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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. 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 Sarah Jewett King, Dean F. Jewett, Robert J. Young, Toni Jewett-Chavez, Fred C. Hunt, Michael Jewett, Sarah Jewett King, Iola Jasper, Carri Cole, Teri Lee Hiles Steijer and Jim Jewett for their contributions to this edition of the Quarterly. Your time and efforts are most appreciated.

Please note that my collection of submitted material is very low at present. I would welcome any material that you would like to share, including stories, articles, pictures and even interesting web sites for the next or future Quarterly issues. If you would like to send photos please send either glossy prints or JPG files.

Additionally, I would be open to suggestions on what you might like to see in the newsletter. If possible, drop me a line, and I or another family member could research the topic for presentation in an upcoming newsletter.

Tom

Contemplations of your President

Jonathan Appell of Gravestone preservations reports that he has completed the cleaning, repairing, restoring and resetting of the 28 gravestones and cleaning and buffing two bronze plaques in the Rowley cemetery and they came out nicely. He will be submitting pictures and documentation of his work to me and we will include the information in a future quarterly as well as in the book that is being created as a result of the work of twin sisters and JF members/directors Bernice (Bunny) Mansir and Barbara Shaw. I am pleased to report that members continue to be very generous in their donations to reduce the amount we have to remove from the treasury for restoration of the Jewett gravestones in the Rowley cemetery. To date we have received over \$3,000.00 for this worthy cause to restore and preserve these monuments to our Jewett ancestors. Elsewhere in this quarterly there is a form which I would encourage you to mail in with your donation which will be acknowledged in a future publication.

Summer is here in New England with a vengeance. Boston tied a record for the day and recorded the second highest temperature ever with a 102° reading on July 22. It was surrounded by several days in the high



nineties which was enough to be designated as an official heatwave. The temperatures are lower now as we approach August, but it is still too hot for me. Summer does mean one major thing to me – Lobster Rolls from Red's Eats on Rte 1 in Wiscasset, ME. My wife introduced me to them several years ago and now a trip to our Maine house is not complete without at least one trip to Red's Eats. Each Lobster Roll contains all the meat from a whole lobster which is served with your choice drawn butter or mayonnaise and



for a reasonable price. The one problem is that (as you can see from the picture) it is very busy and there is usually a huge line. I have discovered that if I go at 8:30 at night, there is seldom a line I can make my purchase for a late night meal or lunch the next day. If you are not inclined towards lobster, they also have a wide selection of other seafood as well as the standard hamburger and hot dog fare. No matter what you have, I guarantee you will be pleased. I have gotten to know the owners well and sometimes get a lobster in my roll that has two tails.

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In spite of my plea in the previous quarterly, we have received 2011 dues and publication fees from only 213 (up from 205) of the 450 active members of the JFA. The JFA policy has been to continue to send publications even if we haven't received payment for a couple of years but we may have to rethink this if this trend continues. If you haven't paid your 2011 dues or publication fee, please take the time to send it in now so we can continue to publish the quarterlies.

Toujours le même,

Ted Loran

FYI and ANNOUNCEMENTS

TENNEY FAMILY REUNION ANNOUNCEMENT

An invitation has been extended to all of the Jewett families to attend the next Tenney Family Reunion. The 2011 TFA Reunion will be Sept 23-25 in Frederick, Maryland. Since it is the 150th Anniversary of Gettysburg, a tentative Civil War theme including Gettysburg and possibly Antietam & Harpers Ferry. There are several special projects started including a CW book of Tenney's that served during the Civil War and, particularly at Gettysburg, Antietam and Harper's Ferry. We would greatly enjoy having the Jewett Family participate and join us for this special gathering. We are beginning to work on details and welcome any ideas, suggestions or comments you have to coordinate a unique family gathering. I look forward to hearing from you, as well as working together towards a really successful event!

sincerely,

debbie montgomery
TFA Reunion Chairperson
debbiem@tenneyfamily.org

Congratulations

Emma Catherine Jewett born 6-30-11 to Clyde and Ana Jewett at South Miami Hospital in Miami, Florida. She weighed 7lb 10 oz and was 21 inches. She joins her brothers and sisters: Angie, Clyde, Sarah, Nicholas & Evan. She is the granddaughter of Clyde Jewett (JFA #18238).

Charles David Melancon, born to Eryn & David Olivier Melancon (JFA #16,448) on May 6, 2011 in New Orleans, La.

Adelaide Grace Toso, born to Caroline Roberts and Patrick Jonathan Toso, Sr. (JFA #16,462) on June 17, 2011 in New Orleans, La.

