

# Jewett Family of America



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## Jewett Website

Jewett Family member, Rodney Jewett has volunteered to host and maintain his Jewett website for our benefit. He does own the domain name. You can access the website at [www.jewett.org](http://www.jewett.org). Back issues of the newsletter, and yearbooks have been added. Current issues of the newsletter are not available at this time but will be added at a later date.

### From the Editor's Desk

Thank you to Wayne Schafer, Jessie Jewett Elliott, Johanna Jennings, and Lee Jewett Petry For their contributions to this edition of the Quarterly. I am pleased to include the article from Gregory Jewett about Kenneth Jewett's book.

I wish each and everyone a very Merry Christmas and a wonderful 2008. It is amazing how fast time passes. Perhaps it is just my age.

David and I will be home for Christmas this year. We will celebrate with family and friends. Bill will be here from Alaska and we will enjoy an evening at the theater, plus many other activities. So all we need is snow and it will be a perfect holiday season.

Please continue to send articles and pictures. As you will see by the last page, creativity is accepted.

Linda

## Contemplations of your President

I guess winter is finally coming. Since even the revised Daylight Savings Time has expired, it is now mostly dark at 5:00 PM here in New England and that is just a harbinger of things to come. Hurricane Noel passed just off the coast last Saturday and, while Cape Cod had the most effect, it also took care of stripping most of the remaining leaves off the trees so that we are now ready for the winter snow. *The Old Farmer's Almanac* is predicting a colder and snowier winter than normal, of course, with the cost of heating oil and natural gas going up – so what else is new?

I always find the fall and winter a gloomy time of year. The landscape seems monochromatic and the only signs of life in nature are the squirrels and birds getting ready for the food deprived days ahead. There are also positive attributes. One of my favorite poems is *Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening* by Robert Frost which describes all the best parts of the cold seasons. He describes the woods as “lovely, dark and deep” which they are and, with the leaves gone, you can see all the terrain that is invisible during the growing season. In New England especially, it is amazing to see all the stone fences penetrating the woods that once were pastures and devoid of trees. Our home in Massachusetts has numerous stone fences which are only visible during these seasons. At our place in Maine, where there are more evergreens, the view into the woods is more limited but there are still areas where you can see between the tree trunks for long distances. Even the evergreens are interesting once deep snow gets on the ground as they serve as shelter for the deer “yarding” up to escape the weather. Although I don't appreciate it as much as I did twenty years ago, new fallen snow has a way of covering and smoothing everything. The snow clinging to the tree branches, bushes and ground right after a storm is especially beautiful. Although I complain about the New England weather, I am not (and may never be) ready to move to a more monochromatic (is that a word?) area of the country

With the coming of winter, thoughts turn to the holiday season. Several more Jewett crested items (tee shirts, and hats) are available from Zazzle and can be found on their website ([www.zazzle.com](http://www.zazzle.com)) or on the JFA website ([www.jewett.org](http://www.jewett.org)) via a link. These make perfect holiday gifts. You can customize these products and / or create new ones using your own uploaded images. Best of all, the Jewett Family of America gets a 10% royalty on any of the JFA products you purchase from them.

The annual dues and publication fee notices will be mailed soon. Annual and Family Membership in the JFA expires on December 31 each year and the publication fee for Life members is due at the same time. It's not a lot of money, but your participation is essential to publishing the Quarterlies. There are members of the family that we have not heard from for over 5 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 kept in the database of members, but will no longer receive the periodic mailings. We take this step only as a last resort.

Claire & I wish all of you a happy holiday season and a prosperous new year.

Toujours le même,



## **Minutes of the Annual Directors Meeting**

### **Jewett Family of America, Inc.**

October 6<sup>th</sup> 2007

President Alfred (Ted) Loranz called the teleconference annual Board of Directors meeting of the Jewett Family of America, Inc. to order at 12:04PM EDT. A quorum was present including: Ted Loranz, Lee Jewett Petry, Linda D. Remley, William W. Nash, Dorothy Jewett Brigham, Patricia L. Purdy, Jessie Jewett Elliott, Barbara Jewett Shaw, Jeffrey R. Gorbail and Bernice Jewett Mansir.

