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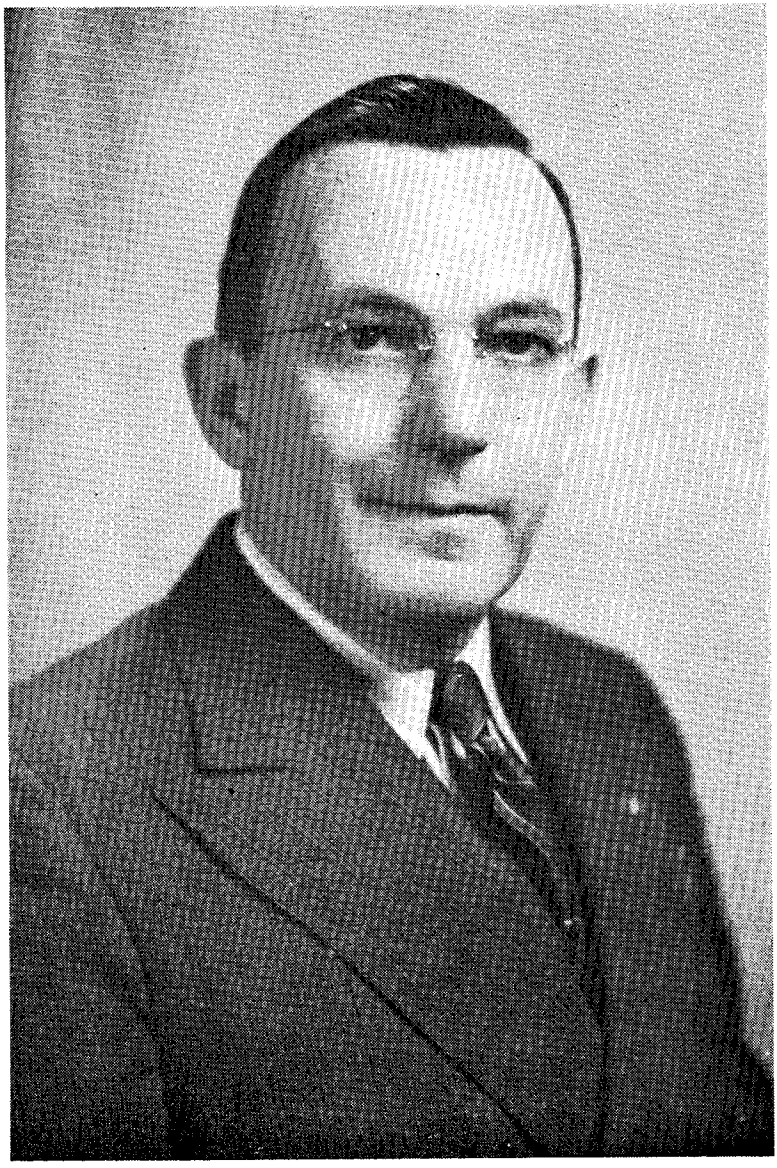

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Be it Known *That whereas* Edgar B. Jewett, Thomas Jewett Hallowell, Amos Everett Jewett, Fred. Clarke Jewett, Albert D. Jewett, Algernon L. Jewett, Arthur H. Jewett, John W. Saxe, Edith N. Putney and others

have associated themselves with the intention of forming a corporation under the name of

The Jewett Family of America,

for the purpose of forming a permanent association of the members of the Jewett Family in America, the receiving and holding real and personal property acquired by will, gift, in trust or otherwise for its purposes, the preservation of historical and antiquarian matter relating to the family; the collection of books, pamphlets, documents, manuscripts and articles referring to its history and the publication from time to time of historical articles, the protection and preservation of records and monuments of the forefathers and erection of suitable memorials; the holding of reunions of the family from time to time for promoting good-fellowship;

and have complied with the provisions of the statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the

President, Treasurer, Secretary and Directors

of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations and recorded in this office:

Now, Therefore, I, WILLIAM M. OLIN, *Secretary of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that said* Edgar B. Jewett, Thomas Jewett Hallowell, Amos Everett Jewett, Fred. Clarke Jewett, Albert D. Jewett, Algernon L. Jewett, Arthur H. Jewett, John W. Saxe, Edith N. Putney and others,

their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as, and are hereby made, an existing corporation under the name of

The Jewett Family of America,

with the powers, rights and privileges, and subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions, which by law appertain thereto.

Witness *my official signature hereunto subscribed, and the Great Seal of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this* nineteenth *day of* September *in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and* ten.

William M. Olin

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

By Herbert H. Boynton.

Deputy and Acting Secretary.

OUR FIFTIETH YEAR

Herschel C. Jewett, President

Our 1960 Yearbook might well be called an anniversary number. At the second Jewett reunion held in Rowley, Massachusetts, on July 7, 1910, a committee of permanent organization was formed. This committee had the duties of drawing up an Agreement of Association and of working out the details of incorporation. On September 19, 1910, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts granted to the Jewett Family a charter of incorporation. 1960 marks the fiftieth year of our existence. All of the founders of the Organization have passed on. The duties which they so painstakingly laid out have fallen to others. Of those who became members in 1910, have continued their membership and are still active only twelve remain. We honor them by placing their names on record in this Yearbook.

Mrs. Florence Jewett Churchill, Amsterdam, New York
Mrs. Virginia Jewett Harkness, Lake Worth, Florida
Miss Alice Gay Judd, Columbus, Ohio
Mrs. Augusta Fisher Jewett, Westfield, New York
Everett D. Jewett, Rowley, Massachusetts
*Gerald A. Jewett, Des Moines, Iowa
*William C. Jewett, Bellows Falls, Vermont
Judge Williams M. Maltbie, Granby, Connecticut
Mrs. Ethelwyn K. Marshall, Hartford, Connecticut
Mrs. Hope Jewett Morrill, Ann Arbor, Michigan
Mrs. Josie Elizabeth Jewett Tonkin, Portsmouth, Virginia
Mrs. Bonnie Jewett Welpton, Des Moines, Iowa

We hope that you will read and enjoy this Yearbook. In it you will find a report of our 21st reunion held at Put-in-Bay on July 10 and 11, 1959. Also reports of four other Jewett Gatherings held in 1959. A record of some of the descendants of Shorah Jewett of Steubenville, Ohio; compiled by Harry Ward Williams. This record is not found in the Jewett Genealogy. Items of the activities of members of the Association which have been sent to the secretary. A list of additions to our membership roll in 1959, and other notes of interest.

In 1910 the annual dues in the Association were $1.00 a year; the goal was a membership list of five hundred. The dues remain the same. Our membership at the present time is three hundred eighty of which number eighty-three are life members and five are honorary members. Let us again recall the foreword in the 1910-11 Yearbook by our first President, General Edgar B. Jewett of Buffalo, New York, "Forward" and may our Association continue strong and active during the next fifty years.
* Charter Members.

Lineage of Ina M. (Jewett) Larson

1. Edward Jewett	Born about 1580	In Bradford, Eng.
	Died 1614 or 1615	In Bradford, Eng.
	Married Oct. 1, 1604	In Bradford, Eng.
Mary, dau. of William Taylor		
2. Deacon Maximilian Jewett	Bapt. Oct. 4, 1607	In Bradford, Eng.
	Died Oct. 19, 1684	In Rowley, Mass.
	Married	In Rowley, Mass.
Ann	Buried Nov. 9, 1667	In Rowley, Mass.
3. Deacon Ezekiel Jewett	Born 5. 1st mo., 1643	In Rowley, Mass.
	Died Sept. 2, 1723	In Rowley, Mass. G.S.
	Married Feb. 26, 1663	In Rowley, Mass.
Faith, dau. of Deacon	Born 20: 1 mo., 1642	In Rowley, Mass.
Francis & Elizabeth Parrat	Died Oct. 15, 1715	In Rowley, Mass. G.S.
4. Thomas Jewett	Born Sept. 20, 1666	In Rowley, Mass.
	Died May 6, 1731	In Boxford, Mass.
	Married May 16, 1692	In Rowley, Mass.
Hannah, widow of Richard Swan and dau. of William Story		
5. Ezekiel Jewett	Born Jan. 12, 1692	In Rowley, Mass.
Soldier in French and	Died 1775	In Boxford, Mass.
Indian Wars.	Married Jan. 9, 1718-9	In Newbury, Mass.
Martha, dau. of Daniel and	Born Nov. 27, 1699	In Newbury, Mass.
Mary (Dresser) Thurston	Died Sept. 7, 1780	In Boxford, Mass.
6. Jonathan Jewett	Born Mar. 12, 1739-40	In Boxford, Mass.
Soldier in Rev. War	Died Apr. 28, 1786	At sea
	Married June 17, 1762	In Wrentham, Mass.
Martha, dau. of Samuel and	Born Mar. 22, 1733-4	In Wrentham, Mass.
Sarah (Brown) Belcher	Died Mar. 19, 1828	In Jaffcry, N. H.
7. Benjamin Jewett	Born Oct. 22, 1763	In Rindge, N. H.
	Died Dec. 4, 1836	In Sangerfield, N. Y.
	Married Dec. 2, 1782	In Sangerfield, N. Y.
Ruth McBride	Born Nov. 28, 1764	
	Died Jan. 20, 1836	In Sangerfield, N. Y.
8. George Washington Jewett	Born June 4, 1800	In Sangerfield, N. Y.
	Died	In Brookfield, N. Y.
	Married	In Utica, N. Y.
Martha Harding		
9. Benjamin Hull Jewett	Born Mar. 2, 1829	In Sangerfield, N. Y.
	Died Apr. 16, 1882	In Sun Prairie, Wisc.
	Married July 6, 1848	In Waterville, N. Y.
Emma Jane Cornes	Born Dec. 3, 1830	In Waterville, N. Y.
	Died Mar. 21, 1884	In Madison, Wisc.
10. Henry C. Jewett	Born May 15, 1857	In Sun Prairie, Wisc.
	Died Jan. 16, 1948	In Harrison, Nebr.
	Married Mar. 23, 1890	In Turner Co., Dak.
Melinda P. Woodward	Born Oct. 28, 1858	In Kanesville, Ill.
	Died Aug. 4, 1935	In Fayetteville, Ark.
11. Ina M. Jewett	Born Sept. 22, 1889	In Parker, S. Dak. Terr.
	Married Nov. 6, 1915	In Harrison, Nebr.
Ralph M. Larson	Born Aug. 14, 1891	
	Died Mar. 15, 1957	In Lusk, Wyoming

December 28, 1959

To the Members of the Jewett Family:

THERE IS A NEED IN THE FAMILY

Shortly before Christmas, I spent an evening calling on Everett D. Jewett, Secretary of our Jewett Family of America, at his home in Ipswich, Massachusetts. It was the first time I have done so. It is an experience to be recommended to all Jewetts who have not done so in recent years.

