America [Mrs.] m. Holliday, Jno. F., 19 Jul 1887;
Annie m. Milliken, Calvin, 11 May 1887;
Anthony m. Kennelly, Ada, 13 Oct 1895;
Belle m. Rennolds, Squire, 11 Aug 1885;
Edwin E. m. Cox, Margaret C., 11 Jan 1866;
Fielding m. Anderson, Rachel, 14 Dec 1889;
Frances Bell m. Wilson, W. H., 1 Sep 1881;
Harriett, m. Stewart, Riley, 16 Sep 1886;
Jefferson, m. Mcgehee, Lena, 31 Dec 1883;
Liza m. Kelley, Bob, 28 Nov 1897;
Mariah m. Dunlap, Robin, 15 Jan 1881;
Mary J. m. Wilkinson, R. A., 30 Oct 1898;
R. B. m. Hendricks, Babe, 15 Dec 1881;
T. H. m. Valentine, Mattie, 25 Dec 1895;
William m. Milliken, Mary 30 Dec 1889;

Zora m. Thoratt, Lycurgus, 3 Nov 1884.

**Amenia, NY Burying Grounds
L. Van Alstyne**

The Amenias Island Cemetery

Name: Elizabeth Reynolds

Death Date: 07 Mar 1844 **Age:** 1 yr., 9 mos.

Relative: dau. Joseph Reynolds; dau. Electa Reynolds

Inscription: Reynolds, Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph and Electa, died March 7, 1844, ae. 1 yr., 9 mos.

Name: G. Reynolds

Death Date: 31 Jan 1872 **Age:** 83 yrs., 2 mos.

Inscription: Reynolds, G., died Jan. 31, 1872, ae. 83 yrs., 2 mos.

Name: infant Reynolds

Death Date: 12 Oct 1839 **Age:** 21 dys.

Relative: dau. Joseph Reynolds; dau. Electa Reynolds

Inscription: Reynolds, infant daughter of Joseph and Electa, died Oct. 12, 1839, ae. 21 dys.

Name: Jonathan P. Reynolds

Death Date: 2 Feb 1870 **Age:** 83 yrs., 2 mos.

Inscription: Reynolds, Jonathan P., died Feb. 2, 1870. ae. 83 yrs., 2 mos.

Name: Joseph Reynolds

Death Date: 23 Sep 1863 **Age:** 69

Inscription: Reynolds, Joseph, died Sept. 23, 1863.

Name: Lydia Reynolds

Death Date: 4 Apr 1866 **Age:** 81

Inscription: Reynolds, Lydia, died April 4, 1866, ae. 81

Name: Sarah Reynolds

Death Date: 12 May 1880 **Age:** 88 yrs., 9 mos.

Relative: wif. Jonathan Reynolds

Inscription: Reynolds, Sarah, wife of Jonathan, died May 12, 1880, ae. 88 yrs., 9 mos.

Name: Abbey A. (Reynolds) Case

Death Date: 4 Jul 1883 **Age:** 69 yrs., 8 mos.

Relative: wif. Warren Case

Inscription: Case, Abbey A. (Reynolds), wife of Warren Case, died July 4, 1883, ae. 69 yrs., 8 mos.

Name: Joseph Reynolds Guernsey

Death Date: 09 Dec 1902 **Age:** 40

Inscription: Guernsey, Joseph Reynolds, died Dec. 9, 1902, ae. 40

Name: Lydia A. (Reynolds) Guernsey

Death Date: 23 Jul 1894

Birth Date: 15 Mar 1834

Relative: wif. Desault Guernsey

Inscription: Guernsey, Lydia A. (Reynolds), wife of Desault Guernsey, March 15, 1834-July 23, 1894

Name: Amelia Jarvis

Death Date: 06 Nov 1871 **Age:** 67 yrs., 8 mos.

Inscription: Jarvis, Amelia, died Nov. 6, 1871, ae. 67 yrs., 8 mos. Reynolds plot

Name: Mary E. Reynolds Kirby

Death Date: 15 Oct 1874 **Age:** 44 yrs., 5 mos.

