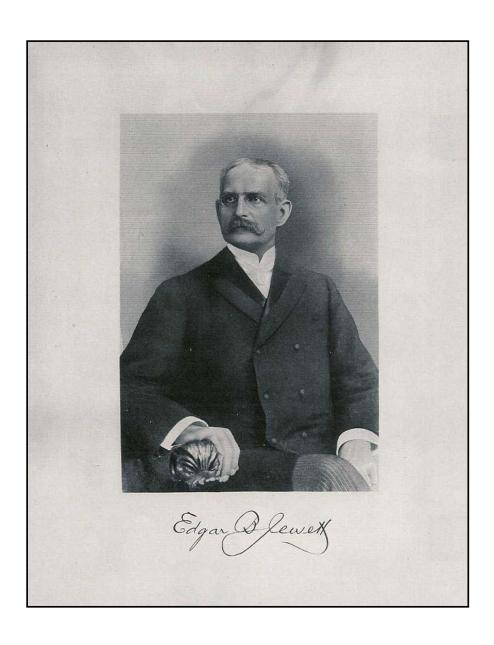
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Notice of Annual Dues

It's that time of the year again – time to send in your annual dues. Send in your dues check now (\$15 single or \$25 family) so you don't forget it. It's not a lot of money, but your participation is essential to publishing the quarterlies and the bi-annual directories.

There are members of the family that we have not heard from for over five years. Unless we receive dues or some other explanation from them, we will be forced to remove them from our mailing list. Those affected will still be listed in the directory and kept in the database of members, but will no longer receive the periodic mailings. We take this step only as a last resort.

John P. Jewett Secretary / Treasurer

From the Editor's Desk

Here I Am! It is fitting that the first issue of the 2006 newsletter be my initiation.

David and I live in the mountains southwest of Denver, Colorado. We have horses, dogs, and a cat. Woods surround our home so many wild animals wander across our property. David and I alpine and cross-country ski. Sometimes there is enough snow for us to use our own property. Travel tops the list of fun.

David and I look forward to the next Jewett Family Reunion and our first opportunity to visit Massachusetts.

I am an active member of National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. Probably no surprise.

Linda

Letter from the President

It has been a mild January here in the northeast, which is just fine with me. I get sick of snow and ice much sooner than in the past, but I still like the overall New England Climate better than most other places. I guess it is true that home is where you hang your hat.

The JFA is going through some transitions right now but everything seems to be going smoothly. John P. Jewett will be taking over as Secretary / Treasurer shortly and Linda Remley has a good handle on her first quarterly as Editor of Publications. The dues notices were mailed recently and I encourage you to pay yours quickly to build up our treasury so we can continue to bring you the quarterly publications. I encourage you to send anything you would like published to Linda as we are always looking for new material which may be of interest to our members.

A couple of sad notes, we recently learned that long time Director and past President Russell Jewett of Clinton, MA died on October 25, 2005, and former Director Granton Jewett of Watertown, NY died on October 26, 2005. Both were very active in the JFA and we will miss them.

Former President, Dorothy Brigham, has been enjoying the Florida Climate with husband Ranny and their motor home for the past several months. We have been in contact several times by cell phone & email and they are doing well.

Claire & I are planning a trip this spring to visit with my sister in Minnesota and then on to Clarinda, IA where my father's family was prominent in the late 1800s and early 1900s. My Dad and I drove out there in 1986 and I learned a lot about his side of the family. His parents were divorced when he was young and he didn't spend a lot of time in his hometown so he learned a lot too and was able to visit with some people he remembered from his childhood. They have since opened the Nodaway Valley museum and I have learned that they have a lot of information as it pertains to my family including some proof that allows me to link back to John Alden and Priscilla Mullins. My grandmother had always said we were descended from them but there was one missing bit of information about her grandmother's parentage.