Out in his barn, he has an amazing collection of books related to family interests as well as all the records of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Jewett family. It is a typical old red Yankee barn built of lumber. The books not only include the Jewett genealogy and history of our family, but the genealogies of over 450 other families, all related to our family. Also the histories of many of the early American towns where members of our family first settled. It is a room full of Americana itself.

Then I learned that Everett Jewett had made a proposal to the members of the family in reunion last summer at Put-in-bay in Ohio. He and his wife offered to present this library of valuable genealogical books, histories, and related material to the Jewett Family of America, if a suitable building might be provided for their safe keeping. Here is a challenge, good until July 1, 1965, which should not be allowed to go by without serious consideration by the members of the Jewett Family of America, for here are records that should not be exposed to the hazards of fire or the ravages of time. Here is the one authentic source of family records for all time for future generations who want to turn to it. Here is the basis for the research and collection of genealogical material, fulfilling in some measure, and to a good degree, one of the principal purposes of the Jewett Family of America.

What would be more appropriate than to have a Jewett Family Memorial Library in Rowley, Massachusetts, perhaps on land owned by one or both of the original settlers with room in it for reference work and meetings and room around it for parking. Let us suggest to the members, officers and Directors of the Jewett Family of America that immediate consideration be given to this possibility before all is lost and that appropriate committees be established to look into this matter, for here could be a valuable contribution to the future of our country and a fitting memorial to one of its early families.

Picture in your mind, if you will, the Jewett Educational and Research Foundation, a tax exempt affiliate of the Jewett Family of America, symbolized in the Jewett Memorial Library in Rowley, Massachusetts, dedicated to the education and research of early American families.

It could be the depositary of genealogies for all or any of the families that settled originally in New England, with histories and documentary papers relating to all the towns and cities founded by the early American settlers there. History opens the door to research and research furthers education. Today we are turning more and more to research in countless ways and history is the important background upon which it is based. What an opportunity! Let it not be lost. Let's find a way to fill the need in the Jewett Family of America, a suitable resting place for its history.

ROGER JEWETT,
Hopper Road, Williamstown, Mass.

Family Reunions Are Our Best Builders of Loyal Americans

By Dr. Caleb J. King, Sr.

(Reprinted from "Florida Times Union," Jacksonville, Florida, 1959)

"All happy families resemble one another."

Now would be a good time for Florida families to make a new resolution, if they do not already observe the custom of holding annual family reunions.

The new resolution would be to start the reunions this year and keep them going as long as there are members of the family to assemble together for a session of fellowship of a kind that can be enjoyed in no other way.

Meeting together in reunions is among the most wholesome experiences any family can ever hope to participate in. At the same time it is the very best builder of good citizens to which the participants in a family reunion can point with great pride.

Such gatherings are also conducive to obedience to the rules of society and generally behavior that is a credit to one's self and to all members of the various branches of the whole family.

An example of what we have in mind was given in a story and pictures that covered a full page of the magazine section of The Times-Union of last October 26. Hank Drane, one of our staff writers, wrote the story and made the pictures, one of which showed some 200 members of the John Burnett family assembled at the old family home at Fargo, Ga., on the bank of the Suwannee River, where Mr. Burnett settled in 1842, traded a muzzle-loading shotgun for 480 acres of land, went to work and laid the firm foundation of the family that holds annual meetings.

Throughout Florida there are families which hold these annual reunions — some of them groups like the Burnetts, and some small. But whether large or small, they are people who honor their family traditions of honesty, integrity, rigid rules of exemplary conduct that gives the family name an honorable place in the esteem of neighborhoods and communities.

On a national scale we have a family association that covers the entire country, with an honorary vice president in every state.

It was founded and is kept intact in honor of two brothers who came to America on the good ship John from England, landed on the shore of Massachusetts in 1638 and participated in the founding of the little town of Rowley.

Although this association has only a few hundred members they are scattered all over the country, and in their list are to be found professional men and women of many kinds—but especially educators, ministers, physicians, doctors and a notable sprinkling of lawyers and judges.

Annual meetings are held in different parts of the country and members from everywhere attend.

These people, like those of virtually all such organizations, take no part in any movement or campaign designed to further the interests of any particular member.

Instead they devote themselves to the enjoyment of the fellowship that is afforded by the coming together for that purpose, and to thoughts and

discussions concerning the family background and ways and means to keep the family name forever in good repute.

Another commendable thing about this group is its two bulk volumes of biographical sketches, and its organizational Family Magazine.

Florida can find no better way to build top-grade citizens than by the formation and development of family organizations, and encouraging them to hold annual reunions.

It would be an excellent thing for the state to provide special facilities for meetings, and to contribute valuable prizes, such as university scholarships and trophies of like value for special achievements made or reported as having been made by members of the families at the meetings.

Few young people can be found that do not have personal pride in themselves and their families, especially if the families are good ones. And nothing more effective can be found in the development of the character of growing boys and girls than to bring this pride into action.

Who has not heard the lad that quickly tells another boy, "My Dad is the best man (physically, he means) in town, and he can beat your Dad."

Or the charming little girl who is proud of her mother's magnificent voice that is used effectively in the church choir.

Another fine trait of family-association members is that they are more likely to "stay put" and help build their native community than those who are not members.

This is vitally important as is readily seen from the fact that nearly four and a quarter million persons in the southeastern states were on the go during the 12-month period ended last March.

They were moving from house to house and going from state to state, or from region to region. Of the total number of 4,211,000, 359,000 took up residence in the northeast; 344,000 in the north central states, and 300,000 went to the western states.

But the remaining 3,200,000 of the movers stayed in the South, simply changing their places of residence.

Every year some 350,000 leave this section for homes elsewhere, but more come here than leave.

This moving around is a disturbing practice, and anything that would check it would be a good thing.

NEW MEMBERS ADDED IN 1959

Arizona		
9485	G. Harold Pfau	Tucson
California		
8242	John Ferris Jewett	Los Angeles
11185H	Catherine Anne Mayers[1]	San Diego
Georgia		
8565	Claude Singleton Bridges, Jr.	Atlanta
Iowa		
*10168	James Edmund Jewett	Grand Junction
*10168	Jeffrey Myron Jewett	Grand Junction
*10168	Larry Dale Jewett	Grand Junction
*10168	Randy Leroy Jewett	Grand Junction
*10168	Ricky Dean Jewett	Grand Junction
Kentucky		
1164	L. Blanche Cross	Louisville
Massachusetts		
	Arthur W. Foster	Clinton
	Florence L. Foster	Cambridge
9873	Charles C. Jewett	Beverly
6619	Frank Tent Jewett	Boston
Michigan		
81	John P. Heston	Allen Park
7683	Joan Jewett	Mason
Nebraska		
8872	Jeanne Jewett Mobley	Omaha
New Hampshire		
8241	Hattie Morrison Jewett	Laconia
8241	John M. Jewett	Laconia
New York		
9348	Arthur L. Jewett	Scotia
Pennsylvania		
9462	Frederick A. Cooley	Doylestown
Texas		
11168	Paula Anne Edwards	Houston
Vermont		
1250	Gordon I. Jewett	Richford
1250	Laura Velma Jewett	Richford

* Life Member.

[1] See 1912 Yearbook.

Numbers preceding the names are the connections in the Jewett geneaolgy.

Descendants of Shorah Jewett (11052) of Bashan, Ohio

Compiled by Harry Ward Williams

SEVENTH GENERATION

1164 Mark Jewett, (Moses 497, Mark 184, Jonathan 63, Joseph 11, Maximilian 3, Edward 1), (see 1911 year book page 32), b. 6-15-1762, d. at home of son Sumner near Steubenville, Ohio, 12-20-1849; m. about 1785-6 Patience Varney, dau of his father's third wife. She was b. 8-8-1764, and d. at Steubenville 7-8-1829, dau. of Otis and Mary Varney who was dau. of William and Abigail Fry (Quakers) of Kittery, Me. Mark Jewett was a farmer and stock raiser, who moved from New Hampshire to near Steubenville, Ohio, in 1838 by covered wagon, driving his stock, and bringing his family, at least several of his sons. There were at least two brick houses built by these sons, one near Steubenville, and the other near Bashan, Meigs Co., Ohio. The bricks were made by them from clay on the property and then built into the houses. Both these houses are still standing and in use. Their children, all b. at Hopkinton or Sugar Hill, N. H.; the index numbers are those shown in the 1911 year book:

Jewett Homestead near Steubenville, Ohio

11043 Otis, b. 9-30-1787, d. unm. aged 22.

11044* Barzillai, b. 8-1-1789, m. Rebecca Jane Todd; for descendants see #10445 in Jewett Gencalogy.

11045 Jasper, b. 9-12-1791, m. 4-6-1817, Eliza, a widow. He was a mariner, and d. at Savannah, Ga.

11046 Gilman, b. 8-10-1793, d. 6-20-1835, m. 2-13-1825, in Monroe Co., Ills., Elizabeth Alexander.

11047 Laura, b. 7-5-1795, d. 6-29-1879; m. in Hopkinton, N. H.

4-6-1817, Amos Trussell, b. 6-9-1785, d. 6-29-1862. (Note that the name is Trussell, not Russell).