Matthew James Jewett, son of M. Katherine (Jamer) and Michael George Jewett (24619), was born May 21, 2011 in Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada. He weighed 3.525 kg (7 lbs 12 oz.) and was 50 cm (19 5/8 inches) long.

Jacob Thomas Hendricks b 15 Nov 2008 Travis AFB, CA and Gillian Noelle Hendricks b 15 Sep 2010 Silverdale, Kistsap, WA, children of Robert Thomas Hendricks and Sarah Anita (Mynatt) Hendricks.

Corrections

Sarah Jewett King has provided the following information as an upstate and correction to an entry in volume III of the History and Genealogy of the Jewetts of America, page 641.

#18,220 **Willie King Jewett Sr.** died in Miami on March 8, 1982 from lung cancer. He is buried in Miami in the Vista Memorial Garden. His wife, Elia Ester Lavernia was born March 28, 1921.

#18,258 **Everett Vernon Jewett** was born on October 14, 1955 in Miami, FL.

In Sympathy

Robert F. Jewett, aged 61, passed away June 1, 2011, surrounded by his family, after battling cancer. Bob was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota, on June 7, 1949, the fifth child of Bertrand (Bud) Hammond and Elaine (nee Botts) Jewett, and the grandson of Albert Roberts Jewett, JFA #6,732. Bob loved and was loved deeply by his wife, Nancy, and his children, Jennifer, Skip, Shannon, Kacy, his two grandchildren, Tyler and Sidney, and other family and friends. Bob loved to fish, golf and travel. Bob would light up the room with his quick wit and unbelievable smile. Recently, Bob and Nancy traveled to Minneapolis to spend time with his brothers, Skip and Gregg, their wives and their families. A celebration of Bob's life will be held on June 7, 2011, at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 3606 S. Schafer. Memorials in Bob's name may be made to the Spokane Guild School or Redeemer Lutheran Church.



*Reprinted from Spokesman Review, Spokane Valley, WA
June 5, 2011
Submitted by Jim Jewett*

Lee A. Jewett, 78, (#22,531) of Waterloo, died Sunday, May 15, at Allen Memorial Hospital. He was born July 5, 1932, in Westgate, son of Howard and Mary Morris Jewett. He married Betty Heim November 8, 1951, in Dubuque. Lee was a purchasing agent with Clay Equipment, in Cedar Falls, for 30 years. Survivors include his wife; a son, Craig of Waverly; two daughters, Regina (Jerry) Dahl of Clinton and Joan Summerhays of Waterloo; 7 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Wayne (Irene) and Dean (Eileen) all of Dubuque and a sister, Wanda Luebke of Galena, Ill. Preceded in death by a daughter, Lee Ann in infancy and a brother, Howard, Jr. Services will be 11:00 a.m. Wednesday at St. Edward Catholic Church, with burial in Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Public visitation will be from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday at Hagarty – Waychoff – Grarup Funeral Service on West Ridgeway, where there will be a 5:00 p.m. rosary and a 7:00 p.m. vigil service. Visitation also for an hour before services at the church on Wednesday. .



*Reprinted from the WCF Courier
May 17, 2011*

Frank Harold Jewett II, 93, of River Road, passed away on Feb. 10, 2011, at the Gosnell Memorial Hospice House. He was born in Danforth on Feb. 16, 1917, the son of Frank (JFA #8,688) and Dora (Hutchings) Jewett. He graduated from Bates College in 1939 with a bachelor's degree in Biology and an associate's degree in Philosophy. He went on to attend medical school but was unable to complete due to illness. Frank was a sub-master at Kennebunk High School, a timekeeper at the South Portland Shipyard from 1941-1942, a research chemist at SD Warren, and was a mill manager at St. Regis Paper in Michigan. He was a Freemason and member of the Scottish Rite in the past. Frank was also a real estate broker, developer and enjoyed beef and chicken farming. He was predeceased by two children, Jonathan Jewett and Meredith Libby. Frank leaves behind his wife, Ruth (Arenstrup) Jewett; a son, Frank Jewett III and his wife Joan of Saco; a brother, Dean Jewett and his wife Ethel of Ferry Beach in Saco, a sister, Jeanne Murphy of Massachusetts; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren..