I am looking forward to digging my classic cars out of storage and driving them to cruises and car shows this spring. For those of you that didn't know, I have a collection of Oldsmobiles from the 60's. You can see and learn about them at my web site www.teds-olds.com.

Toujours le même,

Ved Forang

The History of Edgar Boardman Jewett 1843 - 1924

Edgar Boardman Jewett (6025) was born in Ann Arbor, Michigan, December 14, 1843. He served as mayor of Buffalo, New York from 1895 – 1897 and died in Buffalo on March 28, 1924. Internment was at Forest Lawn Cemetery. He was a lad of six years when his family moved to Buffalo. Edgar was educated in Buffalo public schools. He joined his father's refrigerator manufacturing business at age seventeen and in 1865 became a partner in John C. Jewett Manufacturing Company. The company had one plant in New York and one in Canada, with sales offices in Chicago, Detroit and Montreal. The John C. Jewett Company was so successful that in 1885 it was incorporated and Edgar became the first president of the Jewett Refrigerator Company and Vice President of the Cary Safe Company. Many other household conveniences were manufactured by the company including ice chests, porcelain lined coolers, hospital and laboratory equipment. Later, Edgar became president of the Columbia National Bank of Buffalo, New York.

Edgar gave twenty-four years of service in New York in the National Guard. In 1861 he enlisted as a private in Company C, Seventy-Fourth Regiment, New York National Guard. The Regiment was called out in 1863 to help restore peace in the New York City draft riots. The National Guard was called out to quell a similar situation in Buffalo. In May 1863, Edgar was elected Sergeant. He held that rank from June to August. In June 1865, he was commissioned First Lieutenant, Captain in April 1866, and Inspector of the Fourteenth Brigade, October 9, 1870. October 25, 1880, Edgar was appointed Chief of Staff of the Fourteenth Brigade. March 1884, he was elected Brigadier General of the Eighth Brigade, serving until December 7, 1885. He resigned due to increased business responsibilities.

General Jewett was appointed police commissioner of Buffalo, New York by the Mayor, in 1894. He was successful in that position. That success earned him the largest majority vote for Mayor in the history of Buffalo. During his administration, twelve new schools were built. Street cleaning contracts were given to the lowest bidder saving the city money. Vacant lots were utilized by allowing 578 families to plant vegetable gardens. Civil service was extended to the entire city government. A merit system was created during his administration.

Edgar was a member of the Episcopal Church and was prominent in the Masonic Order holding a thirty-second degree, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite. General Jewett was always interested in the preservation of family history. July 7, 1910, he was elected the first president of the Jewett Family of America.

March 28, 1924, Edgar Boardman Jewett died at Clifton Springs, New York. He was buried in Forest Lawn Cemetery. A company of soldiers from the 144th Regiment accompanied the procession, while a bugler played "Taps". March 1925, the Buffalo Historical Society received a bronze wall tablet in memory of Edgar Jewett. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A White presented the bronze to the city. Mrs. White (Marion "Molly" Jewett) was the daughter of Edgar Boardman Jewett.

The information reprinted above was provided by James Jewett from:

Buffalonian.com/history/industry/mayors/Jewett.htm Through the Mayor's Eyes, the only complete history of the Mayor's of Buffalo, New York. Complied by Michael Rizzo.

A Letter to the Jewett Family From Edgar B. Jewett

"The Foreword is Forward"

TO THE JEWETT FAMILY OF AMERICA

Dear Kinsman:

The Jewett family first settled in this country about the year 1638, in Rowley, Essex County, Massachusetts, emigrating from England.

In the year 1855 a very successful and largely attended family reunion was held in the town of Rowley. Much interest was felt by the many descendants of those early settlers. Since that time, and until the present year, a period of about fifty-five years, there had been no further attempt at getting together the members of this family, either from loss of interest or want of someone to take the matter in hand.