The minutes of the September 30, 2006 meeting were approved as printed.

President Ted Loranz gave the Treasurer's report. The report was accepted as printed.

Historian Lee Petry gave her report. Lee will be stepping down from her position as Historian this year.

#### **Old Business:**

Dorothy Brigham Jewett reported that Bernice Mansir and Barbara Shaw are working on a photo album of the headstones in the Rowley cemetery along with write-ups on them. They have to start another section, so if anyone has any ideas, let her know. A motion was made, seconded and passed by acclamation that the JFA support them financially in this project

Grants: A motion was made, seconded and passed by acclamation that \$200.00 in grants continue to be made to each of the following: the Rowley Historical Society, Oberlin Heritage Center and Grandview Heritage Foundation.

#### **New Business:**

Dorothy Brigham suggested that we make a small photo book about the Jewett headstones in Rowley so that visitors will know what to look for. Ted suggested that he might be able to print said books and suggested that this information be put on the website so that people would be able to print the info out for themselves.

Ted Loranz reports that the JFA has a new website [www.jewett.org](http://www.jewett.org) hosted by JFA member Rodney Jewett. Previous quarterlies have been put up on the site for public viewing and a link to the Zazzle group of Jewett Family of America, Inc. personalized items has been added – Ted reports that we will get a small percentage of profit from using the Jewett logo to personalize items on Zazzle.com. Several items, such as stamps have already been made using this website.

President Ted Loranz gave words of thanks to Lee for 15 years of service as the Jewett Family of America's historian. He also announced that past president Ted & Clair Hermann are celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary this month.

Jeffrey Gorball suggested that we ensure that a set of the Jewett books is in each state, preferably in public libraries near the capitals. Ted recommended that the secretary investigate where each state hold its public genealogical records so that we can make sure each has a set of books. It was also recommended that a list of these locations on the JFA website.

Headstone photographs – a suggestion was made to place information in the quarterly on how one should document photos when photographing headstones to make the collected information useful to others.

Rowley Reunion 2010 – a committee will be established next year to plan for the reunion on 2010.

### **Elections:**

Nominating Committee Chair Linda Remley presented the slate of candidates for Board of Directors who were elected unanimously: Alfred B. Loran, Carrie Cole, William Nash, Barbara Jewett Shaw, Mary Gorball, Bernice Jewett Mansir, Johanna Jennings

Nominating Committee Chair Linda Remley presented the candidates for officers who were elected unanimously: Alfred B. Loran – President, Janey Jewett Powell - Vice-President, Johanna Jennings - Secretary & Treasurer, Carrie Cole – Historian, Linda Davison Remley - Editor of Publications, Dorothy Jewett Brigham - Auditor

The meeting was adjourned at 12:50pm EDT.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Johanna E. Jennings". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'J'.

Johanna E. Jennings, Secretary/Treasurer



### The JFA has a new Secretary / Treasurer

At of the annual JFA Directors' meeting on October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007, Johanna Jennings was elected as a Director and as the new Secretary/Treasurer. Johanna is a descendant of Joseph Jewett of Rowley through her paternal grandmother. Johanna earned her bachelor's degree at Wheaton College in Norton, MA where she studied Music with a minor in World Religions. From Wheaton she went on to receive a master's degree in New Media from Emerson College in Boston, MA. Coursework for this degree included web design, video production, sound production and a Master's Project combining these forms of media. In October of 2004, Johanna began work at the Barry L. Price Rehabilitation Center, Inc. as the Administrative Assistant to the President. The Price Center is a non-profit organization that offers day and residential programs to adults and young adults with developmental disabilities as well as other disabilities. Her work at The Price Center includes providing administrative support to the program staff, processing of donations, and the design/maintenance of the agency website. Membership communications and dues/publication fee payments should continue to be sent to the Jewett Family of America – 114 West St. – Medway, MA 02053-2226. Please welcome Johanna as a new director as well as the Secretary/Treasurer.