*Portland Press Herald/Maine Sunday Telegram, Portland, ME
February 13, 2011
Submitted by Dean F. Jewett*

Irene Jewett (Kenerson) Yoder of Lovell, Maine, and Riverview, Fla., passed away on July 13, 2011 at her much loved home on Kezar Lake. She was born on November 30, 1922 in Fryeburg, Maine, oldest daughter of Percival and Arolin (Jewett) Kenerson, and was a graduate of Fryeburg Academy. After graduation, Irene volunteered for three years of service in the Navy Waves (Women Accepted for Volunteer Emergency Service), a World War II division of the United States Navy. Irene was predeceased by her husband of 40 years, Orville (Slim) Yoder. After their marriage in the Fryeburg First Congregational Church, they were co-owners of the Jockey Cap Store and Cabins with Irene's father, Percival. Spending most of her married life in Towanda, Pa., Irene never lost touch with her family roots in Fryeburg. She remained an active member of the Fryeburg Chapter of DAR, Eastern Star, and the historical societies of Fryeburg and Lovell. She was also a charter member of the Women in Military Service Memorial Foundation and a permanent member of the WAVES National organization. In 1986 Irene made Maine her permanent home once again. She is survived by her siblings, Robert Kenerson of Fryeburg; Paul Kenerson of Jacksonville, Fla.; Beverly Kenerson Bartlett and her husband Hugh of Windham, Maine; her sons Kenneth Yoder and his wife Lynn of Charlotte, N.C. and Bryan Yoder and his wife Linda of Greenville, N.C.; her daughter Zoe Yoder Trautman and her husband George of Burke, Va.; her grandchildren Jason Yoder and his wife Mary of Folsom, Pa.; Holly Yoder Webdale and her husband Craig of Charlotte, N.C.; Michael Trautman and Kat Trautman of Burke, Va.; and four great-grandchildren: Emily Yoder, Katie Yoder, Sadie Webdale and Noah Webdale. A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 20, at Pine Grove Cemetery in Fryeburg.



Reprinted from the Conway Daily Sun

July 19, 2011

Submitted by Fred C. Hunt

Cecelia Anna Jewett Allen , JFA #16,178, aged 104 died 14 Feb 2009 in Osage Beach, MO. She was buried in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Union, MO

Submitted by Iola Jasper

Suzanne Barnes Jewett, 82, beloved wife of Edward (Jed) H. Jewett III(descendant of John Jewett JFA #2,576), passed away peacefully on Friday, July 29, surrounded by her family at home. A memorial service will be held in New Vernon later this summer. Suzanne lived in New Jersey all her life. Born in Orange, she lived 20 years in Short Hills, N.J., when married in 1950 moved to Madison, N.J., and then New Vernon, N.J., for almost 40 years before moving to Morris County. She graduated from Kent Place School and Mount Vernon Jr. College, followed by attending "Garland" Art School in Boston, Mass., before becoming a portrait artist in pastels. Later Suzanne joined the field of real estate and was with Turpin Real Estate for almost 25 years. She was a former member of The Junior League of Morristown, N.J. (treasurer for two years), The Garden Club of Madison, the New Vernon Garden Club, and Morris County Golf Club. She enjoyed photography, golf, gardening, listening to music and she loved her dogs. Sue is survived by her husband of almost 61 years; a daughter, Jacqueline B. Jewett of Morris Township, N.J.; a son, E. H. Jewett IV (Todd), his wife Lynn and two grandchildren, Jennifer L. Jewett and Bryn M. Jewett of Santa Barbara, Calif., and her brother, Ross M. Barnes of Tucson, Ariz. Suzanne was preceded by her sister, Marily Barnes Saacke.

Reprinted from The Star Ledger

August 7, 2010

Johnny Lee Jewett the son of Claude and Wilma (Hakes) Jewett was born December 18, 1945 in Muskogee, Oklahoma and departed this life on August 12, 2011 in Tahlequah, Oklahoma at the age of 65 years, 7 months and 25 days. He is a descendant of Josiah Jewett JFA #3,033. John graduated from Santa Barbara High School in California and joined the United States Army. He was Honorably Discharged from the U.S. Army in 1972. He worked for Union Oil as a safety tester and retired. He then received his real estate license and after several years he went to school and received his 100 ton Masters Degree and went to work for Tidewater Marine as Captain of their crew boat off the Santa Barbara Channel. He began racing 360 sprint cars in California at Ventura and Santa Maria Speedways for nine years until a racing accident where he became disabled. He spent his last years retired in Tahlequah. He was a member of the Tahlequah Elks Lodge and Ventura Racing Association. John loved racing and it was his passion. He also enjoyed playing golf, swimming, boating and camping. He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife Cyndi (Harkson) Jewett of the home in Tahlequah; his children Jeff Jewett of Joplin, MO, Shannon Harris of Santa Maria, CA, and Jessica Jewett of Eureka, CA; his brother Charles Jewett of Hulbert, sisters Vera Thompson of Des Moines, Iowa, Debbie Huff of Hulbert, and Reta Myers of Hulbert. Many nieces, nephews, friends and other relatives also survive him. Graveside services for Johnny Lee Jewett will be held at 10:00 am Tuesday August 16, 2011 at the Hulbert IOOF Cemetery.