On July 7, 1910, another meeting was held, and among other things, the descendants have had themselves incorporated, under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as the "JEWETT FAMILY OF AMERICA," of which Association I have the honor of being its first President. I am surrounded by an excellent staff of officers, and it is my desire, and that of all loyal members (and that includes us all), that we make this Association strong in membership and powerful in its influences; and in order to do this, our membership must be made as large as possible and every one must do his part to this end. We need two hundred annual members to keep going, and we will make it five hundred with your help. Every endeavor must be made to find all the descendants of our family, and interest them and see that they are duly enrolled as members. I do not think this part of enrolling will be difficult after we once locate our kinsmen. Once they are found, family loyalty and pride will accomplish the rest. We should also be proud of our family record and achievements in the different vocations and professions as well as on the field of battle.

The further purposes of the Association as set forth in our chapter are the collection and preservation of books, pamphlets, documents, manuscripts, and other historical and antiquarian matter; the publication of historical articles from time to time; the protection of records and monuments of the forefathers, and the erection of suitable memorials; and the holding of reunions of the family for promoting acquaintance and good-fellowship.

If you are interested in these objects, and desire to qualify as a member of the Association, send one dollar to the Treasurer, Thomas Jewett Hallowell, 52 Beaver Street, New York City, who will send you an engraved certificate of membership.

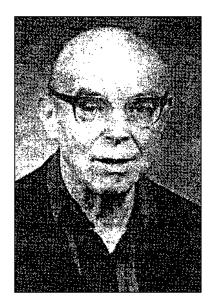
The Jewett Family of America is issuing, under the direction of its Committee on Publication, its first YEARBOOK, and I ask for it a cordial welcome and a quick response in our membership. To every member of the Jewett Family, I send greetings, and I hope you and our Association may live long and prosper.

Yours in bonds of kinship,

EDGAR B. JEWETT

Editors note: this letter was contributed by Lee Petry Jewett, Historian, Jewett Family of America.

A Jewett Family Poet



Albert W. Haley, Jr.

Steak of ochre
In a milky-blue marble
Autumn

Echo #18, Fall 1990

Breaks in the overcast
A woman walks two shelties
By the road.

Potpourri, VII: 4

The air-conditioned café
With the big windows
Skies clouding over.

Haiku Headlines, September 1998

Haiku Poet

Albert Haley began writing poems in college and had several published in student magazines. After graduating from Temple in 1952, and a years graduate work at Penn State (all on the G.I. Bill) and majoring in English, I worked in industry for many years before retiring in 1988, all the while writing and publishing in magazines original poems and translations of Old English poems. My translation of **Beowulf** was published in 1978, mine of the Old English Judith was published in chapbook form in 1981, and my chapbook of short original poems (not necessarily haiku) titled After the Eclipse, was published in 1999. I am still selling both chapbooks. Since the mid 1980s I have written mostly haiku, but in the spring of 2004 began writing longer poems gain, none of which poetry magazines seemed interested in. Actually, I don't write a lot of Haiku, and when I do write one, it's usually about something that I see, and therefore I am more like Issa than Basho, as translated and edited by Robert Hass in The Essential Haiku.

I raise the garage door
A bird shadow flits across
The asphalt drive.

Haiku Headlines, March 2004

A roadside kill
Crow stands its ground
As I drive by.

Frogpond, XXII:2...

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Potpourri

Probate records of David Jewett of East Haddam, Connecticut

The estate proceedings for David Jewett (782) do not appear to have been indexed in the Probate records (Colchester Probate Court, District of East Haddam, CT). David was born 27 October 1736. He was the son of Nathan Jewett and Deborah Lord. He married Sarah Selden. They had ten children. They lived in Foxtown, east of Eight Mile River, part of Millington Society. The town line adjoined Lyme, which in 1819 became Salem, CT.

The inventory distribution and two miscellaneous entries for the intestate are as follows: Sarah Selden was Administratrix.

Vol. 5, p.107-108- Inventory taken 12 Feb 1782, reported 12 June 1782.