Relative: wif. George Kirby

Inscription: Kirby, Mary E. Reynolds, wife of George Kirby, died Oct. 15, 1874, ae. 44 yrs., 5 mos.

Name: Abigail P. Reynolds

Death Date: 17 Feb 1863 **Age:** 69 yrs., 9 mos., 23 dys.

Relative: wif. George Reynolds

Inscription: Reynolds, Abigail P., wife of George, died Feb. 17, 1863, ae. 69 yrs., 9 mos., 23 dys.

Name: Bertha May Reynolds

Death Date: 01 Apr 1887

Birth Date: 09 May 1881

Inscription: Reynolds, Bertha May, born May 9, 1881, died April 1, 1887

Name: Electa Ann G. Reynolds

Death Date: 28 Jan 1838 **Age:** 6 yrs., 8 mos.

Inscription: Reynolds, Electa Ann G., died Jan. 28, 1838, ae. 6 yrs., 8 mos.

Name: Electa Reynolds

Death Date: 27 Feb 1869 **Age:** 71

Relative: wif. Joseph Reynolds

Inscription: Reynolds, Electa, wife of Joseph, died Feb. 27, 1869, ae. 71

Colorado Marriages 1859-1900

Arapahoe Co.

Reynolds,

Anna m. Cassidente, Clyde, 16 Jun 1900;
Annie M. m. Bonham, S. L., 9 Apr 1881;
Caroline L. m. Briggs, Joseph S., 6 Dec 1886;
Hattie G. m. Hood, George D. 2 Dec 1896;
Helen m. Golden, John, 14 Aug 1882;
Janie E. m. Hoult, Wm 12 Apr 1890;
Marguerite E. m. Brown, Charles W., 5 May 1898;
Minnie J. m. Davis, Sylvanus, 5 Dec 1891;
Minnie L. m. Freeman, Frank, 25 June 1890.
Nellie m. Hill, Albert 17 Aug 1895.

Boulder Co.

Reynolds,

Alice m. Botts, Columbus A., 22 Dec 1890;
B. A. m. Horn, Peter 15 Apr 1893;
Carrie J. m. Poor, C. B. 1 Dec 1892;
Edith A. m. Gunn, Frank K., 21 Jul 1891;
Elsie J. m. Rapp, E. L., 3 July 1891;
Fred A. m. Vanberger, Florence O., 3 Feb 1891;

Mesa Co.

Reynolds,

Ed, m. Dix, Ida 1 Jun 1899;
Perry, m. Thompson, Jennie [Mrs.], 01 Nov 1892.

Botetourt Co., VA Births 1885-96

Reynolds,

Chester, Dec 1893; J. A. & A. V.;
Cora, 8 Oct 1892; Thomas & Bessy;
Grover, 2 Feb 1892; J. A. & A. V.;
Hattie, 25 Oct 1886; Samuel & Martha;
Laura, 17 Nov 1889; W. E. & E. I.;
James, 31 Dec 1890; J. A. & A. V.;
Hubert, 11 Dec 1891; W. E. & E. I.;
Thomas, Aug 1895; J. A. & A. V.;
Unnamed Male, 25 Nov 1885; W. E. & E. I.

West Virginia Cemetery Readings Barrackville Baptist Cemetery

Reynolds, John 02 Jun 1821 - 04 Sep 1892;
 Joseph B., 13 Aug 1882 - 23 Jun 1900;
 Malinda, 10 Jun 1829 - 06 Mar 1915;
 Marsilla A., 26 May 1851 - 29 Oct 1895;
 William J., 24 Feb 1838 - 08 Nov 1900

Some Soldiers of the Spanish American War

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Augustus G.
Company: Company H **Rank:** 2nd Lt.
Enlistment: Salem, MA; May 10, 1898
Discharge: Salem, MA; April 28, 1899

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Bartholomew
Unit: 3rd
Company: G **Rank:** Cpl
Enlistment: Pomfret, CT
Discharge: Pomfret, CT

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Clyde B. **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: Hagerstown, IND; 8 Aug 1898
Discharge: Hagerstown, IND; 19 Jan 1899

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Edward V.
Unit: Naval Battalion
Company: HQ **Rank:** Lt.
Enlistment: New Haven, CT
Discharge: New Haven, CT