*Reprinted from the Santa Barbara News-Press, Santa Barbara, CA
August 16, 2011*
Submitted by Ted Lorenz

Gladys Virginia (Mack) Hiles, (JFA #24,416) 92 died peacefully in her sleep at "By the Sea Assisted Living" home in Imperial Beach, CA on August 22, 2011. She was born on 4 May 1919 in Celina, Mercer Co., OH the daughter of Charles Edward and Alma Mack. She was married to Harold Franklin Hiles of Dayton OH of 64 years until his death in 2003. Gladys was an R.N. for over 50 years. Gladys loved traveling and her travels took her to every continent except the Far East. (She would have visited there too except that her tour was cancelled by the agency.) Gladys was a lifetime member of Jewett Family of America for many years, having traced her family line back several generations. She is survived by 3 children (Victor Hiles, John Hiles, and Teri Lee Hiles Steijer); 5 grandchildren (Christine Virginia, Luree Garland, Kim Renee, Dustin Ryder, Axel Austin) and 5 great grandchildren, (James Edward, Kristin, Renee, Ian Danial, Lauren Sofia, and Hannah Virginia). She is also survived by her sister June Mack Lyon, age 91. A memorial service will be held on September 10, 2011 at Glen Abbey Memorial Park in Bonita, CA where she will be laid to rest beside her late husband, Harold.



Submitted by Teri Lee Hiles Steijer

Francis Jewett, 79, of Caldwell, Idaho died Monday July, 4, 2011 at his home. Cremation is under the direction of Flahiff Funeral Chapel Caldwell. A memorial service will be announced at a later date.

*Reprinted from the Idaho Statesman
July 8, 2011*

James H. Jewett Age 45, of Westminster, CO, passed away on June 22nd. Son of Jim and Louise and brother of Carol. Private services at a later date.

*Reprinted from the Denver Post, Denver Colorado
June 26, 2011*

HINDER FORWARD: THE 168TH ENGINEER COMBAT BATTALION IN ZI AND ETO FROM MAY 1943 THROUGH NOVEMBER 1945

By
Dean F. Jewett

Published in 2001, and currently out of print. Dean Jewett was one of the 1,700 plus men who served in the battalion from 1943 – 1945. Of all the members of the 168th Engineer Combat Battalion, only about a dozen served for the duration. The others being killed in action, taken prisoner, seriously wounded in battle, transferred out, or missing in action. Dean was one of those twelve who served for the duration, and the book is his dedication to those men he served with.

This 465 page book is the story of the men of the 168th Engineer Combat Battalion, in their own words, not written by some second guesser working in a quiet and safe modern facility, but by those who were actually there in the heat, the mud, the cold, the bullets, the bombs, the tree bursts and the mines.

From the old walled city of St. Malo in France, to the submarine pens at Brest, through the bitter winter combat at St. Vith, across the blood-stained Rhine River, all the way to the Czech border, the battalion suffered hundreds of casualties but kept moving forward, opening up slave labor camps, freeing inmates of concentration camps and of POW enclosures. This is a story of the courage of the ordinary American.

Awarded five battle stars in Europe for performance in exploiting the Normandy breakout, clearing Northern France, defending in the Ardennes assaulting across the Rhine River and mopping up through Central Europe; the battalion also earned the Distinguished Unit Citation, the Belgian Croix de Guerre and a letter of Commendation from the Holocaust Council.

The 168th Engineer Battalion landed on Utah Beach, Normandy, France with General George S. Patton's Third Army in mid-July 1944. Between August 1944 and March 1945, the 168th Engineers fought in France, Belgium, and Germany, transferring between the Third, Ninth, and First Armies. They fought alongside the 7th and 11th Armored Divisions, and the 29th, 106th, 4th, 89th, and 2nd Infantry Divisions.

Update of Cluster #2,576

The following is a brief update of Jewett Family Cluster #2,576 that was detailed by Lee Jewett Petry in Quarterly Newsletter #2 from 2001. Updated genealogical information was provided in part by James Jewett and George M. Jewett. New York Times articles from 1895 to 1942 have also been used. Brief biographical articles on various individuals of note have been included to provide further details of the family.

Generation No. 1

1. **CHARLES HENRY JEWETT** was born 10 Jun 1830 in Brooklyn, Kings, New York, and died 25 Mar 1906. He married **MARY ADELAIED HULL** 18 Apr 1854. She was born Apr 1831 in New York.