Vol. 5, p. 120-Sarah seeks Court advice, dated 4 March 1783

Vol. 5, p.123-124-Addition to inventory Vol. 5, p.134-136- (First) Distribution of land to children, 29 March 1783

LDS film #0003905 East Haddam, Middlesex County, CT; Colchester Probate Records, East Haddam, Vol. #5&6, 1780-1803

Corrections/Additions

The name for 21675 should be changed to William Shepard Benton Jewett. He is currently a student at North Carolina State University.

To the Quarterly No. 4, p.54: Sophia Jewett's number is 6033.

Donations

Thomas Fredric Haas (15247) donated a copy of the book, "Harvest of the Years" by Edmund Gale Jewett (7215).

Lee Petry received a donated copy of the 1911 Jewett Family of America Yearbook from member Grey Jewett, a descendant of John Robinson Jewett (11011).

Thank you to Thomas Haas and Grey Jewett for your kind donations. They are appreciated.

Queries

I need information on the ancestors of **Riley Hayes Jewett** born in April of 1822 in Ohio. He married Phebe Ann Shelley on September 8, 1982 in Brown County, Illinois. She was born in 1834 in Henry County, Indiana. In 1870, Riley was in Kinsman, Trumbull County, Ohio with his five-year-old daughter, Mattie. Riley married second, Rachel Louise Laughlin, 3 March 1870. She was born in 1829 in Ohio. Riley was next found in 1900 in Eureka, Humboldt County, California, but disappears after 1904. Please send information to Historian Lee Jewett Petry at jfapetry@nxs.net.

I need genealogical information on artist / sculptor **Brian Jewett**, who appeared on the Carol Duvall Show, HGTV, on 24 August 2005. He uses unique items in his work including garden hoses and rolls of tickets to form his creations. In his words, he is "about the environment." Please send information to Historian Lee Jewett Petry at jfapetry@nxs.net.

Births

Landon Parker Jewett was born 27 July 2005 in Wichita, Kansas to Randy (23428) and Erica Jewett of Park City, Kansas. Landon is the grandson of Dan (23404) Jewett of Chicago, Illinois.

Jack Michael Reisman, son of Jill Marie (Haan) (14179) and Stephen Gregory Reisman was born 19 October 2005 in Lafayette, Indiana.

Jade Elizabeth Haan, daughter of Cynthia Ann (Harrison) and Joseph Bernard Haan (14177) was born 15 September 2003 in Lafayette, Indiana.

Emma Rose Haan, daughter of Jaimee Dee (Holbrook) and Robert Edward Haan (14178) was born 27 July 2005 in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Jarrett H. Haan, son of Deanna Marie (Sharp) and John Thomas Haan (14176) was born 8 September 2005 in Findley, Ohio.

Marriages

William Know Ewing and Lauren

Wormington were married 10 September 2005 in Kingston Springs, Tennessee. William is the son of Cheryl (23433) and William Ewing of Kingston Springs, and the grandson of Jesse (23406) Elliott of Madison, Tennessee. William serves with the United States Navy and is stationed in Sugar Grove, West Virginia.

Joseph Bernard Haan (14177) and Cynthia Ann Harrison were married 27 November 1998 in Lafayette, Indiana. Cynthia was born 13 September 1970 in Amarillo, Texas. She is the daughter of Gerry and Mary Ann (Meade) Harrison **Robert Edward Haan** (14178) and **Jaimee Dee Holbrook** were married on 27 April 2002 in Indianapolis, Indiana. Jaimee was born 30 May 1977 in Rensselaer, Indiana.

Jill Marie Haan (14179) and Stephen Gregory Reisman were married 18 September 2004 in Lafayette, Indiana. Stephen was born on 19 October 1977 in Greensburg, Indiana. He is the son of Michael and Diann (Schroeder) Reisman.