**Jewett Family of America, Inc.**  
**Treasurers Report FY 2007**  
**September 1, 2006 to August 31, 2007**

**OPENING BALANCES SEPTEMBER 1, 2006**

Savings	\$1,065.83
Checking	873.54
Wachovia Account	23,925.91

**Total on Hand as of 9/1/06      \$ 25,865.28**

**INCOME**

Book Sales	\$124.00
Merchandise Sales	185.00
Dues, Publication Fees, etc.	3,800.00
Interest	0.00
Donations	100.00
Wachovia Account gain	2,840.79

**Total Income      \$7,049.79**

**EXPENSES**

Publication Printing	\$2,084.25
Postage Expenses	945.90
Shipping Expenses	73.51
Bank Fees	0.00
Directors Expenses	297.02
Historian Expenses	0.00
Donations	650.00

**Total Expenses      \$4,050.68**

**ON HAND AS OF AUGUST 31, 2007**

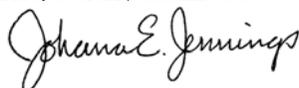
Checking	2,097.69
Wachovia Account	26,766.70

**Total on Hand as of 8/31/07      \$ 28,864.39**

**INVENTORY ON HAND AS OF AUGUST 31, 2006**

Volumes 1&2 (sets)	0	Gold plated charms/pendants	2
Volumes 3&4 (sets)	99	Gold plated cufflinks	4
Gold plated pins	32	Tote Bags	10
Bronze pins	15	Ornaments	

Respectfully submitted



November 15, 2007  
 Johanna E. Jennings  
 Secretary-Treasurer

## FAMILY PROJECT TURNS INTO PUBLISHED BOOK

It all began with two brothers, one an overindulgent uncle and the other a doting father, and a spoiled nephew. In 2000, brothers Ken (23,642) and Greg Jewett (23,643) took Greg's son Philip (23,672) to Williamsburg where the history bug that had previously bitten Ken and Greg also bit Philip. After that one visit, Uncle Ken took to sending Philip letters each time he visited Williamsburg without his nephew. These letters were written as if Uncle Ken were visiting the historic city during the Revolutionary period. They were such a hit with Philip that his father, Greg, had an idea.

R. Wayne Jewett (23,618) had been killed in an automobile accident in 1994, just one month after his first grandson, Philip, was born. To introduce Philip and his younger cousin Kyle, son of the third brother, Kirk (23,644), to their grandfather, wouldn't it be a neat idea to write a book that placed family members, in particular Wayne but also Wayne's aunt, Mahala (23,601), capturing their personalities, in the Revolutionary period? It would become a unique keepsake that they could hand down to their children. The only problem Greg could see was he was so busy with all of Philip's events he didn't have time to write the book himself and the thought of writing it was rather daunting to him. Not to let a good idea die, he decided to convince his older brother, Ken, to write it for him. Over the next couple of years he wasn't getting too much action out of Ken, so he developed a character list and sent it to Ken, knowing it would get him thinking.

The list did generate a flurry of activity, as Ken provided a more detailed sketch of the one military figure very loosely based on him and critiqued the use of a couple of names that weren't in general use during the 18<sup>th</sup> Century. This activity was not very long lived as Ken was a Colonel in the US Air Force and very busy running a school within the Defense Intelligence Agency. Then Ken retired from the Air Force, having reached the maximum of 30 years of Active Duty, and he ran out of excuses. Still, it took a few more months of prodding by Greg before he actually sat down to write.

Passing along on average of a chapter a day, Ken wrote the book in just six weeks time. The result was better than either expected and Greg thought it could have a larger appeal than just the family. Passing the manuscript off to their cousin, Esther Jewett (23,641), for another opinion, she concurred, the book was quite good. As they discussed the next step in getting the manuscript into book form, which included discussions on self-publishing (vanity press) or finding a publisher, Ken sent off an email to Ithaca Press. One of their editors contacted him and, after spending 90 minutes talking to him to determine if she thought Ken was someone with "talent and inspiration," asked to read the manuscript.

Shortly after receiving Ken's manuscript, Ithaca Press determined not only was this a book they would like to publish, they sent Ken a contract for what he and the editor have determined will be a three book series. They will release the first book 1 January 2008 under that title To the Valley.