Children of CHARLES JEWETT and MARY HULL are:

- i. ALICE JEWETT, b. 1857, Brooklyn, Kings, New York, d. 11 Aug 1875 New York, New York.
- ii. JOHN JEWETT, b. 1859, Brooklyn, Kings, New York.
2. iii. EDWARD HULL JEWETT, b. 04 Feb 1860, Brooklyn, Kings, New York.
3. iv. IDA JEWETT, b. 04 Feb 1864, Englewood, Bergen, New Jersey.
4. v. CHARLES HENRY JEWETT, JR., b. 16 Sep 1869, Brooklyn, Kings, New York; d. 12 Nov 1934, Morristown, Morris, New Jersey.
5. vi. GEORGE W. JEWETT, b. 04 Sep 1872, Brooklyn, Kings, New York; d. 11 Feb 1948, Morristown, Morris, New Jersey.

Generation No. 2

2. **EDWARD HULL JEWETT** was born 04 Feb 1860 in Brooklyn, Kings, New York. He married **MAUDE SHERWOOD**. She was born 06 Jun 1873 in Englewood, New Jersey, and died 1953.

Children of EDWARD JEWETT and MAUDE SHERWOOD are:

- i. JOHN HOWARD JEWETT, b. 21 Feb 1902, Englewood, New Jersey; m. BEATRICE; b. Abt. 1902, Florence, Italy.
6. ii. EDWARD HULL JEWETT JR

3. **IDA JEWETT** was born 04 Feb 1864 in Englewood, Bergen, New Jersey. She married **HENRY W BLAKE** on 01 Jun 1891, son of **HENRY BLAKE** and **ELIZABETH C**. He was born 07 Dec 1865 in New Haven, New Haven, Connecticut, and died 20 May 1929 in Englewood, New Jersey.

Children of IDA JEWETT and HENRY BLAKE are:

- i. HENRY KINGSLEY BLAKE, b. 10 Dec 1894, Englewood, Bergen, New Jersey; d. 13 Oct 1987, Clearwater, Pinellas, Florida; m. ELIZABETH P JESSUP; b. 28 Jul 1894, Syrian Arab Republic; d. Florida.
- ii. JAMES PIERREPONT BLAKE, b. Sep 1896, Englewood, Bergen, New Jersey.
- iii. ADELAIDE BLAKE, b. Abt. 1907, Englewood, Bergen, New Jersey.

4. **CHARLES HENRY JEWETT, JR.** was born 16 Sep 1869 in Brooklyn, Kings, New York, and died 12 Nov 1934 in Morristown, Morris, New Jersey. He married **JOSEPHINE MOUNT GRAY** on 05 Dec, 1895 in New York City, New York, daughter of **BRYCE GRAY** and **ANDREWETTA MOUNT**. She was born 16 Apr 1872 in New York, New York, and died in Tucson, Arizona. Charles married **MARION CONNETT** on 01 Oct 1921 in Morristown, NJ. Marion was the daughter of MR. and MRS. **EUGENE V. CONNETT**.

Children of CHARLES JEWETT and JOSEPHINE GRAY are:

- i. JOHN GRAY JEWETT, b. 13 Feb 1897, South Orange, Essex, New Jersey; d. 10 Feb 1991, South Orange, Essex, New Jersey; m. JESSIE MATHEWS; b. 10 Sep 1896, Johnstown, Pennsylvania; d. Nov 1978, East Orange, Essex, New Jersey.
7. ii. JOSEPHINE JEWETT, b. 06 Jun 1900, South Orange, Essex, New Jersey; d. 01 Sep 1993, Kennett Square, Chester, Pennsylvania.

5. **GEORGE W. JEWETT** was born 04 Sep 1872 in Brooklyn, Kings, New York, and died 11 Feb 1948 in Morristown, Morris, New Jersey. He married **THEODORA DUER WHITTEMORE** 1895, daughter of **RICHARD WHITTEMORE** and **ELLEN**.

She was born 17 Feb 1873 in New Brighton, Staten Island, New York, and died Aft. 1930 in Morristown, Morris, New Jersey.

Children of GEORGE JEWETT and THEODORA WHITTEMORE are:

- i. ELLEN J. JEWETT, b. 1896, New York; m. JOHN GAREY; b. 03 Aug 1894, Illinois; d. Montclair, Essex, New Jersey.
- ii. CHARLES H. JEWETT, b. 1898, New York.
- iii. RICHARD M. JEWETT, b. 1906, New Jersey.