In Sympathy

It is with great sadness that Suzanne Jewett announces the death of her father and our beloved director, **Russell E. Jewett.** He passed away 4 November 2005. He suffered a heart attack 30 October 2005. He was a dear friend of Dorothy Jewett Brigham who writes, "Russell was my friend, 'Cuz' as he called me. It was so nice to see him at the reunion with his daughter. I shall miss him."

Spokesman Review Spokane, WA, December 17, 2005.

Wilbert Fred Jewett (age 85) passed away December 14, 2005 in Spokane. He was the son of John Jewett and Johanna Schwartz Jewett. Wilbert was born July 24, 1920 in Noxon, MT. He joined the U.S. Navy during WWII as a radio operator and mine sweeper with a tour of duty in Japan. Wilbert is survived by his wife, Delora Fae Jewett, two daughters, Cheryl and Deborah, his son, Michael, a sister, Kay and a brother, Robert. Services were Monday, December 19, 2005.

In Sympathy (continued)

Granton Leslie Jewett (15,780), 79 went to meet the Lord. Wednesday, October 26, 2005. He was born November 27, 1925 in Watertown, NY, the son of Frank Leslie and Erminnie Williams Jewett. He graduated from Stockbridge Valley High School, Munnsville, NY in 1942. He worked with his father on a farm his family purchased in Oneida, NY. October 15, 1950, Granton married Virginia McCarthy. He worked as assistant manager for the Beneficial Finance Company from 1958 to 1961. Granton and Virginia purchased a farm in Earlville, NY. They were members of the Verona Seventh Day Baptist Church, active in many farm organizations including president of the Smyrna Union Co-op, Director, Life member and Past Treasurer of the Madison County Farm Bureau. Granton and Virginia founded Jewett's Cheese House and a gravel business in 1978.

Virginia preceded Granton in death. Granton married Marian Smith, May 31, 2003. He is survived by Marion Smith Jewett, two daughters and a son-in-law.

Reprinted from the Mid York Weekly November 3, 2005

Doris Louise (Noyes) Jewett, *widow* of Clinton Smith Jewett (21,116) died December 2, 2005 at the age of 90. She was born October 9, 1915. *Reprinted from the Morning Sentinel, Waterville, ME from the U.S. Obituary Collection Record forwarded by Jim Jewett*

William (Bill) Jewett, a former Dunes Acres, IN resident died January 1, 2006 at age 69. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Julia Jewett, his children and one brother, Bob Jewett. Bill was a graduate of Amherst College and Harvard Business School, where he was a Baker Scholar. He was a retired financial analyst. He served as Police Commissioner in Dunes Acres. He was a former treasurer of the Shirley Heinz Foundation and a member of the Chesterton-Porter Rotary Club. He called himself the "past master of little-known and useless facts."

Chesterton Tribune, Indiana

Martha Jewett Yeo (age 85) passed away 14 January 2006. She was the daughter of Chester Aten Jewett and Grace Rhodes. Martha was born 14 February 1920 in Indianapolis, Indiana. She graduated from DePauw University in 1942. She was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and Tri Kappa. Martha was the wife of Robert H. Yeo. Two sons, Thomas Shackleton Yeo and John Jewett Yeo, survive her.

William Robert Yeo, son of the late Robert H. Yeo and Martha Jewett Yeo passed away 21 April 2005 after an extended illness. He was born 1 May 1952 in Muncie, IN. He graduated from Purdue University in 1975. He was a member of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity. He married Laura Jean Sandberg in 1996. He was survived by his wife Laura, his mother and brothers.