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Elmer **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: Monticello, IND; 28 June 1898
Discharge: Monticello, IND; 30 Apr 1899

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Forrest H.
Unit: 1st Reg. **Company:** F **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: West Hartford, CT
Discharge: West Hartford, CT

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Ivy L. **Rank:** 2nd Lt.
Enlistment: Shelbyville, IND; 11 July 1898
Discharge: Shelbyville, IND; 30 Apr 1899

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: James B.
Unit: 3rd Reg
Company: D
Rank: Pvt
Enlistment: Stamford, CT
Discharge: Stamford, CT

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: James W.
Company: Company K, Danvers
Enlistment: Danvers, MA; June 17, 1898
Discharge: Danvers, MA; April 28, 1899

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: John J.
Unit: 1st
Company: Battery A **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: New Haven, Ct
Discharge: New Haven, Ct

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: John T.
Unit: 1st
Company: Battery A **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: Branford, CT
Discharge: Branford, CT

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Louis **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: Martinsville, IND; 26 Apr 1898;
Discharge: Martinsville, IND; 4 Nov 1898

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Milford M. **Rank:** Pvt
Enlistment: Greencastle, IND; 26 Apr 1898
Discharge: Greencastle, IND; 23 Nov 1898

Surname: Reynolds,
Given: Otis. A.
Unit: 2nd Regiment
Company: A **Rank:** Pvt
Age: 21
Born: ILL
Occupation: Laborer
Enlistment: Oregon
Discharge: Portland, OR

Macon Co., Mo Cemetery Records
 W. Tuttle

Kiowa Cemetery

Row 9-#1

Stella May **McReynolds**, dau of Stephen L & Mitte
(Long) McReynolds**La Plata Cemetery****Reynolds**, Charles W 1852-1912

Mattie B. 1860-1911

Floyd E. 1886-1957

Ozella M. 1891-1928

Orla G. 1889-1963

George W., son of G.Y. 1895- KIA France WWI Oct
19, 1918, Co C, 139 Inf Regt, 35th Div

Addie no dates

Woodville Cemetery**Reynolds**, Allen 1889-1901

Catherine 1855-1929

William 1850-1925

Matilda (Mrs. Geo) 1853-1900

Minnie (Mrs. John Daniel) 1866-1913

Oscar C. (son of J. D.) 1900-1906

Evert G. (son of G. & M.) 1888-1898

James M. 1874-1911

Dulcena 1909-1930

John Franklin 1882-1944

Sarah Estella(wf of J.F.) 1878-1960

Raymond E. 1908-1929

Ollie A. 1903-1912

Cora A. 1870-1945

McReynolds Marriages**Greene Co, ALABAMA**McReynolds, Eliza married Sullivan, William on 06
Jan 1825**Cass Co., GEORGIA**McReynolds, Fernandino M. m. Aycock, Martha Ann
on 22 Dec 1842**KENTUCKY****Franklin Co.**McReynolds , Robert m. Elizabeth Patterson on 25
Aug 1799;**Boone Co.**McReynolds , Margaret m. Farley, Ephraim, 12 Jan.
1843, M By William S. Hickey;
McReynolds, Catherine m. Masters, William 17
May 1849, M By Lewis Conner,**ILLINOIS****Edgar Co.**McReynolds, Catharine M. m. Martin, Henry W. on
26 Apr 1843**Edwards Co.**McReynolds, Matilda m. Smiley, David T. on 24 Feb
1826**Mason Co.**McReynolds, Sarah Ann m. Fisk, John M. on 27 Feb
1845;McReynolds, John M. m. Dentler, Catherine A. on 22
Jun 1846**Montgomery Co.**McReynolds, John m. Johnson, Rebecca on 17 Apr
1828**Vermilion Co.**McReynolds, Samuel S. married Williams, Susannah
on 22 Oct 1840**IOWA****Davis Co.**McReynolds, Mary E. married Walker, William on 14
Feb 1850**Jefferson Co.**McReynolds, E. B. m. Dyer, Mary Ann on 04 Apr
1850**Highland Co., OHIO**McReynolds, Mary Ellen married Marley, Joseph K.
on 11 Sept 1856**Kent Co., MICHIGAN**McReynolds, Elizabeth Mary m. Nims, Frederic A. on
2 Feb 1862 [Ed. Note: See following article from
Eminent and Self-Made Men, Michigan];McReynolds, Julia E. m. Wyeth, Charles J. 4 Apr
1865McReynolds, Maria married Deane, Charles Heman
on 18 Sep 1866;**MISSOURI****Lafayette Co.**McReynolds, W. B. married White, Mattie S. on 15
Dec 1868**Lowndes Co.**