11048 Lewis, b. 11-12-1797, d. 12-24-1862 in Meigs Co., Ohio; m. 6-26-1827 Susan Henry, b. 3-13-1802, d. 8-26-1847.

11049 Harriet, b. 2-21-1800; m. twice, no issue.

11050 Sumner, b. 4-26-1802; many descendants around Steubenville, Ohio.

11051 Lorenzo, b. 6-20-1804.

11052* Shorah, b. 8-20-1806, d. 3-11-1887 near Bashan, Meigs Co., Ohio; returned to N. H. to marry his first wife, Abigail Elliott, b. 3-5-1815, d. 1-25-1852; m. in 1838 in or near Hopkinton; he m. 2nd. 4-27-1853 Sarah, b. 9-10-1816, dau. of James Hood of Chester, Ohio. She d. 4-5-1872. In 1855 he moved into his new brick house built by himself and sons, of bricks made by themselves. A short distance from this house at Bashan is the church yard in which he and his wives are buried.

The following information is from either family Bibles or the individual affected.

EIGHTH GENERATION

11052 Children of Shorah and Abigail Elliott Jewett:

1*	Harriet Robinson,	b. 9-20-1840, d. 4-19-1920.
2*	Barzillai,	b. 9-16-1842, d. 9-17-1924.
3	Quincy,	b. 8-24-1844, d. 8-16-1851.
4*	Clemenza Patience,	b. 11-28-1846, d. 12-5-1922.
5*	Mary A.,	b. 4-17-1950, d. 1-16-1926.

Children of Shorah and Sarah Hood Jewett:

6	James Levater,	b. 1-20-1854, d. 1-16-1937.
7*	Oren A.,	b. 1- 14-1856, d. 3-16-1936.
8*	Laura Jane,	b. 3-20-1858, d. 7-5-1928.

MORRIS FAMILY DATA: they came from near Philadelphia and were, I think, of Quaker origin.

Benjamin, son of Thomas and Mary Ann Morris, b. near Philadelphia 1-18-1789, d. 12-18-1865; m. Mary, (dau. of Matthias and Margaret Gearhart), b. N. J. 12-16-1793, d. 11-2-1852. Children:

Margaret Ann Morris,		b. 3-29-1814.
Josiah	"	b. 8-26-1815.
Pamela	"	b. 7-8-1818.
Matthias	"	b. 6-15-1820.
Sidney	"	b. 7-1-1824.
Zellah	"	b. 2-25-1826.
Jeremiah	"	b. 12-6-1828.
Hezekiah	"	b. 1-14-1831.
Aaron	"	b. 8-31-1833, d. 7-3-1918; m. Harriet R. Jewett, #1, above.
Martha	"	b. 3-22-1838.

11052-1 Harriet R. (Jewett) and Aaron Morris, m. 4-26-1861, lived at Chester, Ohio; he was Civil War veteran. Children:

9*	Elmer Ellsworth Morris,	5-1-1862 - 7-3-1909.	
10*	Benjamin Elza	"	9-8-1864, lived near Pomeroy, Ohio.
11	Mary Abigail	"	unm. b. 1-25-1867.
12	Ida M.	"	4-2-1869 - 4-27-1869.
13*	Clarence J.	"	b. 11-23-1870, Dayton, Ohio.
14	Hattie May	"	b. 9-8-1873, unm.

15* Albert Winfield " b. 12-27-1877, m. 1-12-1908 Altha A. LaFever; no children.
16 Alfred Victor " b. twin, 12-27-1877, d. 5-6-1878.
17* Arthur Garfield " b. 9-13-1880; P. O. employee at Dayton, Ohio.

11052-2 Barzillai Jewett, m. 3-8-1866 Harriet Nease, b. 5-23-1844, d. 3-14-1922, dau. of Michael and Katy (Wolf) Nease. Their children:
18 Melvin Audell, by 4-25-1867, d. 11-20-1868.
19* Emmett Grant, b. 5-10-1870, Meigs Co., Ohio.
20* Everett Glenn, b. 10-28-1871, unm.
21* Charles Earl, b. 5-3-1877.

11052-4 Clemenza P. m. 10-4-1883, Martin Luther Easterday, b. 1-23-1850, d. 3-6-1925, son of Jacob and Sarah (Spiger) Easterday; children:
22* Carl Jewett Easterday, b. 3-10-1885, Racine, Ohio.
23* William Reed " b. 9-9-1890.

11052-5 Mary A. m. 9-8-1875 Robert Edgar Miller, from Tarentum, Pa., to Bashan, Ohio; b. 7-1-1848, d. 8-21-1914. Children:
24 Charles Wesley Miller, b. 7-2-1876, m.
25* Bessie Belle " b. 7-15-1878
26* Jessie L. " b. 9-13-1880, d. 4-16-1917 at East Liverpool, Ohio.

11052-6 J. Levater Jewett, m. 9-25-1883 Cornelia Roush, dau. of John, (son of Jacob) and Delilah (Young) Roush; b. 1841, d. 12-29-1932. No children; raised two adopted children of deceased relatives.

11052-7 Oren A. Jewett, m. 3-24-1886 Janette Montgomery, both died at Concordia, Kansas; their son:
27* Taylor O. Jewett, b. 9-16-1907.

11052-8 Laura J. m. 3-29-1881, (her birthday) at Bashan, Ohio, Thomas Walter Williams, b. 6-8-1852, d. 7-11-1920; son of Artemas Ward and Mary E. Dodge Williams; descended from Robert Williams who settled at Roxbury, (Boston) Mass. in 1637, and William Ward, who settled at the same place, and later at Marlboro, Mass. 1639; and from Major General Artemas Ward commanding the Revolutionary forces until the arrival of George Washington at Boston, and then second in command to General Washington. Through the Ward family he was descended from John Alden and Priscilla Mullens of the Mayflower. T. W. Williams was much in civic life; city clerk and mayor of Bridgeport, Ohio for several terms; and member of the board of education for many years; held in great esteem and all public flags were at half-mast during his funeral services. Children:
28* Harry Ward Williams, b. 6-13-1882, Syracuse, Ohio
29* Roy Jewett " b. 4-6-1884, Hartford, W. Va.
30 Hugh Herman " b. 6-29-1886, Bridgeport, Ohio (m).
31 Eugene Edward " b. 9-22-1897, Bridgeport, Ohio (m).

NINTH GENERATION

11052-9 Elmer E. Morris m. 1-1-1882 Susan Eihinger at her home near Sumner, Ohio; she d. 9-15-1894; children:
32* Robert Clinton Morris, b. 6-16-1883; 176 W. Central Ave., Delaware, Ohio)
33* (George Emmett " b. 7-17-1885)
34* Bertha Mabel " b. 2-8-1887, R.D. 1, Ostranger, Ohio.

11052-10 Benjamin E. Morris, m. 11-24-1884 Rose Gilman; children:
35* Lulu Lonora Morris, b. 12-5-1885.
36 Lillian Leora " b. 7-21-1889.

37* Olive Myrtle " b. 7-30-1893.
38* Norma " b. 12-10-1895.
39 Kate Jewett " 3-2-1898 - 2-8-1902.

11052-13 Clarence J. Morris, m. at Chester, Ohio, 4-17-1895 Anna L. Newell, d. 2-25-1925. Children:
40 Freda Laura Morris, b. 9-2-1897, d. 3-5-1914.

11052-17 Arthur G. Morris, m. 6-25-1908 at Dayton, Ohio, Gertrude F. Lighter, whose parents came from Holland with the name Lydert; children:
41. Richard Lighter Morris, m. 6-18-1909.

11052-19 Emmett G. Jewett, m. 8-24-1898 Margaret Archer; children:
42* Letha Mildred, b. 7-8-1899.
43* Sylvia Gertrude b. 11-19-1904.
44* Virginia Grace, b. 7-14-1908.
45 Mary Ellen, b. 8-19-1914.

11052-21 Charles E. Jewett, m. 12-19-1906 Frances Lawrence; children:
46 Alice Elizabeth H. b. 5-17-1910, who m. 6-23-1931 Von Emlin Adams; no children.

11052-22 Carl Jewett Easterday, m. 6-2-1909 Lela Rose Smith, b. 9-22-1891; children:
47 Emma Patience Easterday, b. 4-30-1911.
48 David Martin " b. 12-30-1913.
49 Mary Virginia " b. 12-15-1916.
50 Marion Jewett " b. 8-2-1918.

11052-23 William R. Easterday, m. 8-15-1928 Emma Blanche Smith, b. 4-14-1894, sister of Lela, wife of his bro. Carl. Children:
51 John William Easterday, b. 4-6-1930.
52 Rose Amy " b. 2-14-1932.

11052-25 Bessie B. Miller, m. 7-15-1903 Herman Joy Cross at Bashan, Ohio; b. 1-1-1873 near Racine, Ohio, son of Lucius, (jr.) and Elizabeth (Reynolds) Cross. Lucius, Senior, was b. at Mansfield, Connecticut, of English parentage; m. at Marietta, Ohio, Thirza Stanley, shortly before moving to Meigs Co., Ohio. There he engaged in flat-boating on the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, and later operated flour and saw mills. Lucius, Jr., was b. 1830; for many years was in business with his father, later was farmer and stock-raiser. Elizabeth Reynolds, when aged about 12 years, moved with her parents in 1847-8, from N. Y. via Hudson River, Erie Canal, and Lake Erie to Cleveland; thence to Newcomerstown, Ohio, by canal boat, and there spent the winter. The following spring they went by wagon to Chester, Ohio, the entire trip requiring a year and five months. Bessie B. Cross d. Louisville, Kentucky, 10-30-1958 and Joy Cross died there 1-8-1941. Their children are:
53 Lola Blanche Cross, b. 1-3-1905, Dale, Ohio.
54* Gladys Marie " b. 2-11-1907, Dale, Ohio.

11052-26 Jessie L. Miller, m. on Thanksgiving Day 1905, Dennis Allen at Bashan, Ohio; later moving to East Liverpool, Ohio, where she died, after which he married again. Children:
55 Roxie Allen (McElroy), b. 12-12-1913; after death of her mother in 1916, she was adopted by family friends named McElroy and assumed that name.
56 Laura Pauline Allen, b. 7-22-1909; both girls live in Columbus, Ohio.

11052-27 Taylor O. Jewett, m. on his 21st birthday, Mildred Ethel Redell, 9-16-1928; dau. of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Redell. Children:
57 A daughter.