Star Press Newspaper, Muncie, IN

Stephanie Jewett McCormick (20939) was born May 12, 1924 in New York City. She was the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Stephen P. Jewett. She attended Fordham University and graduated from Bellevue Hospital/New York University School of Nursing. She was a member of the U.S. Cadet Nurse Corps. Stephanie married U.S. Navy Ensign Richard B. McCormick in 1944. They moved to Aurora, New York in 1958, purchasing a home they restored and lived in until Mrs. McCormick's death. Stephanie served on the Town of Aurora Zoning Board of Appeals. Her involvement in historic preservation, environment, arts, culture and equine history continued until her death. An award was created in her honor and will be presented to a deserving citizen for volunteerism reflecting the vision of Mrs. McCormick.

Stephanie is survived by her husband and five daughters. Her son, Dr. Richard B. McCormick, pre-deceased her.

East Aurora Advertiser, East Aurora, New York, December 2004

John Robinson Jewett 1868 – 1939 Cluster 11011

First Generation

11011	John Robinson Jewett born 24 Nov 1868 Manchester, VA. Railroad Engineer.
	Died 11 Oct 1939 King William Co. VA, interment Maury Cemetery, Richmond, VA
	He married Jeanette Virginia Cersley 22 Apr 1896 Manchester, VA.
	She was born 14 Aug 1874 Manchester, VA.
	Died 2 Apr 1959 Richmond VA, interment Maury Cemetery, Richmond, VA.
	Daughter of John A. and Frances (Eggers) Cersley.

Children:

11011-1	Carlton Elsworth Jewett born 8 Sep 1897 Manchester, VA.*
11011-2	Gwendolyn Mary Jewett born 3 Nov 1898 Manchester, VA. *
11011-3	Grey Robinson Jewett Sr. born 11 Sep 1900 Manchester, VA. *
11011-4	Jeanette Elizabeth Jewett born 17 Mar 1905 Manchester, VA. *

Second Generation

11011-1 Carlton Elsworth Jewett born 8 Sep 1897 Manchester, VA.

Died 24 Aug 1961 Richmond VA, interment Maury Cemetery, Richmond, VA. He married **Delia Ermine Bryant** 28 Nov 1931.

Died 26 Dec 1995 Hemico Co. VA, interment Maury Cemetery, Richmond, VA. Daughter of William Henry Bryant.

Children:

11011-5 **Beverly Grey Jewett** born 18 Sep 1932. *

11011-2 **Gwendolyn Mary Jewett** born 3 Nov 1898 Manchester, VA. She married **Hugh Paul Byrne** 17 May 1930 Richmond, VA.

Children:

11011-6 Patricia Mills Byrne born 24 May 1934 Richmond, VA. *

11011-3 **Grey Robinson Jewett Sr.** born 11 Sep 1900 Manchester, VA.

Died 6 Feb 1981 Knoxville TN, interment Lincoln Memorial Park, Lincoln, NE.

He married first Ariel Gertude Paulsen 7 Jun 1924 Evanston, IL.

She was born 15 Sep 1899 Chicago, IL.

Died 15 May 1925 Evanston, IL of birth complications.

Daughter of Olaf Lars Paulsen and Gertrude Elizabeth Stearman.

He married second Margaret Mary Stafford 20 Dec 1928 Seattle, WA.

She was born 25 Feb 1909 Seattle, WA.

Died 9 Feb 1977 Lincoln, NE, interment Lincoln Memorial Park, Lincoln, NE.

Daughter of Edward Hosea Stafford and Ruth Harrington.

John Robinson Jewett 1868 – 1939 Cluster 11011 - continued

Children of first marriage:

11011-7 Ariel Frances Jewett born 6 Mar 1925 Chicago, IL *

Children of second marriage:

Ruth (Ruthe) Virginia Jewett born 23 Nov 1930 Chicago, IL * Grey Robinson Jewett Jr. born 25 Jan 1936 Oak Park, IL. *

11011-4 **Jeanette Elizabeth Jewett** born 17 Mar 1905 Manchester, VA.

Died 26 Jul 1985 Virginia Beach, VA.

She married William Henry Kasten 10 Jun 1931 Richmond, VA.

No issue.

Third Generation

11011-5 **Beverly Grey Jewett** born 18 Sep 1932.