McReynolds, Sallie married Barrow, O. C. on 21 Nov 1896

Warren Co.

McReynolds, Patrick married Courtney, Lucy Ellen on 29 Mar 1842

Pontotoc Co.

McReynolds, P. R. married Pitts, M. R. on 4 Feb 1868

NO. CAROLINA

Caswell Co.

McReynolds, James m. Fleming, Lucy on 02 Dec 1790

Orange Co.

McReynolds, Joseph m. Borin, Rebecca on 11 Apr 1783

Person Co.

McReynolds, Joseph married Rainey, Rachel on 11 Jan 1798

Rutherford Co.

McReynolds, Joseph married Wilson, Sarah on 13 Dec 1803

TENNESSEE

Blount Co.

McReynolds, Samuel m. Hale, Jane on 10 May 1821

Carter Co.

McReynolds, Thomas m. Culbertson, Mary on 08 Jan 1798

Sumner Co.

McReynolds, James m. Mayhew, Sarah on 02 May 1825;

McReynolds, Joseph m. McReynolds, Tobitha on 26 Oct 1816;

McReynolds, Joseph Jr. m. Anderson, Margaret on 04 Jun 1818

McReynolds, Nancy m. Randle, William on 21 Oct 1816;

McReynolds, Samuel m. Dement, Melberry on 08 Oct 1804.

Cass Co., TEXAS

McReynolds, John M. m. Layne, Matilda E. on 14 Oct 1847

Grant Co., WISCONSIN

McReynolds, Alice M. m. Doeringsfeld, A. Ernst 8 Apr 1891;

McReynolds, Arthur Vincent m. David, Adah 10 Jan 1897;

McReynolds, Eugene M. m. Dietzman, Rosa A. E. 13 Jan 1892;

McReynolds, Eva m. Anthony, John 11 Jul 1883;

McReynolds, Francis m. Wilkinson, Robert William 1 Feb 1869;

McReynolds, Harriet m. Robertson, Cornelius 24 Jan 1869;

McReynolds, Harriet A. m. Stephens, John C. 8 May 1860;

McReynolds, Henry M. m. Booth, Alice T. 14 Mar 1875;

McReynolds, Hester m. Cooper, George Samuel 6 Jan 1870;

McReynolds, James A. m. Howell, Mary 14 Mar 1854;

McReynolds, Jesse m. Keys, Margaret S. 2 Dec 1878;

McReynolds, Jesse G. m. Allison, Angeline 20 Oct 1892;

McReynolds, Jesse W. m. Brown, Angalina 29 Apr 1860;

McReynolds, John W m. Atwood, Helen 4 Jul 1868;

McReynolds, Joseph A. m. Glenn, Sarah 18 Jul 1858;

McReynolds, Lucia A. m. Griffith, Francis 20 Feb 1859;

McReynolds, Margaret A. m. Ferry, John 16 Nov 1847;

McReynolds, Myrtie m. Wilcox, Albert W. 29 Aug 1894;

McReynolds, Persis m. Nodolf, Edward William 17 Nov 1896;

McReynolds, Rebecca Ann m. Barber, Edward William 11 Feb 1847;

McReynolds, Sarah Margaret m. Nodolf, Henry Charles 6 Mar 1894

McReynolds, Thomas L. m. Cramer, Anna E. 22 Feb 1884;

McReynolds, Thomas Lowry m. Walker, Mary Eliza 12 Sep 1852;

McReynolds, Viola m. Ross, Daniel 26 Nov 1886;

McReynolds, Walter E. m. Eslick, E. Stella 7 Mar 1886;

McReynolds, William T. m. Sandeman, Ruth 26 Nov 1889.