11052-28 Harry W. Williams, m. at Wheeling, W. Va., 6-25-1907, Sarah Ann, b. at Cumberland, Md., 1-11-1885, dau. of William Frederick and Martha (Rock) Willans; both of whom arrived in America in 1883 from Liverpool, England with the Rock family. H. W. Williams spent over 20 years in steel mill and public accounting, before going to Fairmont, W. Va., in 1924 with the Domestic Coke Corp., a subsidiary of the Standard Oil Co. (N. J.) from which he retired as treasurer and director in 1947. While in Fairmont, he has been much interested in civic affairs; on the board of the local Red Cross chapter for years; past president of the Fairmont Rotary Club; and interested in the Community Chest. Is a member of the N. E. Historic Gen. Soc.; Sons of the Revolution; is an Elk, and 32° Mason, and Episcopalian. Since retiring in 1947, he has been much interested in family histories of early settlers of this region, and has published the history of the Nuzum Family. Children:

58* Martha Jewett Williams, b. 7-24-1908, Buffalo.
59* Agnes Ward " b. 2-10-1911, Buffalo.
60* Robert Edward " b. 3-20-1913, Beaver, Pa.
61 Jane Elizabeth " b. 2-3-1915, Beaver, Pa.
62* Harriet Ann " b. 3-2-1923, Woodlawn, Pa.

11052-29 Roy J. Williams, m. first at Bridgeport, Ohio, 6-25-1908, Elsie Alma Matheny; m. 2nd in Pittsburgh, Pa. after divorce in 1924, Hilda Philomena Schoenefeldt, dau. of Henry, b. 11-21-1861 in Essen, Germany. Roy J. is now retired chief engineer of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co. and lives at Library, Penna. near Pittsburgh. The children of first marriage:

63* George Leroy Williams, b. 7-22-1913, at Bridgeport, Ohio.
64 Dale Knox " b. 2-6-1918, Pittsburgh, Pa.
65 Robert Ward " b. 11-9-1919.

11052-30 Hugh H. Williams, m. 3-4-1916 at Martins Ferry, Ohio, Dorothy, b. 6-13-1899, dau. of James and Mary Jane (Redman) Robbins. She died 12-22-1941. He m. 2nd Ella (Brooke) Cook, (of Revolutionary Ancestry) b. 2-9-1893. No children.

11052-31 Eugene E. Williams, m. at Bridgeport, Ohio, Elizabeth Graeb, b. 10-1-1904; marriage in June 1947. They now live at Canton, Ohio. No children.

TENTH GENERATION

11052-32 Robert C. Morris, (R.D. 6, Delaware, Ohio) m. 10-4-1885 Mabel, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Grubb, Delaware, Ohio. Mr. Grubb, b. 9-27-1859 at Ostrander, Ohio; Mrs. Grubb was Esther Margaret Steiner, b. 12-21-1858 in Berks Co., Penna. Children:

66* Margaret Irene Morris, b. 8-9-1910.
67 Dorothea May " b. 7-1-1916.
68 Clinton Levi " b. 12-1-1917.
69 Lester Robert " b. 10-31-1922.

11052-33 George E. Morris, m. 1-29-1911 Sarah Jane Wells, at Delaware, Ohio; children:

70 Iva Susan Morris, b. 12-11-1912.
71 Ida Harriet " b. twin, d. 2-24-1913.
72 Elmer Ellsworth " b. 9-16-1916.

This family address is 176 West Central Ave., Delaware, Ohio. (1932).

11052-34 Bertha Mabel Morris, m. 1-1-1910 William A. Goodwin. Children are:

73 Mary Susan Goodman, b. 8-16-1911.
74 Mabel Olive " b. 4-17-1913.

75 James Elmer " b. 1-14-1915.
76 Leah May " b. 1-12-1917.
77 Benjamin Leroy " b. 10-20-1918.
78 William Robert " b. 12-27-1920.
79 Margaret Marie " b. 1-11-1923.
80 Gladys Maxine " b. 2-27-1928, d. 1-17-1929.
81 Agnes Louise " b. 7-28-1930.

11052-42 Letha M. Jewett, m. 5-7-1924 Clifford Morris; children:
82 Earl B. Morris, b. 2-4-1925.
83 Carl Seldon " b. 8-21-1931.

11052-43 Sylvis G. Jewett, m. 12-15-1930 James G. Poole. No children.

11052-44 Virginia G. Jewett, m. 2-14-1930, Ralph Wickline; children:
84 Virginia Ruth Wickline, b. 3-14-1932.

11052-54 Gladys M. Cross, m. 5-30-1932, James Gibson Wigginton.

11052-58 Martha J. Williams, m. 5-26-1928, at Oakland, Md., Fay Harrison Cumpston, (son of Harrison and Capitola (Nuzum) Cumpston), b. 3-22-1903; adopted children are:
85 Ward Nuzum Cumpston, b. 10-15-1937.
86 Faye Suzanne " b. 1-30-1948.

11052-59 Agnes W. Williams, m. at Washington, Pa., 4-18-1935, William Clifford Lawson, b. at Grafton, W. Va., 10-4-1905, son of Dellet William and Mary Frances Lawson. Children:
87 Ann Cornelia Lawson, b. 12-11-1936.
88 Gretchen Penelope " b. 9-29-1944.

11052-60 Robert E. Williams, m. 11-17-1947, Evelyn, b. 4-28-1916, dau. of Franklin and Mae Mullenix. Robert is in the engineering dept. of the Monongahela Power Co. in Fairmont, W. Va. Children:
89 James Franklin Williams, b. 2-11-1947 at Angola, Ind., while his father was in school of engineering.
90 Sarah Ann Williams, b. 6-27-1949, Fairmont, W. Va.
91 Paul Richard Williams, b. 8-29-1951, Fairmont, W. Va.

11052-62 Harriet Ann William, m. at Portsmouth, Va., 3-6-1946, Jack L. Ford, Cpl. of Marines, b. Sunday, 8-25-1918, son of John H. and Mrs. Claire Ford. After finishing school he was immediately taken into the Sears and Roebuck Co. in Arizona. Their son,
92 Jon Stephen Ford, b. 8-24-1951 at Safford, Arizona.

11052-63 George L. Williams, m. 9-19-1941 at Pittsburgh, Pa., Marian Mackrell Black, b. 1-16-1915 at Pittsburgh. George is now employed by a government munitions plant at Las Alamos, N. M. Children:
93 Marilyn Williams, b. 7-2-1947, Las Alamos.

ELEVENTH GENERATION

11052-66 Margaret I. Morris, m. 11-22-1930, Murray Long, b. 4-9-1912; children:
94 Esther Eileen Long, b. 12-1-1931.

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OMISSIONS FROM TENTH GENERATION

11052-35 Lulu Lonora Morris, m. 4-17-1909, Albert Eastman; had
95 Roland Eastman, b. 3-18-1924.

11052-37 Olive M. Morris, m. 2-5-1916, Alvin Spencer, and had
96 Denzil Clair Spencer, b. 11-6-1918.

11052-38 Norma Morris, m. in October, 1917, George Eastman; had
97 Orval Eastman, b. 9-11-1918.
98 Reva Carol Eastman, b. 1-5-1922, d. 7-12-1924.
99 Emmett Alton " b. 7-11-1924.
100 Betty Kathleen " b. 7-12-1927.

1959 JEWETT FAMILY REUNION

Mary Lou Jewett Gorski, Chairman, Reunion Committee

The twenty-first reunion of the Jewett Family of America, Inc., was held at Put-in-Bay on South Bass Island in Lake Erie, on July 10 and 11, 1959. Over fifty relatives gathered from some twelve states, reaching from Massachusetts to Colorado, to renew acquaintances and to visit the historical and interesting sites on the island.

Coming the greatest distance were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jewett Skinner of Boulder, Colorado, while the oldest traveler to the reunion was Mrs. Anna Jewett, 89, of Lakewood, Ohio. Formally planned events for the occasion were a Friday night reception in the town hall, a business meeting Saturday morning, and a luncheon in the Rendezvous Hotel Saturday noon.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Skinner of Boulder entertained us in the Park with scenic color slides of their most recent trip through the Southwestern states. Prior to the reception, Mr. Kindt of the National Park Service showed color slides of the island and narrated. Each member was presented a souvenir of the Perry Memorial Monument. Group singing was enjoyed, with Mrs. Fred Geigel of Algona, Iowa at the piano. Bulah Sweet, of Conneaut, who has done much genealogical research displayed an interesting collection of Jewett pictures and documents, and favored us with a souvenir brochure of "Some Jewetts in Ohio."

Mr. Herschel Jewett, President of the organization, presided at the Saturday business meeting which was opened by singing the Jewett Patriotic song.

Report of Business Meeting

The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were read and approved. The report of the nominating committee, Arthur Jewett, Clinton, Massachusetts, Chairman, was as follows:

First Vice President ..... Raymond D. Jewett, Springfield, Mass.
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Everett D. Jewett, Rowley, Mass.
Auditor ..... Alfred D. Jewett, Rowley, Mass.
Historian ..... Everett D. Jewett, Rowley, Mass.
Corporation Counsel ..... Henry W. Jewett, West Palm Beach, Fla.

Directors:

William Chase Jewett, Bellows Falls, Vt.
Raymond D. Jewett, Springfield, Mass.
Judge Theo S. Jewett, Laconia, N. H.
E. Tilson Peabody, Rochester, Michigan
Shepard L. Jewett, Lynn, Mass.
Frank S. Jewett, M.D., New York, N. Y.