Because the whole idea was for this to be a family book the boys would enjoy, the main characters are all named "Jewett." Where they are closely based on actual family members, they retain their real names, except where middle names better reflect naming norms of the 18<sup>th</sup> Century (for example, Greg became "Lewis", his middle name; Wayne became "Robert", his first name; Mahala became "Elizabeth", her middle name and was called "Bess", a common nickname for Elizabeth; and the ever spoiled Philip remained "Philip").

The book begins in Rowley, Massachusetts Bay Colony, in 1752 and ends on the Virginia frontier in 1755. Many historical figures make their appearance in the book, such as a very young George Washington, an even younger Thomas Jefferson, and a middle-aged Benjamin Franklin. The Jewett Family Crest and some Jewett history is presented, although the family tree had to be adjusted to insert Generation Twelve, Thirteen, and Fourteen into Generation Three and Four. The other books in the planned series will continue to follow the Jewett Family through the turbulent French and Indian War and up to the opening of the Revolutionary struggle.

The book is available for purchase on Amazon.com or direct at kennethjewett.com. For those without internet access or who would prefer an autographed book, we've enclosed an order form.

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***To the Valley***  
**ORDER FORM**

**NAME:**

**STREET:**

**CITY:**

**STATE:**

**ZIP:**

Number: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25.00

Book Cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping: Number of books x \$5.95

Shipping: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Personalized:  Yes  No

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<i>FYI</i>	<i>In Sympathy</i>
<p><b>Birthday wishes to Guy Raymond Jewett (21592).</b> Guy celebrated <b>100</b> years of a marvelous and interesting life, October 28, 2007. Congratulations and have many more birthdays.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b>Herschel W. Baird</b>, husband of Suzanne C. Davison Baird. She is the grand daughter of Susan Jewett. Lt. Col. (Retired) Hersch Baird suffered an illness in October and was hospitalized in Scottsbluff, Nebraska. He is now recovering at home and will hopefully be back on the golf course soon.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">***** <i>In Sympathy</i></p> <p><b>Robert E. Jewett</b>, died Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at Merrimack Valley Hospital in Haverhill, MA. He was 95. Mr. Jewett was the husband of the late Helen M. White Jewett. Robert was born in Gilford, NH July 31, 1912. He was the son of the late Edwin P. and Clara Tabeth Jewett. Robert graduated from Portsmouth, NH high school. He worked as a welder/gas burner at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. Following that, he worked for shoe manufacturers in Haverhill and Lawrence, MA. Mr. Jewett is survived by sons, Robert E. Jewett, Jr., Richard P. Jewett and daughter, Lorina Williams. Twelve grandchildren and three great –grandchildren also survive. Services were held Monday, October 15, 2007 at Haverhill, MA. <i>Eagle-Tribune Lawrence, MA October 18, 2007</i></p>	<p><b>Marvette Burnor Johnson</b> died November 28, 2006 at the age of 82 in Boynton Beach, FL. Marvette is survived by her husband of 63 years, Gert Nils Johnson. Her three children; Rodney Wayne, Judith Louise and Marvette Arlene and one grandson; Daniel Ryan Gattman also survive. Marvette was born in Showhegan, ME and was raised in Massachusetts. She was employed as a Registered Nurse. Marvette and Gert retired in Briny Breezes, FL. where they lived for thirty years. She enjoyed crafts, the beach and her family. Marvette was the grand-daughter of Viola Jewett Burnor #8129. <i>Submitted by Judith Johnson, LVN</i></p> <p><b>Leone Jewett Oxford</b> #15453 was born October 19, 1905 in Lincoln, NE. She passed away Wednesday, November 1, 2006. Leone was the daughter of Dexter T. Jewett and Alice Blanchard Jewett. She was the sister of Perry and Ned Jewett. She graduated from high school in Waverly, NE as class valedictorian in 1923. Leone attended one year of college in Lincoln before the family moved to Missoula, MT. There she met Charles (Chuck) Oxford. They married in Eagle, NE June 3, 1928. They lived and raised two daughters; Norma and Irene in Turah, MT. Leone loved the outdoors, spending hours in her garden, finding bottles in the wilderness and making jewelry during the long winter months. She was active in the community, helping at the local bazaar until after her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday. Leone was preceded in death by her husband of 45 years, her parents and brothers. Survivors include her daughters, grand children, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and her three dogs. A memorial service was held in Ovando, MT, Saturday, June 9, 2007. <i>Reprinted from the Memorial Service Program</i></p>