**History of Eminent and Self-Made Men,
Michigan, Volumes I-II**

**Western Biographical Publishing Company 1878
Name: Colonel A. T. McReynolds: Lawyer, Grand**

Rapids, Michigan, was born in the town of Dunganon, County of Tyrone, Ireland, on the 25th of December, 1808. In August, 1830, he emigrated to the United States, and settled in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. There he became a member of the "Duquesne Grays," the first volunteer military company formed west of the Alleghanies after the close of the War of 1812. Of this company, Mr. McReynolds was elected Ensign, and with it volunteered to assist General Scott in suppressing nullification in South Carolina. In 1833 Mr. McReynolds removed to Detroit, Michigan, of which State he has since been a citizen. In 1834 he was appointed, with the rank of Major, on the staff of Major-General Williams, who commanded all the militia forces in the then Territory of Michigan. In the winter of 1834-35, Major McReynolds was one of four who organized, under the name of the "Brady Guards," the first volunteer company of militia that, after the War of 1812, was formed in Michigan. Having passed a sufficient time in the study of law, in 1840 he was examined and licensed to practice in the courts of Wayne County, and soon attained considerable distinction in his profession. His tastes, however, being decidedly military, he took a leading part in the organization of the "Montgomery Guards," of Detroit, and was elected their first Captain. At this time, he was acting as Colonel of the first regiment of Michigan Militia, of which regiment he was Lieutenant-Colonel or Colonel for eleven years. In 1847 he was commissioned, by President Polk, a Captain of dragoons in the United States Army; and, resigning his seat in the Senate of Michigan, served under General Scott during the war of 1847-48 with Mexico. His troop, with that of Captain, subsequently General, Philip Kearney, acted as General Scott's body-guard during the Mexican War; and, in 1848, raised the American flag in the City of Mexico. Colonel McReynold's bravery in that campaign has been vividly described by the press of the country, he having received complimentary recognition from the President and Senate of the United States for the celebrated charge of Kearney and McReynold's dragoons on the gates of Mexico, in which he bore a conspicuous part, and in which he and General Kearney were both disabled for life. At the close of the war, Colonel McReynolds returned to Detroit, and resumed the practice of his legal profession. Thirteen years afterwards, on the

call of President Lincoln, he tendered his services to the United States Government; was commissioned a Colonel by the President, and organized and led to the field the "Lincoln Cavalry," the first regiment of that arm of the service enlisted for the Union. During 1861, he commanded this regiment; and, subsequently, a brigade for two years, and a division for six months; when, his term of service having expired, he was honorably discharged. Removing to Grand Rapids, he again entered upon the practice of law. No less in politics than in war, has Colonel McReynolds taken a prominent part. He was, in 1838-39, an Alderman of the city of Detroit; and represented his district in the State Legislature during the session of 1839-40. He was a delegate from Michigan to the Harrisburg Convention of December, 1839, that nominated General Harrison as the Whig candidate for the Presidency. Under President Tyler, he was Indian Agent for three years; and, in 1846, being elected State Senator for the city of Detroit, served until 1847, when he resigned to participate in the Mexican War. In 1851 he was elected Prosecuting Attorney of Wayne County; and, in 1852, a member of the Board of Education of Detroit, and the first President of that Board under its charter. By President Johnson, he was appointed United States District-Attorney, at Grand Rapids, for the United States Western District of Michigan; and, as the candidate of the Democratic Liberal party of the Fifth Congressional District, ran for Congress in 1872. In 1874 he removed to Muskegon, where he engaged in the practice of his profession. In the fall of that year, he was elected Prosecuting Attorney for Muskegon County. He served the term with satisfaction to his constituents and the citizens at large of that county, but declined to be a candidate for re-election. In January, 1877, Colonel McReynolds returned to Grand Rapids, and resumed the practice of law. He is now President of the State Association of Mexican Veterans. With a reputation not confined to the State, but known throughout the Union, his name will long be honored by the citizens of his adopted country, not only for his bravery in war, but for the satisfactory performance of every duty to which he has been assigned in civil life.