Honorary Vice Presidents:

Arizona - Myron Parker Jewett, Tucson
Arkansas - Mrs. A. Warren Wells, Altus
California - William H. Jewett, Eureka
Colorado - Clyde Jewett Skinner, Boulder
Connecticut - Abel L. Jewett, Woodbridge
Delaware - Charles N. Jewett, New Castle
Florida - Caleb Jewett King, Jacksonville
Georgia - Miss Louise Bridges, Atlanta
Idaho - Lt. Col. Jewett DeWitt Mathews, Moscow
Indiana - Mrs. Otto Goff, Pendleton
Iowa - Gerald A. Jewett, Des Moines
Illinois - Doran M. Jewett, Waukegan
Kansas - Miss Lucyle Jewett, Halstead

Maine - Erastus Alvin Jewett, Bath
Maryland - Mrs. Whitney Weinrich, Cumberstone
Massachusetts - Dr. William G. Jewett, Gardner
Michigan - Mrs. Madelon J. Lindsay, Detroit
Minnesota - Clifford L. Jewett, Minneapolis
Missouri - Miss Louise Jewett, Boonville
Nebraska - Jeanne J. Mobley, Omaha
New Hampshire - Dr. Harold C. Pickwick, Lisbon
New Jersey - John G. Jewett, South Orange
New York - Dr. Stephen P. Jewett, New York
Ohio - Mrs. Almira Jewett Taylor, Westwood
Oklahoma - Harold Jewett Hanmer, Oklahoma City
Oregon - Harold W. Jewett, Grant's Pass
Pennsylvania - Ray L. Jewett, Clarks Summit
South Dakota - Harvey C. Jewett, 3rd, Aberdeen
Tennessee - Linneas J. Jewett, Memphis
Texas - Gleason W. Jewett, Fort Worth
Utah - Charles E. Jewett, Salt Lake City
Vermont - Edgar A. Jewett, Waterbury
Virginia - Malbourne J. Peabody, Falls Church
Washington - Mrs. Burnice S. Ford, Castle Rock
West Virginia - William C. Jewett, 3rd, Huntington
Wisconsin - L. E. Jewett, West Salem
Wyoming - Mrs. James Judge Jewett, Jr., Riverton

Brazil - Samuel A. Newman, Rio de Janeiro
New Brunswick - Charles A. Jewett, Fredericton
Quebec - Fred Jewett, Mansonville

On a motion made and seconded it was voted to have the secretary cast one ballot for their election.

After some discussion about the future plans of the Association the meeting adjourned.

Principal speaker at the Saturday luncheon was Major Archie King of Camp Perry, who spoke on the historical naval skirmish of Commodore Perry. Everett D. Jewett of Rowley, Secretary and Treasurer, revealed an offer of his extensive library collection of family record books valued at some $15,000. to the association when and if the latter will construct a permanent building in Rowley, Massachusetts, to house those and other records.

Concluding the luncheon, many members took informal tours to the Perry Monument and other island sites. The monument rises 352 feet above the water and is the second highest national monument. A tour to the top by elevator offers a never-to-be forgotten view of American and Canadian shores and surrounding islands. Beneath the monument, the remains of three American and three British officers lie in hallowed rest, commemorating one of the most important battles of the War of 1812.

Another attraction is Perry's Cave, believed to be discovered by Oliver H. Perry while his squadron lay at anchor in the bay a few days prior to the battle. Tradition claims that Perry stored ammunition and cannon in the cave before the battle, and kept British prisoners there afterward. The

ceiling and floors are an interesting study of stalactites and stalagmites. Of great interest is the "wishing well", over sixty feet deep and so clear that a small pebble can be observed twenty feet down. The water is pure, and rises and falls with the level of Lake Erie, denoting that there must be subterranean connection.

It was good to see and greet the relatives again, and to meet those we had not known before. We had many letters from members who were unable to attend and some cancellations due to sickness, etc. To those, I can only say that we missed you, and hope that you will be able to attend the next time. These affairs are of such endurance that there is never time to do enough "visiting" it seems. So, we just look forward to another meeting, and remember with pleasure the happy moments shared.

My thanks to all who assisted and attended in 1959. To every Jewett in America, a sincere wish for all that is good, until we meet again.

REGISTRATION

Gertrude M. Wessels	Clinton, Mass.
Barbara A. Wessels	Clinton, Mass.
Clara B. Jewett	Mason, Mich.
Alton L. Jewett	Mason, Mich.
Ione A. Jewett	Mason, Mich.
Mahala E. Jewett	Columbus, Ohio
Evelyn Jewett Fleshman	Delaware, Ohio
Mary Lou Gorski	Cincinnati, Ohio
Danny Joe Gorski	Cincinnati, Ohio
Herschel Jewett	Mason, Mich.
James W. Jewitt	Ocean City, N. J.
Bulah C. Sweet	Conneaut, Ohio
Cora E. Skinner	Boulder, Colo.
Clyde Jewett Skinner	Boulder, Colo.
Leota Hackman Geigel	Algona, Iowa
Fred S. Geigel	Algona, Iowa
Ronald D. Jewett	Worthington, Ohio
Margaret Samuel Jewett	Worthington, Ohio
Ronnie Jewett	Worthington, Ohio
Dennie Jewett	Worthington, Ohio
Florence E. Merriam	Wellsburg, N. Y.
LaRue R. Merriam	Wellsburg, N. Y.
Natalie Jewett	Ipswich, Mass.
Charles Williams	Polk, Ohio
Dorothy Williams	Polk, Ohio
Bea Williams	Polk, Ohio
E. Tilson Peabody	Rochester, Mich.
Shepard L. Jewett	Lynn, Mass.
Edna Jewett	Rowley, Mass.
Arthur Jewett	Clinton, Mass.
Elinor Jewett Markeseines	Clinton, Mass.
Judith Markeseines	Clinton, Mass.
Marilyn Holcomb	Conneaut, Ohio
Aubrey F. Houston	Put-in-Bay, Ohio
Mrs. A. F. Houston	Put-in-Bay, Ohio
Everett D. Jewett	Rowley, Mass.
Richard H. Jewett	North Madison, Ohio
Andrew O. Jewett	Painesville, Ohio
Ella L. Jewett	Painesville, Ohio
Donald R. Jewett	Cleveland, Ohio

Florence L. Jewett	Cleveland, Ohio
Anna N. Jewett	Cleveland, Ohio
Patricia J. Keister	Wayne, Mich.
Wayne Keister	Wayne, Mich.
William Keister	Wayne, Mich.
Joe Keister	Wayne, Mich.
F. A. Snell	Pontiac, Mich.
Rose L. Snell	Pontiac, Mich.
Joseph Tholl	Chagrin Falls, Ohio
Mrs. Ina Hoover Tholl	Chagrin Falls, Ohio
Archie King	Port Clinton, Ohio

BIRTHS RECORDED

John Frederic Carpenter, April 11, 1959. Parents Mr. and Mrs. John A. Carpenter of Washington, Pennsylvania. Descendant of Fred S. Jewett #3943.

Tracy Enfield Davis Spencer, May 9, 1959. Parents Mr. and Mrs. James Kyle Spencer of Columbus, Georgia. Descendants of Samuel Jewett #1509.

Harry G. Haskell, 3rd, August 11, 1959, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Haskell of Wilmington, Delaware. Descendant of Jeremiah Jewett #381.

Robert Norton Jewett, September 21, 1959, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Jewett of Lexington, Massachusetts. Descendants of Lee Nathan Jewett #9348.

Timothy James Dorn, August 13, 1959, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Dorn, Saginaw, Michigan, Descendant of Jonathan Jewett #2020.

Samuel Albert Drukman, June 25, 1958, son of Mr. and Mrs. Drukman of San Francisco, California. Descendant of Daniel Jewett #879.

Robert Gary Jewett, July 5, 1958, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jewett of Charlotte, Michigan. Descendant of Wilfred L. Jewett #9354.

Henry Wells Jewett, 2nd, April 3, 1959, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wells Jewett of West Palm Beach, Florida. Descendant of Wells Jewett #8585.

Catherine Ann Mayers, May 21, 1959, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald C. Mayers of San Diego, California. Descendant of David L. Jewett #11156.

Paul Lewis Benson, December 10, 1958, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Benson of Digmans Ferry, Pennsylvania. Descendant of Joseph Jewett #5117.

Peggy Lynn Rockhold, July 14, 1959. Parents Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Rockhold of Mason, Michigan. Descendant of Wilfred L. Jewett #9354.

Joanne Marie Jewett, February 16, 1959. Parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Jewett, Ipswich, Massachusetts. Descendants of Everett D. Jewett #9576.

Melissa A. Jewett, January 25, 1960. Parents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred D. Jewett, Rowley, Massachusetts. Descendants of Everett D. Jewett #9576.

Natalie Louise Jewett, January 9, 1960. Parents Mr. and Mrs. Everett G. Jewett, Fresno, California. Descendant of Everett D. Jewett #9576.

David Jewett Brigham, September 17, 1959. Parents Mr. and Mrs. Ranald J. Brigham, Ipswich, Massachusetts. Descendant of Everett D. Jewett #9576.

Reunion of the Descendants of Marcus Lyon Jewett

Lucian Earle Jewett

For many years the descendants of Marcus Lyon Jewett, #2859 in the Jewett genealogy, have met annually for their family get together. The earlier gatherings were for the purpose of observing birthdays or wedding anniversaries, but in more recent years they have met annually on May 30, Decoration Day.

The first gathering of which I have a record was at my father's home in LaCrosse County, Wisconsin. About fifty Jewetts were present. A few years later seventy-five were present for the largest group of which I have a record. Due to the death of the older members and the fact that the younger generation has moved to all parts of the United States the group is much smaller.

Benjamin Jewett, #1396, and whose line of descent was #666, #226, #72, #15, #4 and #1, was born in Coventry, Connecticut in 1765, married Lucretia Richardson in 1787. My grandfather, Marcus Lyon Jewett, was born April 21, 1806, and married Zeviah Carver at Ludlow, Massachusetts. They had a family of four sons and two daughters. My father, Lucian Henry Jewett, was born in Ludlow, Massachusetts, and moved with his parents to Ohio, then to Illinois and from there to Wisconsin. Marcus L. Jewett and his son, Jay Marcus, served with the Northern forces in the Civil War. My father traveled by ox team from Wisconsin to the Pacific coast in 1859, returning eight years later to make his home in Wisconsin. He, his parents and his brothers and sisters, with their families, are the group that met regularly for more than sixty years. At one time all members of the Marcus L. Jewett family lived here in LaCrosse County, Wisconsin, but now their descendants are scattered from coast to coast.