Died 24 Dec 1981 Richmond, VA, interment Forest Lawn Cemetery, Richmond, VA.

She married fIrst Charles Baldwin.

She married second Charles Bradley Raynor.

Children of first marriage (adopted by stepfather Charles Bradley Raynor):

11011-10 Leslie Baldwin Raynor. *

11011-11 Andrah Adele Baldwin Raynor. *

11011-6 **Patricia Mills Byrne** born 24 May 1934.

She married Robert David Jewett 15 Sep 1951 Los Angeles, CA.

Children:

John Clayton Jewett born 7 Sep 1961 Los Angeles, CA.

11011-13 Mary Ellen Jewett born 5 Aug 1963 Santa Ana, CA.

11011-7 Ariel Frances Jewett born 6 Mar 1925 Chicago, IL.

She married **Robert Droppers Birkhoff** 4 Nov 1945 Lincoln, NE.

Divorced Nov 2003 Sarasota, Fl.

No issue.

11011-8 **Ruth (Ruthe) Virginia Jewett** born 23 Nov 1930 Chicago, IL.

She married **John Troy Small** 1 May 1954 Lincoln, NE.

He was born 9 Nov 1920 New London, CT.

Son of Lisle Francis and Gladys (Brackney) Small.

Died 6 Jan 1994 York, PA (auto accident.)

Children:

11011-14 **Jennifer Grey Small** born 19 Aug 1958 Lagos, Nigeria.

She married Alan Frederick Weeks 24 Apr 1982 Paradise Valley, AZ.

He was born 23 Oct 1957 Cochella, CA.

Son of Lowell O. and Ethelina (Kamm) Weeks.

John Robinson Jewett 1868 – 1939 Cluster 11011 – continued

Kevin Troy Small born 29 Mar 1961 Lincoln, NE.

11011-5

He married Stephanie Ann (Jordan) Barker 31 Jul 2004 Gonzalez, Fl. She was born 15 May 1967 Huntington, WV. Daughter of Dennis and Joanne (Shull) Jordan. Stepchildren: Jordan Lee Townsend born 29 Aug 1991 Huntington, WV. Jack Gregory Barker born 25 Feb 1999 Pensacola, FL. Ann Marie Barker born 15 Oct 1996 Pensacola, FL. 11011-9 Grev Robinson Jewett Jr. born 25 Jan 1936 Oak Park, IL. He married first Linda Geraldine Schmitt 21 Jun 1958 Glenview, IL. She was born 10 Nov 1937 Chicago, IL. Daughter of Philip William and Louise Dorothea (Keyworth) Schmitt. Divorced 1976 Pesacola, FL. He married second Ann Frances (Schmick) Chipman 1 Oct 1978 Northfield, IL. She was born 14 Feb 1936 Evanston, IL. Daughter of Franklin Bush and Marsulite Stuart (Nolker) Schmick. Children of first marriage: 11011-16 Lisa Louise Jewett born 11 Apr 1959 Evanston, IL. * Philip Grey Jewett born 6 Jun 1961 Milwaukee, WI. * 11011-17 Kristen Diana Jewett born 17 Dec 1963 Anaheim, CA. * 11011-18 Fourth Generation 11011-10 Leslie Baldwin Raynor. She married Albertson. Child: 11011-19 **Stephen Patrick Albertson.** 11011-14 Lisa Louise Jewett born 11 Apr 1959 Evanston, IL. She married Francis Newton Martin 4 Apr 1980 Gonzalez, FL He was born 1 Aug 1959 Cantonment, FL. Son of Francis and Marjorie (Newton) Martin. Children: 11011-20 Kristen Louise Martin born 15 Nov 1983 Pensacola, FL. 11011-21 Francis Bradley Martin born 16 Aug 1987 Pensacola, FL Philip Grey Jewett born 6 Jun 1961 Milwaukee, WI. 11011-15 He married first Pamela Ruth Bryant Pensacola, FL. She was born 16 Apr 1960 Alexandria, VA. Daughter of Ed and Ruth Bryant. He married second Fern Stephanie Fisher 21 Apr 1991 Atlanta, GA. She was born 1 Jul 1954 Los Angeles, CA. Daughter of Leo and Phyllis (Benson) Fisher.