*In Sympathy*

**Elizabeth (Betty) Jean Jewett Culbertson** passed away Saturday, August 18, 2007 in her home. She was born April 3, 1926 in Ilion, New York, the eldest daughter of Grandjean Grant and Helen Elizabeth Jewett. Betty graduated from Wilson College, Chambersburg, PA in 1947 with a major in history. She married Alan Kenneth Magner, Jr. in 1948. Betty was a photo researcher for Solver Burdett text publishing company. She retired in 1986. Betty was active in the Presbyterian Church in Morristown, NJ, serving as an elder, teaching church school. Betty was volunteer shopper for nursing home residents and volunteered in a family history library. In 1976, Betty married Jon H. Culbertson. Betty and Jon relocated to Virginia Beach, FL. Betty was preceded in death by her husband, Jon and her brother Arthur Grant Jewett. She is survived by children John Grant Magner, Beth Martin and John F. Culbertson. She is survived by numerous grandchildren. A memorial service was held Saturday, August 26, 2007 in Morristown, NJ with interment at the Hilltop Cemetery in Mendham, NJ.

*Submitted by  
Lee Jewett Petry*

**Louise Jewett Lough Hayes**, of Pensacola FL died February 12, 2007 at Covenant Hospice in Pensacola. She was born June 21, 1924, the daughter of Harry Duff Lough of Ladoga, IN and Rose Griffith Casey of Mt. Vernon, IL. She was the grand daughter of Octavia Triplett Jewett Casey. Octavia was the daughter of John Henry Jewett, son of Aaron Crosby Jewett #26003. Louise married Frank J. Hayes, March 13, 1944 at Camp Ritchie, MD. He preceded her in death. Louise and Frank traveled extensively throughout the United States, living in Montana, Florida and New York before retiring to Mt. Vernon, IL. Louise was a founding member and director of the Downtown Development Corporation, a member of the Oakwood Cemetery Board, a member of PEO and President of the Mt. Vernon "GO" Chapter. She belonged to the Round Table Study Club (a literary organization). Louise is survived by her son, J. Michael Hayes, Esq., his wife and grandsons. She is survived by a great grand daughter, numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and one great great niece.

*Register News  
Mount Vernon, IL  
16 February 2007*

**Ena Jewett**, 85 of Johnson City passed away October 21, 2007 at Willow Point Nursing Home. She was predeceased by her husband Benson Jewett. Benson was the son of Roy Jewett #25090. She is survived by two sons; Roy and Rodney and their spouses. Ena is also survived by eight grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. Her sister, Edna and brother-in-law also survive. Ena was a member of St. James Church, Johnson City. Services were held at J.F. Rice Funeral Home and St. James Church, Wednesday August, 22, 2007.

*Submitted by  
William Nash through  
Pressconnects.com*

**Jesse A. Johnson** died at St. Patrick Hospital, Tuesday, March 21, 2006. Jesse was born May 25, 1918, in Evaro, MT to Oliver and Roberta Johnson. Jesse was chosen Prom King as a high school sophomore due to his dancing ability. Jesse married his longtime "sweetheart", Ella K. Forsch September 2, 1939. Jesse worked for the ACM Smelter and Johnson & Son Lumber Company in Anaconda, MT. His career was with the Northern Pacific Railroad. He retired from the Burlington Northern Pacific Railroad in 1981. Jesse built the family home on Howell Street in Missoula, MT and a cabin at Seeley Lake, MT. Jesse enjoyed a good game of pinochle or cribbage, hunting, fishing and gardening. He delivered for the Meals on Wheels program, gave away vegetables from his garden. Donations were made to the Poverello Center of the Food Bank. Jesse was a past president of Western Montana Shrine Club Calliope Patrol and donning his clown costume to perform. He was a Master Mason, 32<sup>nd</sup> degree Scottish Rite and member of Algeria Shrine, a 50+ year member of Missoula Lodge #13, A.F.&A.M, a 50+ year member of B.P.O.E. Elks Club. Jesse was a member of the First United Methodist Church. Jesse is survived by his wife of 66 years, his sons; Jerry and Darrell, his brother, Eugene and sister, Ramona. He is survived by numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Jesse was descended from Henry Jewett #944.