Gathering at Mason, Michigan

Mrs. Wilfred Jewett

Following our time honored custom of holding our reunion on the last Sunday in July, our gathering in 1959 was held at Ingham County Park on Sunday, July 26th. Forty-five members of the family were present to enjoy the dinner and program in memory of Arthur W. Jewett, Sr., an outstanding florist and horticulturist of national reputation, who passed away in 1931. Following the repast Alton L. Jewett, age eighty, youngest brother of Arthur W. Jewett, told the gathering about many of the exciting activities of their younger days. Arthur W. Jewett, Jr., Wilfred Jewett and Emery Jewett, sons of Arthur W. Jewett, Sr., recalled many of the happenings of their childhood.

In keeping with our tradition of the oldest Jewett's being President,, George Jewett, ninety-three, was re-elected and Alton Jewett was re-elected Vice President. Because of illness, Madelon Lindsay, who has served as Secretary and Treasurer for a number of years, was unable to be present, and felt that she could not continue. Mrs. Wilfred Jewett was elected in her place. Arthur W. Jewett was appointed a committee of one to increase the attendance in 1960.

Reunion of the Jewetts of Hampton, Connecticut

Viola Jewett Clapp, President

The 21st annual reunion was held Sunday, September 20, 1959. No meetings were held during the wartime period.

Members of the Family attended church service at the Hampton Congregational Church. Cordial greetings were extended to the family by Reverend Herbert Haines.

Following the church service the family gathered in the nearby Chapel where dinner was enjoyed. Forty members were present.

Our First Vice-President, Susan Jewett Griggs of Abington, aged 87 years, was present. Mrs. Griggs was very active with Elmer C. Jewett in organizing our first reunion, and has been actively concerned in its history ever since.

Mr. Everett D. Jewett, Secretary and Treasurer of the Jewett Family of America and his daughter, Natalie, of Rowley, Massachusetts, was present. We were very happy to have him speak to us and to give us information about other reunions which he had attended.

After the dinner a business meeting was held. This was called to order by the President, Mrs. Viola Jewett Clapp. She is to continue as the president. Carl W. Jewett was re-elected Vice President and Mrs. Joseph Estabrook was chosen to serve as secretary as Mrs. Bertha Greer wished to be relieved of her duties at this time. Her resignation was accepted with regrets. The time and place of the meeting for next year was discussed; a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m. A social hour followed.

Mrs. Griggs' Birthday Party

On the afternoon of January 10, 1960, Susan Jewett Griggs celebrated her eighty-eighth birthday at the home of her son, Kermit Howe in Abington, Connecticut. Her four children, Kermit Howe, Victor Howe, Quention Howe, Mrs. Thera Ellsworth and their families were present; also Mr. and Mrs. Leon H. Clapp and other members of our Hampton group. In all fifty members of the family came to enjoy the festivities. Mrs. Griggs received many gifts including a large birthday cake decorated with eighty-eight candles. She was ably assisted in cutting and serving the cake by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Reunion of the Descendants of Nathan Rodney Jewett

Charles N. Jewett

The 1959 annual reunion was held on August 1st at the home of Mr. and Mrs. (Jane Jewett) Floyd Seaman's, Binghamton, New York. Their home is on the grounds of the Y. M. C. A. Boys' Camp. Floyd is the Maintenance man for the camp and the buildings in town. About thirty-five were present (less than the usual number). We had a picnic dinner in the camp dining room. Archery and games for all and pony rides for the children. The oldest member present was Jennie, widow of Ben L. Jewett and the youngest was the 2 months old son of Richard and June Allen. Rodney Jewett's death was the only one reported. Surely we all miss him; "Rod" was always the life of the party either at work or at play.

Reunion of the Jewetts of Berkshire, Vermont

The second annual reunion was held at Wildcat Falls in East Bakersfield, Vermont, on September 6, 1959, with about ninety-four descendants of Samuel Jewett present. A picnic lunch was served. A program of singing, talks and games was under the direction of Ora Jewett Murray. One of those who attended was Mrs. Joanna Jewett Locke of Alaska.

DEATHS REPORTED

John Vernon Jewett died at Huggins Hospital, Wolfeboro, New Hampshire, on July 14, 1959.

A native of Danvers, Massachusetts, he attended schools of that town and graduated from Dartmouth in 1907. In 1928 he was graduated from the Harvard Graduate School of Education, with the Master of Education degree.

From 1921 to 1939, John was submaster, counselor, and teacher at Brookline High School, Brookline, Massachusetts, and was principal of the Heath School in Brookline from 1939 to his retirement in 1953. From 1948 to 1952, he was a member of Selective Service Board No. 44, Brookline, and from 1948 to 1952 was Chairman of Selective Service Board No. 25, Brookline.

John was also steward of the Official Board and first president of the Men's Club of St. Mark Methodist Church of Brookline and was past president of the Brookline Kiwanis Club, having served as its secretary for 14 years.

He was a member and Director of the Jewett Family of America and served as chairman of the Reunion Committee for the 1955 Reunion held in Rowley.

Since his retirement in 1953, he had made his home in Center Harbor, New Hampshire, and was a deacon of Center Harbor Congregational Church and a member of the Center Harbor School Board.

Members of John's family are his wife, Mrs. Marian Lawrence Jewett; a sister, Mrs. Annis T. Bryant, East Wareham, Massachusetts; a son, Vernon L. Jewett of Wellesley, Massachusetts; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Flagler Fultz, of Auburndale, Massachusetts, and Mrs. J. Eugene Huff, of Lambert Lake, Maine; twelve grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. John remarried three years ago, his first wife having died in 1953. His widow has two married children, a son and a daughter.

Internment was in Rowley, Massachusetts.

Garry W. Jewett #5329 died in Portland, Oregon, on April 15, 1959. He was in his ninety-first year. Mr. Jewett had been one of the original members of our family Association. His membership dated from September 10, 1910. He is survived by two sons, John Jewett of Montesano, Washington, and Garry W. Jewett, Jr., Captain, United States Navy; one daughter, Miss Jean Jewett of Portland, Oregon, and one grandchild, Paul Jewett, a Stanford College medical student.

Mrs. Charlotte T. (Dow) Jewett, 86, of Rowley, Massachusetts, died in Beverly Hospital, Beverly, Massachusetts, March 24, 1959. She was the widow of Howard N. Jewett #6826. There are no survivors.

Everett E. Jewett #3835, New Hampshire's oldest Spanish American War Veteran, died in Keene, New Hampshire, July 6, 1959. He was ninety-one, a native of Winchendon, Massachusetts. His wife, Addie May (Deeth) Jewett, died in Keene December 29, 1958.

Harry A. Jewett, Sr., #3660 of Chelsea, Massachusetts, reports the death of his wife, Goldie H. (Donaldson) Jewett on April 16, 1959. She is buried in Swanton, Vermont.

Mrs. Ella F. (Norton) Jewett, ninety-four years, widow of Herbert L. Jewett #9084 died at her home in Haverhill, Massachusetts, February 16, 1959. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Esther Sanborn of Boscawen, New Hampshire, and Miss Alice Jewett of Amesbury, Massachusetts; and one son, Percy L. Jewett of Haverhill.

Roger K. Jewett, age 49, died suddenly on September 11, 1959, at his home in New Orleans, Louisiana. He was formerly of Watertown, New York, the son of the late Chief of Police and Mrs. Wilford Jewett of that city. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Virginia Ayers Jewett, two daughters, Linda Ann, 16 and Betsey Ann, 12; also a sister, Miss Eleanore M. Jewett of Watertown.

Edward Thomas Jewett, 59, #8872 died in Indianola, Iowa, February 22, 1959. He is survived by three daughters, P. Jeanne Mobley, M. Joanna Wilkins, Norma K. Kraner; and one son, Frederick L. Jewett; also three grandchildren.

Rodney B. Jewett, 64, see #10524, died suddenly in Memorial Hospital, Wilmington, Delaware, April 18, 1959. He had recently become an enthusiastic member of the Family Association, having assisted in furnishing some of the material for our 1959 Yearbook. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lena Corbett Jewett; two daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Dillon and Mrs. Charles Wolfe; two brothers, Roy of Johnson City and Charles of Wilmington; one sister, Mrs. Earl O. Nash of Montrose, Pennsylvania. His passing is a great loss to his family and friends and to our Association.

Mrs. Edith Jewett Marvin Herrman passed away suddenly at her home in Brooklyn, New York on February 12, 1959. Her line was published in the 1958 Yearbook, page 14. She had recently become interested in the Association, not only becoming a member, she also enrolled her children. Our deepest sympathy to her children for their loss under such strange circumstances.

In Mason, Michigan, Joseph Carl Jewett #9351 died January 16, 1959, after a long illness. One of the kindest men that I ever knew. He is survived by many relatives in Mason.

Mrs. Lewis C. Mixter of East Lansing, Michigan, died December 17, 1958. She was the step-mother of Bessie Dermondy of Miami, Florida, Mary Benson, Ruth Bezinian of Montreal and Paul Mixter of Washington, D. C.

In Rowley, Massachusetts, Honorable Cornelius F. Haley, 84, died on August 17, 1959. The husband of the late Bessie Jewett Haley, he served as town moderator; also as selectman and assessor for 10 years. As a member

of the House of Representatives for two years and in the State Senate for twenty-four years. He is survived by eight sons, one daughter, twelve grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Edith Landon Jewett, widow of Dr. Harold W. Jewett, died in Lowell, Massachusetts, January 10, 1960. No further information.

William Jewett Geer, 70, son of the late Ira Jewett Geer, Chicago Attorney, died in Niles, Michigan, August 4, 1959. He retired in 1946 as a mechanical engineer. Interested in genealogy, he was a member of the Mayflower Society and the Sons of the American Revolution. Surviving are his wife, a son and two granddaughters. His closest connection in the genealogy is #3320.

Harry L. Goodwin of Guilford, New York, passed away suddenly on December 8, 1958, in his sixty-ninth year. He is survived by his wife, Lena Jewett Goodwin of Guilford.

Arthur N. Jewett, born in Keswick Ridge, New Brunswick, February 20, 1871, died in Eureka, California, where he had lived for many years, in February, 1959, aged 88 years. It was a pleasure to meet him at the Reunion in Rowley in 1955.