Name: Frederick A. Nims: Lawyer, Muskegon, was born in Adrian, Michigan, June 15, 1839. His father, Dr. D. Nims, is a leading physician of the State, and

has been practicing forty-five years. Mr. Nims received a classical education. After a preparatory course, he entered Albion College in 1851, remaining two years. In 1853 he became a student in Hobart College, Geneva, New York; and, after four years' study, graduated. In 1858 he began the study of law in the office of Withey & Gray, at Grand Rapids, Michigan, and was admitted to the bar in June, 1860. For a short time after, he was editor of the Grand Rapids Daily Enquirer. Upon the breaking out of the Rebellion, Mr. Nims was commissioned Second Lieutenant of the 1st New York Cavalry, which was the first regiment of cavalry organized for the war. Soon after his enlistment, he was detached from his regiment, and appointed Brigade Quartermaster and Commissary, in the brigade commanded by General I. N. Palmer. He served in this capacity until the fall of 1862, when he was appointed Aid-de-camp to General W. L. Elliott, of the Potomac Army, and served for one year. He was then attached, as Aid-de-camp, to the staff of General J. C. Sullivan, who was stationed at Harper's Ferry, Virginia. In October, 1864, Mr. Nims resigned his position in the army, on account of ill health, and returned to Grand Rapids. In 1865 he removed, to Muskegon, where he resumed the practice of law. In 1867 he formed a partnership with Francis Smith; and, in 1869, Mr. Erwin was added to the firm, the firm name becoming Smith, Nims & Erwin. In 1869 Mr. Nims assisted in the organization of the Michigan Lake Shore Railroad Company. He was attorney for this road several years, and is now attorney for the Chicago and Michigan Lake Shore Railroad. As a lawyer, he is able and discreet; as an attorney for railroads and other corporations, he has acquired some prominence. His political views are in accordance with those of the Democratic party. From 1870 until 1874, Mr. Nims was a member of the Michigan State Central Democratic Committee; and, in 1876, he was a delegate to the National Democratic Convention which assembled in St. Louis. He is a member of the Masonic Fraternity, and of the Knights of Pythias. In 1876 he was elected a member of the School Board of Muskegon; and, since that time, has manifested deep interest in educational work. He is one of the Directors of the Muskegon National Bank. In 1862 he was married to Miss Mary McReynolds, daughter of Colonel A. T. McReynolds, of Grand Rapids. Her

death occurred in 1872. In May, 1873, he married Miss Ellen McReynolds, his wife's sister. They have two children.

**Roster of Maine in the Military Service of the U.S.
and Allies in World War 1917-1919
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Name: Adelbert V. Runnells

Serial Number: 394868

Birth Place: Mattawamkeag, Me

Birth Date: 11 May 1900

Residence: Lincoln

Comment: Enl: RA Ft. Slocum, N. Y., June 24/18.

Private. Org: Btry E 38 Arty to disch. Overseas service: None. Hon disch on demob: Dec. 15, 1918.

Name: Bennie O. Runnells

Serial Number: 2723742

Birth Place: St. George, Maine

Birth Date: 09 Apr 1894

Residence: Medway

Comment: Ind: Old Town, Penobscot Co. No. 1,

May 28/18. Private. Org: Co G 303 Inf to July 4/18; Co A 212 Engrs to disch. Overseas service: None.

Hon disch on demob: Jan. 28, 1919.

Name: Dewey Runnells

Serial Number: 1025929

Birth Place: Mattawamkeag, Me

Birth Date: 27 May 1898

Residence: Mattawamkeag

Comment: Enl: RA Ft. Slocum, N. Y., May 12/17.

Pvt; Pvt 1st cl Aug. 11/17. Org: Co K 34 Inf to disch. Overseas: Aug. 17/18 to disch. Hon disch for immediate re-enlistment: Apr. 30, 1919.

Name: Guy W. Runnells

Serial Number: 1025935

Birth Place: Mattawamkeag, Maine

Birth Date: 10 Feb 1894

Residence: Mattawamkeag

Comment: Enl: RA Ft. Slocum, N. Y., May 12/17.