*Submitted by  
Jim Jewett*



Virginia Copen, Travis Lee Copen, Jessie Jewett Elliott

Congratulations to Travis on his graduation from Maryville College, Maryville, TN. Graduation ceremonies were held May 20, 2007. Travis graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in History. He did receive his teaching license from Maryville College.. Travis is the son of Verginia Copen (23430) and the grandson of Jessie Jewett Elliott (23406). Jesse is a member of the board of directors, Jewett Family of America.

## A Secession Ball

July 30, 1861

Dearest,

We are in the loveliest spot for a camp you ever saw. No, lovelier than that; nothing in Ohio can equal it. Luckily, we are not likely to suffer in that way. We meet many good Union men; the other men are prudently quiet. Our troops behave well. We have had one of those distressing accidents that occurs so frequently in volunteer regiments. You may remember that a son of H.J. Jewett, of Zanesville, president of the Central Ohio Railroad, was, on the request of his father, appointed a first lieutenant in Capt. Canby's company. He joined us at Grafton in company with his father. He had served in a regiment of three-month men in all the affairs in Western Virginia and is very promising. A loaded gun was thrown down from a stack by a careless sentinel, discharging a Minie ball through young Jewett's foot. I was with him in a moment. It is a painful and severe wound. Perhaps dangerous. There is a hope he may not be crippled. He bears it well. One of his exclamations was, "Oh, if it had only been a secession ball, I wouldn't have cared. Do you think you can save my leg?" etc., etc.

The ball, after passing through his foot, passed through three of McIlrath's tents, one full of men lying down, it cut the vest of one over his breast as he lay on his back and stirred the hair of another; finally passed clean through a knapsack and struck a man on the leg, barely making a slight bruise and dropping down. Dr. Joe has the flattened bullet now to give to Jewett.

Affectionately,

Rutherford

*Submitted by*

*Lee Jewett Petry*

*From "The Civil War Love Letter Quilt"*

*By Rosemary Youngs*

*2007*

NOTES: H.J. Jewett is Hugh Judge Jewett (2963)

Colonel John Ellis Jewett (5308) served in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry  
23<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry  
78<sup>th</sup> Ohio Infantry  
193<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry

Rutherford B. Hayes, 19<sup>th</sup> President of the United States, served in the 23<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry during the Civil War. He was wounded in war, survived and rose to the rank of Brigadier General.

## **Christmas Carols a New Way**

**Can you guess the correct titles? Below are listed 20 carols with a few changes. The words in the titles mean the same as the traditional title. Can you simplify the titles and name the carol?**

- 1. Approach, everyone who is steadfast**
- 2. Listen, the foretelling spirits harmonize**
- 3. Hey, miniscule urban area of southwest Jerusalem**
- 4. Quiescent nocturnal period**
- 5. The primary carol**
- 6. Embellish the corridors**
- 7. I'm fantasizing concerning a blanched yuletide**
- 8. I apprehended my maternal parent osculating with a corpulent unshaven male**
- 9. During the time woolly mammal caretakers supervised their charges past evening**
- 10. Clinking hollow metal vessels**
- 11. The thing manifested itself at the onset of a transparent day**
- 12. What offspring abides thus**
- 13. Removed in a bovine feeding trough**
- 14. Valentino, the roseate proboscis wapiti**
- 15. The slight percussionist lad**
- 16. Father Christmas approaches the metropolis**
- 17. Seraphim we aurally detected in the stratosphere**
- 18. Satisfactory Polish ruler**
- 19. Excursion in a slippery conveyance**
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