W. Roy Jewett of Enid, Oklahoma, passed away on June 10, 1959, following an illness of a few weeks. Roy, since his retirement from the United States Postal Service had turned his interest to genealogy. Through his letter writing, his travels and his keen mind he was able to gather many records of his ancestors and their collatoral lines. Mr. Jewett was a member of the Jewett Family of America, the honorary vice-president for Oklahoma and a frequent correspondent of your secretary. He is survived by his wife, two stepsons, a grandson and a sister.

Word has been received of the death of Charles W. Jewett #5780 of Denver, Colorado on October 12, 1959. Mr. Jewett joined the Association in 1914, becoming a Life Member in 1929. We have no further information.

NOTES

Joan Jewett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Jewett of Mason, Michigan, and Frank H. Butterfield, Jr., of Lansing, Michigan, were married in Mason on July 25, 1959.

The annual membership of Mrs. Merceda Jewett Arnold, Palo Alto, California, has been converted to a life membership.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Parker Jewett and their two youngest daughters, formerly of Grand Junction, Iowa, have moved to Tucson, Arizona. Myron is presently the manager of the Sleepy Hollow Trailer Ranch in Tucson. It is said to be Arizona's largest mobile homes park. Why not stop and patronize him if you are driving through Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Jewett of Minneapolis celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary in February, 1959, on the island of Maui in the Hawaiian Islands. They made stops in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Seattle, visiting with friends. Clifford served as President of the Institute of Technology Alumni Association at the University of Minnesota in 1959, also as program chairman of the ninth Annual Conference of the Research and Engineering Council of the Graphic Arts in New York City.

Although the gathering at Put-in-Bay was not as large as we had hoped, all present had an enjoyable time. The boat ride to the island and the pleasure of once again meeting some of our friends was a delight. Where shall we hold our next Reunion? When?

Sharlene Deanne Jewett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wyman Jewett, was married to Donald Allyn Chapman in Glastonbury, Connecticut, on the 23rd day of May, 1959. They are residing in Glastobury.

Mrs. Berenice Jewett Bradshaw of Salt Lake City reports the marriage of her daughter, Frances B. Bradshaw to Vittorio Massimo Gentile, January 9, 1959, in St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City.

Miss Evelyn Pattison, a teacher at the Principia, St. Louis, Missouri, for a number of years is now the hostess at the Kappa Alpha Theta House, University of Washington, in Pullman, Washington.

Mary Jewett, daughter of President and Mrs. Herschel C. Jewett of Mason, Michigan, has been selected as one of the chorus of sixty-eight to tour South America in June. Flying first to Lima, Peru, and then to other South American cities where they will present their concerts, the trip will be about 16,000 miles and consume forty-five days. This good will tour is sponsored by The Michigan Council of Churches, with the assistance of the University of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. (Emily P. Jewett) Earl B. Thomas have sold their home in Yucaipa, California, and have moved to Redlands, California.

Joseph Jewett, 4th, a Career Army Officer, stationed in Germany, spent his leave with his folks in Wyoming, Ohio, during July, 1959. With him in Germany are his wife and children.

William Hathaway Jewett of Eureka, Calfornia, attended the annual Odd Fellows Gathering in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, during September. "Bill" has made this trip East annually for a number of years. Taken ill in Cincinnati on his return, he had a trying ride to San Francisco, where he spent several weeks in the hospital. We hope that he is fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tarbell of North Bangor, New York, left on October 19th for their winter home in Lakeland, Florida.

Miss Ethel Jewett of Minneapolis, Minnesota, left New York by Jet Airliner on June 22nd for a trip to Europe where she visited many of the historic sites in Holland, Belgium, Switzerland, Italy, France, England and Scotland. Returning, she arrived in New York on August 21st. Her Christmas vacation was spent at her brother Ernest's home in North Hollywood, California.

Miss Jeanne Jewett of Portland, Oregon, continues the membership of her late father, Garry W. Jewett, in her name. She is Administrator of the Oregon State Public Welfare Commission in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. (Winifred N. Jewett) Eskil Josephson have moved from Bristol, Connecticut, to Alna, Maine. They should feel at home in Alna; many Jewetts have lived in that vicinity during the past two hundred years.

Your secretary and Mrs. Jewett received many, many greetings at Christmas time, some in the form of cards and some as annual family letters. This form of greeting seems to be more prevalent each year, and we enjoy reading of the activities of our friends during the preceding year. Some of our news items are taken from these letters; we hope that you do not mind passing on to others some of your interesting experiences. We do not have the time to answer but very few of these remembrances, so let us pause here briefly and acknowledge them and say "Thank You".

Paula Ann Edwards, born in Houston, Texas, November 28, 1944. Her mother, Mrs. Ann Jewett Edwards, has sent us a handsome picture of the very charming young lady taken at the installation of officers of West University Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls, Houston, Texas. Paula's mother has also enrolled her as a Member of the Jewett Family of America.

Miss Judith Jewett, daughter of your secretary, and formerly affiliated with Braniff Airlines in New York City, is now attached to the San Francisco office of British Overseas Airlines Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. (Florence Jewett) Lynn Jewell of Leslie, Michigan, are spending the winter in DeLand, Florida. Lynn was very ill during the late summer. We hope that the Florida climate has been beneficial for him.

From the Minneapolis Tribune of July 2, 1959, we read that "Commodore II piloted by Peter Jewett, nosed out Ed Brown's Blue Streak by five seconds in the Northome Series Yacht races at Lake Minnetonka". Who is Peter Jewett?

A clipping and picture from an Auburn, Alabama, newspaper tells us of the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Wright A. Gardner. They were married December 27, 1899, at Hartford, Michigan. Our congratulations, and with it go the hopes that they enjoy many more years.

Mrs. Nina Humphyres of Boone, Iowa, is spending the winter in Tucson, Arizona, for her many friends who would like to write to her; the address is Pioneer Hotel, Tucson.

Sometimes it is impossible to do all of the family research and to make all of the contacts necessary for a successful Family Association by mail. So again last year your secretary took to the road. In April I spent some time in Cincinnati discussing plans for the reunion with Mrs. Gorski, and meeting some of the other Jewetts in that city. We had first planned to hold the

reunion in Cincinnati, but because of the heat and humidity in July we were advised against it. I did enjoy renewing my acquaintance wth Mrs. Elmira Jewett Taylor and with the Gorski Family, and meeting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jewett and others.

Returning from the reunion in July, we spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jewett of Lakewood, Ohio. We also called to see Dr. Elizabeth Gillette of Schenectady, New York. Dr. Gillette was at one time a Director of the Jewett Family. She has been very ill for nearly a year with no chance of recovery.

On September 20th I attended the gathering of the Jewetts in Hampton, Connecticut. It is always a pleasure to meet with them.

In October I journeyed to Watertown, New York, where I called to see D. Herbert Jewett, and where I copied some family records in the Watertown Library. It was a pleasure to pay a brief call at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wiggins in Antwerp. In North Bangor, New York, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tarbell showed me the old David Jewett Farm, and the small cemetery where he is buried. During the past seven years I have, with the aid of Mrs. Sumner Sanderson, Mrs. Ralph Bean, Fred Jewett and others, collected a vast amount of material about David Jewett, his parents and his descendants. Some day I hope to have the time to put this material in form for publication. On this trip I spent a day in West Berkshire, Vermont, with Mrs. Ora Murray and her cousin, gathering material about their branch of the Jewett Family. Like so many other places in the country, in West Berkshire and Montgomery, Vermont, Jewett is a common name, they having been among the early settlers of the towns. I believe that the Jewetts of West Berkshire are descended from Samuel Jewett #1250, who was born in Littleton, Massachusetts. I also paid a brief visit in Vale Perkins, Quebec, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jewett. Fred is a descendant of the David mentioned above. I always enjoy seeing Fred and his family. The welcome sign is out regardless of the time of day that I call. I regret that I had been away from home so long that I missed seeing Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bean in Newport, but I made a short call at Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson's in West Charleston, Vermont. Mr. Sanderson has since passed away. I regret that I did not find him at home that day.

One of the many members who called to see your secretary was Reed V. Jewett of Calais, Maine. Mr. Jewett was on his trip to Florida for the winter with his family. Another visitor was Mr. Edward L. Kelley who was touring New England with Mrs. Kelley. We regret that we missed him; we were in Ohio at that time. Mr. Kelley's daughter, Barbara Dorn, sent us an interesting clipping from the Saginaw News. In reading the news item we learn that the American Fur Company established a trading post in Saginaw in 1824; that when the Indians threatened an uprising the agent for the trading company gave up his post and that he was replaced by his assistant, New England born Eleazer Jewett. Mr. Jewett later became a friend of Oge-maw-ke-ke-to, one of the attacking Indians. After resigning from the Post Mr. Jewett operated one of the first hotels in Saginaw.

Mrs. Nina Jewett Humphyres has enrolled five of her nephews as life members in The Jewett Family of America. They are descendants of Maximilian through Deacon Ezekiel, Thomas, Ezekiel, Thomas, Enoch, Isaac, James, Addison Parker, James Arthur, Edmund Parker.

Frank B. Jewett, Jr., has been elected executive vice-president, Vitro Corporation of America, New York, succeeding Admiral Albert G. Noble, USN, retired.

Carolyn Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Arthur Evans, and Mr. Thomas Richard French were married on April 10, 1959, in Riverdale, California.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold C. Pickwick of Lisbon, New Hampshire visited in England in the spring of 1959 where they toured many historic scenes.

Marilyn Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Jewett, received her bachelor's degree in sociology from the University of Minnesota on December 17, 1959. She was married on Saturday, January 30, 1960, at the Hennepin Avenue Methodist Church, Minneapolis, to Roger Frank Newstrum of Minneapolis and Los Angeles.

Your secretary has been elected Historian for the Sons and Daughters of the First Settlers of Newbury, Massachusetts. I am eligible for membership through the Noyes and Pettengill lines.

Mrs. C. C. Campbell of Kansas City, Kansas, has collected and compiled records on the Mathews Family. Their connection with the Jewett Family is through George Enoch Jewett and Patty Maria Mathews who married in Jefferson County, Iowa, in October, 1839. They were the parents of George A. Jewett, our Family President from 1912 to 1934. We were greatly indebted to Mrs. Campbell for her generosity in supplying the Association with a copy of her records.