Generation No. 3

6. **EDWARD HULL JEWETT JR.** married GEORGIANA FRANCES MORRISON on 19 May 1925. Georgiana was the daughter of GEORGE F. MORRISON. They divorced before 1942. Edward married CAMILLA L. ROY on 16 Aug, 1942 in East Hampton, New York. Camilla was born in 1911 in Vermont, the daughter of MR. and MRS. JOHN A. ROY.

Children of EDWARD HULL JEWETT JR. and GEORGIANA F. MORRISON are:

- 8 i. EDWARD H. JEWETT III.
- 9 ii. GEORGE MORRISON JEWETT

Child of EDWARD HULL JEWETT JR. and CAMILLA L. ROY is:

- i. JOHN SHERWOOD JEWETT

7. **JOSEPHINE JEWETT** was born 06 Jun 1900 in South Orange, Essex, New Jersey, and died 01 Sep 1993 in Kennett Square, Chester, Pennsylvania. She married ROBERT LOWREY LLOYD 21 Jun 1930 in New York City, New York, son of MORRIS LLOYD and ANNIE AMBLER. He was born 14 Feb 1892 in West Grove, Pennsylvania, and died Jul 1996 in Kennett Square, Chester, Pennsylvania.

Child of JOSEPHINE JEWETT and ROBERT LLOYD is:

- i. BARBARA GRAY LLOYD, b. 12 Sep 1937, Washington DC.

Generation No. 4

8. **EDWARD HULL JEWETT III**, married SUSAN BARNES in 1950 in Short Hills, NJ. Susan was born about 1929 in Orange, NJ, daughter of MR. and MRS. SHEPARD BARNES. She died 29 Jul 2011 in Morristown, NJ.

Children of EDWARD HULL JEWETT III and SUSAN BARNES are:

- i. JACQUELINE B. JEWETT
- 10 ii. EDWARD HULL JEWETT IV

9. **GEORGE MORRISON JEWETT**, born about 1929 In New York City. He married UNKNOWN and divorced before 1975. He then married MARGARET ROWE NICHOLS on 12 Oct. 1975, born about 1945, daughter of HAROLD W. NICHOLS II and KATHARINE H. EDWARDS.

Child of George Morrison Jewett and UNKNOWN is:

- i. KRISTIANNA JEWETT
- ii. GEORGE M. JEWETT, d. 1995

Child of GEORGE MORRISON JEWETT and MARGARET NICHOLS is:

- i. LAMON HARKNESS JEWETT

Generation No. 5

10. **EDWARD HULL JEWETT IV**, married LYNN.

Children of EDWARD HULL JEWETT IV and LYNN are:

- i. Jennifer L. Jewett
- ii. Bryn M. Jewett

Maude Sherwood Jewett



According to the East Hampton Historical Society, Maude Sherwood was born June 6, 1873 in Englewood, New Jersey to Col. John D. and Emmaline C. (Zimmerman) Sherwood. Her father, a graduate of Yale and the Harvard Law School, was an established New York City lawyer and renowned writer. The family lived in a stone villa, designed by her father, called “Stone Lodge”. She grew up in a somewhat affluent and cultured environment, nurturing her creativity and providing her access to a segment of upwardly mobile society. Her movement in cultured social circles can be seen from her participation in the Englewood Country Club Ladies’ Doubles Tennis Tournament, held July 9, 1892, in which she and her partner Miss Lulu Mauvry won. It is through events such as these that Maude Sherwood most likely came into contact with the son of stockbroker Charles Henry Jewett, Edward Hull Jewett.

At the same time Maude was active in society functions she was also developing as an artist. Prior to 1900, Maude had already begun making a name for herself in the artistic world as a sculptress.

By 1895 Maude married Edward Hull, and they continued to live in Englewood, NJ, while Edward took up his father’s calling and began working as a stockbroker himself. Maude and Edward had 2 children, while living in New Jersey, however, this did not hinder Maude’s ability to create, and from 1910 – 1930 she maintained a studio in New York City. To further her professional ties, Maude became a member of the National Association of Women Painters and Sculptors.

Maude was a talented artist and produced several award winning bronze and ceramic works. Among the best known are the ‘Bacchante Flower Holder’ (as seen on the cover of the newsletter)" a bronze casting created in 1924, a bronze ‘Piping Pan’, and a restful figure of a young Indian girl, 'Voice of the Water Spirit'. In addition to various commercial works, Maude designed and dedicated the eight-foot granite Soldiers and Sailors Memorial on Hook Mill Green in East Hampton, NY in 1924. The monument is still in place today. In 1948 Maude created souvenir ceramic bells for the East Hampton Town tricentennial anniversary. Around the bell, the artist etched drawings of a windmill, a saltbox house, and Clinton Academy, where Mrs. Jewett and other turn-of-the-century summer colony artists used to show their work. A whale atop serves as the handle, and the dates of the town's founding and anniversary (1648 and 1948) encircle the base with the words "Long Island." Approximately 300 bells were believed to have been produced, of which only 3 are still known to exist.