Org: Co K 34 Inf to disch. Org: Co K 34 Inf to disch. Overseas: Aug. 18/18 to June 18/19. Hon disch on demob: June 25, 1919.

Name: John W. Runnells

Serial Number: 184-55-09

Birth Place: Lincoln, Maine

Birth Date: 26 Feb 1899

Residence: Lincoln

Comment: Enl: USN Portland, Mar. 31/17. AS 4 days; Sea 2c 542 days; SC 4c 38 days. Served at: NTS Newport RI Apr. 6/17 to Apr. 10/17; USS Nicholson Apr. 10/17 to May 10/17; Naval Hospital New York NY May 10/17 to May 24/17; RS at New York NY May 24/17 to June 6/17; USS Des Moines June 6/17 to Dec. 26/17; Armed Draft Detail New York NY Dec. 26/17 to Jan. 12/18; Naval Hospital New York NY Jan. 12/18 to Feb. 13/18; Armed Draft Detail New York NY Feb. 13/18 to Sept. 6/18; RS at New York NY Sept. 6/18 to Nov. 11/18. Disch Navy Yard Boston Mass: Aug. 8, 1919.

Name: Percyville K. Runnells

Serial Number: 2392270

Birth Place: Ft. Kent, Maine

Age: 18 years

Residence: Bangor

Comment: Enl: NG Bangor, July 19/15. Reported for Federal Serv: Apr. 13/17. Mus (Bglr) Apr. -/16. Org: Co G 2 Inf Me NG (Co G 103 Inf) to Sept. 4/17; Co G 1 Army Hq Regt to Feb. 18/18; Hq Co 2 Pion Inf to disch. Overseas: Mar. 22/18 to Oct. 31/19. Hon disch on demob: Nov. 6, 1919.

Name: Ralph C. Runnells

Serial Number: 2721259

Birth Place: St. George, Maine

Birth Date: 31 Dec 1886

Residence: Medway

Comment: Ind: Old Town, Penobscot Co. No. 1, Apr. 28/18. Private. Org: 151 Dep Brig to May 25/18; Co E 304 Inf to July 5/18; 151 Dep Brig to disch. Overseas service: None. Hon disch on demob: Dec. 5, 1918.

Name: Arthur H. Runnells

Serial Number: 184-55-06

Birth Place: Bath, Maine

Birth Date: 12 Aug 1891

Residence: Bath

Comment: Enl: USN Boston, Mass., Feb. 5/18. Eng 2c 279 days. Served on: RS at Boston Mass Feb. 5/18 to Mar. 2/18; USS Shawmut Mar. 2/18 to Nov. 11/18. Disch RS at Boston Mass: Oct. 2, 1919.

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Dorothy Reynolds Brenner; 318 Dempsey Dr., Apt. 113, Elburn, IL 60119; email:

reynoldswrites2@aol.com. Seeking ancestry of **Jesse Reynolds** who married **Polly Malone/Melone** [dtr of **John** and **Anne POSEYMalone**] 2 July 1817 in Greene Co., TN. Children:

1. Jesse [never married];
2. Crawford [went West];
3. Jake, married; 1 son: John
4. James;
5. Alfred "Dick", b. 1 June 1837 m. [1] **Lucinda Jane MOYER** [4 Sept 1828 TN - 3 Sept 1888 TN; 10 children; [2] **Martha BROBECK** [the former Mrs. **John R. ARROWOOD**]; Children [all by Lucinda Jane Moyer]:
 - a. John, b. 18 Jan 1858;
 - b. Susan Ann, b. 21 Jan 1861;
 - c. Malinda "Lindy", b. 1863;
 - d. Sarah Jane, b. 1865
 - e. Cintha, b. 1867;
 - f. Alfred, b. 1868;
 - g. Mary, b. 1869;
 - h. Jesse, b. 1871;
 - i. Martha, b. Oct 1871;
 - j. James Joshua, b. 9 June 1878; m. **Brucie Lee PAYNE**, 23 Sept 1926 in Mosheim, TN.
6. Joshua [lived in Ottoway, TN; m. Katherine.