John Robinson Jewett 1868 – 1939 **Cluster 11011 - continued**

Children of first marriage:

11011-22	Grey Robinson Jewett III born 3 Mar 1983 Hampton, VA.
11011-23	Heather Laree Jewett born 11 Sep 1987 Honolulu, HI.

Children of second marriage:

11011-24	Mattea Lian Jewett born 11 Feb 1994.
	Died 30 Jun 1994 (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome).
11011-25	Marika Lian Jewett born 25 April 1995 Alpharetta, GA.
11011-26	Stephanie Grey Jewett born 19 Feb 1998 Atlanta, GA.

11011-16 Kristen Diana Jewett born 17 Dec 1963 Anaheim, CA.

She married Leonard Franklin Cornelius Reeves 15 Oct 1988 Honolulu, HI.

Divorced 6 Dec 1999 Washington, MO.

He was born 14 Oct 1964 St. Louis, MO.

Son of Jerry Michael and Judith (Sisak) Reeves.

Children:

11011-27	Ellora Danielle Reeves born 21 Dec 1991 Corpus Christi, TX.
11011-28	Isabel Marie Reeves born 17 Apr 1995 Washington, MO.

Genealogical Hint

I asked a dear friend to contribute information because it is so important and not widely known yet. Donna is Chairman of the Spanish Taskforce, NSDAR. Her research began when her husband became interested in his family history. This article is reprinted with permission of the author. Other ideas, such as your favorite genealogy story, adventure, surprise? Send them to the editor for inclusion in a later newsletter.

Spain's Contribution to the American Revolution by Donna Santistevan

We have all learned about the role France played in our American Revolution but few Americans are aware of Spain's deep involvement. At the time of the American Revolution, Spain owned or claimed all the land of the present United States west of the Mississippi River plus the "island" of New Orleans. From 1776 until war was declared against Great Britain in 1779, Spain covertly sent money, muskets, munitions, medicine and military supplies in great amounts to aid the Americans in their war against England.

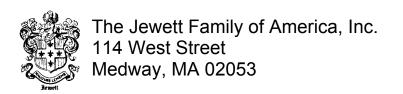
These items were shipped by the way of the Mississippi and Ohio rivers. With the British blockade of the Atlantic coast, these river systems served as a veritable lifeline to the forces of George Washington and George Rogers Clark.

After Spain formally declared war against Great Britain, Spain's King Carlos III commissioned General Bernardo de Galvez, Governor of Louisiana, to conduct military campaigns against the British along the Gulf Coast. Galvez raised an army and a navy and defeated the British in many battles in that area. Galvez also provided the French fleet with 500,000 pesos which the French used to re-provision their ships at Havana prior to the battle of Yorktown.

In order to aid the Americans with all this support, in 1780, King Carlos III issued a Royal Order asking each Spanish and each Indian male, 18 years of age or older, in the Spanish colonies to make a voluntary donation to support the war effort. There are at least nine extant documents in the New Mexico State Archives in Santa Fe, NM that describe the "war of Great Britian", "citizen's contribution to the war", and "war fund collections".

One of the documents dated in 1784 is directed to eight mayors of the towns of New Mexico to thank the citizens for their liberal offerings. Another document describes the process for collection the funds. Another, lists the amount collected from the Santa Fe Presidio.

Using these documents and the enlistment papers of the Santa Fe Presidio, proven descendants of the mayors and the soldiers are eligible to join the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Sons of the American Revolution based upon the material aid given to the War of Independence by their ancestors!



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