In 1912 Edward and Maude purchased a summer cottage on Apaquogue Road in East Hampton, New York. The home, situated in a semi-rural stretch of Long Island had a grand ocean view and sunken gardens. The Jewett’s called the house “Inkpot,” as the shape of the house resembled the ink container for a quill pen. The house became her new studio, and was a gathering place for local artists and high society for decades. Camilla Jewett, wife of Edward Hull Jewett II, described the Inkpot with the property behind the house sloping down to Georgica Cove, off Georgica Pond, and there the two Jewett sons—her husband and his brother—lived in small houses of their own in their 20s. “My husband’s was called the Blotter, and his



brother, who was an artist, had Pen Points, which was very tiny, with a boathouse at the edge of the pond.” Inkpot had a rather ignoble end in the real estate melt down of 2009 when it was purchased by James Cohen, son of founder of the Hudson News Corporation. Mr. Cohen had purchased the oceanfront property for \$26.5 million, and was not interested in retaining the historic residence. Instead he let the East Hampton Fire Department burn down the house in a train exercise in order to collect a tax deduction, and so that he could erect a modern multi-milliondollar residence.

Mrs. Jewett was on a cross-country train trip heading back to East Hampton from San Francisco, when she had a stroke on March 9, 1953. With one of her sons and a nurse at her side, she stayed aboard the train, and upon disembarking was met by her East Hampton physician, Dr. David Edwards. She died in a Southampton nursing home on April 16, 1953 April.

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Edward Hull Jewett Jr.

An article published in the Suffolk County News on August 21, 1942 detailed an interesting war time event Edward participated in. On August 6, 1942 Lieutenant Commander Edward H. Jewett Jr. presented his ship, the PC-468, a submarine chaser, to Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands as part of the Lend-Lease Act. The transfer of the ship took place at the Washington Navel Yard with speeches given by President Roosevelt and Queen Wilhelmina.

Camilla Jewett



East Hampton Village honored Camilla "Cam" Jewett, by declaring her birthday Aug. 30, when she will turn 100, after the longtime resident and benefactress of the community. During the regular board meeting Friday morning, Mayor Paul F. Rickenbach Jr. presented Jewett with a proclamation, recognizing the 70-year villager for work to preserve the environment and culture of the community. "This is a special day because we are honoring a very special lady," Rickenbach said. "You...have been a Rock of Gibraltar for all of the residents...and I consider all of us to be your family." The mayor officially declared Aug. 30 "Camilla R. Jewett Day," presenting Jewett with a plaque and framed photo of a family of swans from her beloved Town Pond. Camilla, has been a member of the Ladies Village Improvement Society since 1942.

She has also been involved with the Guild Hall, the library, the East Hampton Garden Club, and St. Luke’s Church. Living across from the town pond, Ms. Jewett acts as the steward of the town pond, among her accomplishments as an environmental preservationist. Part of her activities include looking after the swans who make the pond their home. She stated that “I keep track of them, take notes on when they disappear to lay their eggs. Each year it’s quite different where they go.”

Born in Vermont, Ms. Jewett went to high school and college in Massachusetts, and took an extended course in New York City. She returned to Manhattan after college, where she eventually became the head dietician for the City of New York's neurological hospital and home for dependents on Roosevelt Island, a position she enjoyed. After meeting her husband, who was in the service, she lived in Florida, Texas, and Washington State. They returned to Manhattan after the war, in 1946, and decided to make their home in East Hampton in the house where she still lives today. In a short speech at the town board meeting Camilla stated "I think this is one of the most beautiful villages in America. It's such an honor, because I've lived here and enjoyed the village for...63 years in the same house. Except for the traffic, things are pretty much the same." In addition to her village activities, Ms. Jewett is the family historian and is the caretaker of a major archive of Maude Sherwood Jewett's collection.

My Early Years 1929 to 1945; Extracts from a talk given in Old East Hampton in 2006

By
George M. Jewett

To give you a feel for the times, let me describe living in NYC in the early 1930's. First of all we lived in an apartment on 88th Street and Madison Avenue which took up half of the 8th floor of the building and the rent was \$125 a month which included parking in the basement for my Mother's LaSalle convertible. When she wanted to have lunch at her favorite restaurant, Passey's, on I believe 57th Street she would just call the doorman and the car would be waiting for her out front. After lunch she would stop at Saks where the doorman would keep an eye on her car. There was no problem with parking in those days and it was a pleasure to have a car in NYC.