Sue Phaneuf, 4502 King George Ct., Perry Hall, MD; email: phansters@aol.com: Seeking any information on the descendants of **Selena Auguste Reynolds** [AKA **Salina Augusta**], born 14 Feb 1844, Windsor Mills, PQ; m. **John Leland Lancey** in Salisbury, Essex Co., MA. Family appears to have settled in Newburyport, Essex Co., MA. They had at least 7 children and four of whom married: [1] **Olive Weymouth** m. **Frank SMITH**; [2] **Sadie Floyd** m. **George T. MERRILL**; [3] **Joel Louis** m. **Charlotte s. BAYLEY** and [4] **Georgianna Coffin** m. **Walter CARTER**. Any help would be greatly appreciated!

Documented Early American Reynolds' Ancestor Lines (American Progenitors)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Line</u>	<u>Coordinator</u>
11	1650	John & Ann Holbrook of Weymouth & Stonington CT		Sarah Reynolds Young, 2832 Crest Dr, Bakersfield CA 93306
12	1630	Robert & Mary () of Boston MA		Dorothy Y. B. Johnson, 1427 Mt. Laurel Dr., Winter Springs, FL 32708
13	1634	William & Alice Kitson of Duxbury MA & Cape Porpoise ME		Susan E. Clement, 19 Hemlock Dr, Swansea MA 02777
14	1643	James & Deborah () of N. Kingstown RI		Stewart Reynolds Essex, 35 Cliff Dr, Narragansett RI 02882
15	1650	John & Sarah Backus of Saybrook, Lyme & Norwich CT		Pat Daniels, 69-801 Ramon Rd #77, Cathedral City CA 92234
16	1725	___ Reynolds & ___ Crook of Washington Co. MD		Kerry E. Reynolds, 8403 Whitman Dr, Bethesda MD 20817
17	1622	Christopher & Elizabeth of Isle of Wight VA		Sybil "Lee" Taylor, 4004 Javins Dr, Alexandria VA 22310
18	1676	Henry & Prudence Clayton of Lancaster Co. PA		Marilyn J. Newton, 2240 130th St, Winterset IA 50273
19	1678	Electious & Mary Pease of Salem & Middleboro MA		Susan E. Clement, 19 Hemlock Dr, Swansea MA 02777
20	1634	John & Sarah () of Watertown MA, Wethersfield & Stamford C		T Vera Bunkoff, 5 Chris Dr, Schenectady NY 12309
21	1682	John & () of DE		Vacant
22	1708	Richard & Mary Capers, Benjamin & Mary (), & William & () of St. Helena's Parish SC		Dottie Smith, 1503 Camino del Rio West, Vero Beach FL 32963
23	1700	John & Elizabeth () of Kent Co. DE		Vacant
24	1635	Katherine Reynolds and Edward Starbuck of Dover NH & Nantucket Island		Joyce Page, 7501 Long Pine Dr, Springfield VA 22151
25		Line not determined (Stonewalls)		
26	1637	Thomas & Mary of Isle of Wight VA		{William L. King, 109 Starboard Ct, Montross VA 22520
27	1640	William & Ann Harrison of York Co. VA		{William L. King, 109 Starboard Ct, Montross VA 22520
28	1660	John & Naomi Latimer of Wethersfield CT		Vacant
29	1652	Thomas & Susan Snead of York Co. VA		
30	1784	James & Mary Bannon, Margaret & Andrew Forgey, Ellen & () McDaniel of Co. Louth IRE & Knox Co. TN		Julia F. Dean, 3650 S Trenton, Tulsa OK 74105
31	1850	William & Rebecca Tawn of Moulton ENG & Grinnell IA		Vacant
32	1920	Frederick Thomas & Rosa Annie Jones of London & NY City		Vacant
33	1837	Thomas & Mrs. Agnes (McCulloch) Cardwell of Armagh IRE & Bergen Co. NJ		Vacant
34	1886	Thomas & Bigham Stuart of Scotland & Scranton PA		Gerald T. Reynolds, 5 Snow Ave., Binghamton NY 13905
35	1703	James & Susanna () Reynolds of Essex Co. VA		William L. King, 109 Starboard Ct, Montross VA 22520
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