In the early 1900's my grandparents on my father's side would drive to East Hampton from their home in Englewood, N.J. and stay at a boarding house which was the fashion in those days. In 1912 they purchased a small house on the ocean whose property stretched from high tide to Georgica Pond and I would guess was approximately 8 acres. The property was divided by what was then called Apaquogue Road, now West End, and my grandmother built a house for my Uncle Jack called Penpoint and one for my father called Blotter. I remember I could stand on the upstairs porch outside my bedroom at the blotter and watch Juan Trippe land his small plane on Georgica and this sparked my interest in flying.

East Hampton was a much less manicured place then than it is today and although my father and grandfather were on Wall Street the majority of the people were artists, writers and educators or were in manufacturing of one sort or another. They kept their place more rustic looking it seemed to me and our social beach life revolved around the Maidstone Club beach, but also to a great extent at the Inkpot where friends would gather for a swim in the ocean and a martini afterwards on the sunken patio. My Uncle Jack Jewett designed the beach area at the Maidstone after the bath House in Brittany and when the pool was built, it was dug to the deep end depth it's entire length and then the cement was poured in, sloping up to the shallow end. I guess the cement was cheaper in those days and when the club decided to put in a new pool they couldn't find the original plans and the poor contractor went into shock when he discovered the shallow end had 6 feet of concrete which he had to remove!

I remember as a boy on Georgica Pond most of the men on the pond owned Old Towne Sailing Canoes which they raced on weekends. I believe my grandfather was commodore of this fleet and the races were fun to watch as the boats were very pretty but would also capsize easily. There was one fall race where my grandfather capsized and was caught under the sail. He was probably about 80 and Bruce Bromley, a judge, leaped out of his canoe and pushed Pops into his canoe and got him safely to shore, wet and very cold! They got him up to Inkpot and got him covered with a blanket and he tells Maude, my grandmother, to bring him a tumbler of his favorite 12 year old scotch. After the first sip, he remembered his manners and told Maude to

get Bruce a tumbler but when she reaches for the bottle he jumps up and says for God's sake Maude the 8 year old , not the 12 year old!

I spent summers at Blotter until my father and mother separated after which for a few summers we rented at various locations until my mother finally started going to Spring Lake, New Jersey where her older sister had a house. Many members of the Maidstone Club started in Spring Lake but ended up buying in East Hampton, however, it was a much longer trip over various roads as there was no LIE which did not open until much later. My brother "Jed" and I would spend part of our summers in Spring Lake and part in East Hampton. My grandmother had added wings to Inkpot and a studio where she sculpted for sale in bronze and marble. There was a bedroom and bathroom next to the studio and this became my room until my grandmother died and the house was sold.

As my grandmother was getting on in years she gave up marble and bronze for ceramic and went to Columbia to take a course in pottery on how to chemically mix colors and glazes. One year she made ceramic dinner bells for east Hampton's 300th Anniversary which I believe were sold by the LVIS for a good cause. She also gave unglazed tiles to a number of her artist friends and asked them to paint a historic scene such as Home, Sweet Home, or the Clinton Academy to name two. She then glazed them and asked me if I would bring them to a man in town that did framing of pictures for her and had a shop next to the old post office, an agreed to make them into a cocktail table. I of course did and a few weeks later she told me he had called and would I pick up the table for which she gave me a check to give him. I arrived and put the table on end in the passenger seat when he told me to hold on and ran back into his shop. He came back out with a vertical painting about 18" wide by 36" tall that looked to me like coat hangers falling out of a closet. He said that my grandmother had been very good to him giving work and he wanted to give her a present of one of his paintings. I thanked him and brought it back to granny who took one look and said we call and thank him, but it is not my taste, you can hang it in your room. At the end of the summer she said that I should bring it back to the framer and tell him she enjoyed it for the summer but she really could not accept it, which I like a fool did. Of course Jackson Pollock went on to become famous after he was killed on Devon Road and the cocktail table was donated to the library after my uncle Jack's death, who inherited it from his mother. I believe that the cocktail table eventually fell apart but they still have the tiles. I'm sure they had no idea that the table was made by Jackson Pollock

This concludes the excerpt from the reminiscences of George M. Jewett. For those who would like to read more of his comments on East Hampton, the remainder of his presentation is on his website at:

<http://georgejewett.com/>

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