From the Addison County, Vermont, Independent we learn that a photographic portrait of Elam Richardson Jewett #2911, publisher of the old Middlebury Free Press, has been presented to the paper by one of his descendants, Phelps N. Swett of Middlebury. Mr. Jewett was well known in the newspaper and printing world during the nineteenth century.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Messier of Candia, New Hampshire, during the Christmas holidays was their son and his family of Los Angeles, California.

Erva Cummings Hoyt, daughter of Mrs. Elmer E. Cummings and Frank Harrison Jewett were married Saturday, July 25, 1959, in Laconia, New Hampshire. The bride is office supervisor of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. The bridegroom is employed by Scott and Williams, Inc.

Miss Jean Cloward Jewett, daughter of Mrs. Vining Campbell Dunlap of Bowdoinham, Maine, and the late Rexford Jewett of Fredonia, New York, and William Vaughan Moody Fawcett, Jr., of Annisquam, Massachusetts, were married in the Cathedral Church, Boston, on October 3, 1959. The couple will reside in Bradford, Pennsylvania.

Miss Almeda Jane King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Jewett King, Jr. and Lieutenant Guyton O. Terry, Jr. of the United States Air Force were married at the Atlantic Beach Presbyterian Church on January 9, 1960 at 5:30 p.m. They are residing at Otis Airfield Base, Cape Cod, Massachusetts.

Have you returned your genealogical data sheet? Have you information pertaining to your ancestry which will be of assistance to your Secretary in completing other lines of the family? I continue to receive requests for information which I have been unable to answer for lack of vital records. Do you have items of interest for our 1961 Yearbook? If you find this one interesting and wish them to be continued please let me know.

SHIP REGULUS

Extracts from the Journal of the ship Regulus around Cape Horn to California in 1849 are taken from the hand written account of George Williams of Amesbury Mills, Massachusetts. One of the one hundred and twenty-five members of the crew and passengers was Jarvis Jewett, trader, of St. Johnsbury, Vermont. Although this Journal cannot truthfully be called a Jewett item, it is of particular interest because Jarvis Jewett shared the same experiences as Mr. Williams. Jarvis Jewett as told in the Genealogy, page 562, later returned to Vermont where he married. Taking his wife back to San Francisco, he resided there until his death in 1893.

FROM BOSTON TO CALIFORNIA, MARCH 1st 1849

At 10 O clock A.M. we droped down into the Stream and came to Anchor to receive our powder on board which was not allowed to be taken in at the wharf owing to her insurance policy, after we had received it on board, we up anchor and came to anchor the same day in the evening about 9 O clock in Nantasket Roads in Boston Harbor and lay there till the 5th. On the 4th of March we were boarded by Captain Sturgis of the Revenue Cutter Hamilton which was on Sunday. On the 5th about 9 Oclock in the morning the pilot came on board we hove anchor and set sail. The pilot left about eleven oclock all right, with a good breeze which continued through the day, about 8 Oclock the same evening we bid farewell to cape Cod, the last sight of the United States. On the 6th about 4 o'clock in the afternoon we entered the gulph Stream and crossed the same on the 8th about noon, running east.

It is now March 14th. I have had a tremendous Cold since we left but warm weather is bringing me too. I have had no appetite to eat nor to drink since we left Boston, neither to smoke nor chew tobacco so there is some saved, but i am getting better thank God. Saturday the 17th we had the pleasure of seeing some of old Ocean inhabitants in the shape of dolphins whales flying fish skipjacks etc. and a lively time they had of it. the sun at the same time power is down upon us so hot that we had to through of all our thick clothes being uncormfortable warm. The same day we spoke and boarded a ship from Harve Bound to St. Domingo South America, we put nearly 200 letters aboard of her to send to the United States. On the 20th about dark a ship came alongside within gun shot of us, she was going one way and we another, but it was so dark that we could not find out who she was nor whare bound. It is beautiful weather and pleasant Sailing, and thus far our Sabbaths has been well Observed.

April 14th was the happyest day i have seen since we left Boston we ware about 400 miles from Rio Janiero. we fell in with a bark called the Nautulus from N York with the Albany Mining Company bound to California she was making her way for Rio, when she saw us she hove too till we came up to her. She spoke us enquired whare we ware bound whare from & after the proper answers ware given, our mate asked questions concerning them, that being over and the word alls well from both vessels.

On the 18th of April we made Cape Finio the distance from the Cape to Rio Janerio is about 60 Miles we were becalmed a week of the cape so that we did not arrive in port before the 24th on that day about 5 Oclock we dropped anchor in the Harbour of Rio de Jeneiro just 50 days from Boston which is reckoned a very good passage.

We stopped here over a week to get water and provisions etc such as fresh Beaf potatoes Squashes and a good supply of nesseries and left on

the 2nd of May, we was out to sea in the afternoon, clear of the land, we had a good run until 13th the wind increased to a very severe gale, whe had to Lay too for about 8 days this happened on the coast of Pattagonio. a tremendous wind blowing while i am riting this. It is now about the 20th of may and very cold it is and growing colder every day, we are oblidg'd to ware our thick clothes again flannels and comforters all muffled up to keep warm for it is growing colder verry fast, it seems strang to me, that so short a time since we lift winter in the United States, and pass through such a hot summer and have to go through another tremendous cold winter in so short a time but so it is, we must prepare for it. The weather continued to grow worse and worse untill thursday the 31st of May, a day never to be forgaten by any of our company. The captain has been to sea 25 years but never saw such a gale, the officers all of them has doubled Cape Horn several time and have sailed in every Ocean but never experienced such a gale. It commenc'd about four Oclock in the morning and continued 24 hours without abating. The first thing that was done they hove the shop too under close reef Maintopsail the wind blowing tremendously from the North west, we shipped some heavy seas in the afternoon it blew a perfict Hurricane, about 5 P.M. the sea broke over the Starboard Quarter stove in all the boats. lost the Larboard Quarter boat we saw no more of that, stove Bulworks, the same parted the weather main topsail Brace, the nether main lift, and parrel of the main topsail yard jeb gise etc. All hands called to clear the deak, got the ship before the wind, so as to take in the main topsail, scuding under bare poles so as to clear up the wreck, the seas runing as high a the topsail yard, the hatches all on and barred down for the safety of the ship, and then hove the ship to under bare poles, it was a dreadfull sight the cooks and stewerts lift the galley and came down between for fear of the galley being washed over board for it was in the greatest danger, owing to the seas breaking over us, likewise those that occupied the house on deck they came down excepting the house to go every moment. Here we ware all hands barred down waiting the ishue, every countenance of the company look'd gloomy enough i hope we never shall se the like again. I am satisfied that nothing but the will of providence saved us, and i hope that heaven will smile on us the remainder of our voiage. Little did i think that i should ever witness such a sight, i made an attempt to look at the roling Seas, but my eyesight almost failed me, to look up at the sea as high as the top sail yard, i expected every moment that our good ship and all on board to be overwhelm'd by the Mighty seas that ware breaking over us, we ware completily buried in water a great part of the time. There is many of our company no doubt that can boast of stouter hearts and bolder courage than myself, that trembled at the sight even some among us that have been old Whale Men and have sailed roun Cap Horn several times before thay ware shook to the very Centere. When i see such men as the Officers and Seamen look sad, it cannot be wondered much if i should tremble, but God grant that we shall never witness such a scene again. If our good ship could be seen by any one that saw her at the Wharf in Boston would hardly know her. This memorable day was May 31st 1849 in the neighbourhood of the Falklands Islands.

It is now near the latter part of June and within about 100 miles of Cape Horn.

While i an writing these lines we are within six howers sail of the pitch of Cape Horn, in a dead calm something i never expected to se in the latitude of the cape which is about Longtitude 56, but so uncertain is the weather here that the wind blows from all points of the compass in 24 hours. But we have had very bad luck since we left Rio Jeneiro, continual head winds

and gales, our heaviest weather is the wind blowing from the south west, which is a head wind and blew from that Quarter the most of the time, and that is the course we want to steer but we must trust to Providence and take the wind as it comes. When the great gale subsided the sea went down in a day or two and we had fine sailing for a few days. On the ninth of June between 9 and 10 O clock in the forenoon we saw the falkland Islands, and a pleasing sight it was, it did us good for we saw nothing but Sky and Water for nearly four weeks. Of all the Vessels that sailed out of Rio Janeiri, the same time or nearly the same time as we did we had not the pleasure of seeing one of them or larn the fate of any of them as yet, but i hope they have lived through the gales as well as we did.

The weather is growing colder every day. We have to exercise ourselves the best way we can to keep warm and comfortable our days are very short here, the Sun rises about nine o'clock and sits about a quarter past 3 oclock in the afternoon, consequently our nights are very long and tedious. But as long as they are they pass of very well and dont seem as long as they realy are, because we generally get Some subject of debate, there are several bible Classes besides several classes of Study such as Mathematics Navigation grammar Spanish and numerous other studys, besides a good Lyceun, Whare we have some good talent brought out, and is very entertaining, likewise a prayer meeting that is well attended, and has a good effect.

I must not forget to mention the 22nd of June our decks were covered with snow, so that we had to Shovel it off the decks before we could walk or exercise with any comfort, It was equal to our streets at home in the dead of winter, the poor old Regulus look'd sick enough, cover'd with snow from stem to stern she look'd as though a dose of hot drops might relieve her conciderable. It is a gloomy sight to se a Vessel on the mighty ocean in a snow storm, hundreds of miles from land, at the mercy of the winds with gales and Hurricans driving us about like chaff, and if i live to arrive safe at home i shall have more to say than this. In the dead of winter here it is a most gloomy sight i ever saw. we are just entering the Pacific Ocean with a fine prospect of a hard winter. The atmosphere at this time is so thick with falling snow, that we can scarce se half the length of the ship.

On Sunday the 24th the day ushered in as usual with a head wind. About half past 12 o clock which is our dinner, hour, we had barely sat down to the table when the wind shifted all of a sudden and gave us a fair wind and continued to blow and increased until it blew almost a gale. About 2 Oclock there was a vessel seen ahead of us right under our Bough, the wind blowing very hard at the time, and our situation anything but agreeable we were gaining fast upon the Ship. In the course of an hour we came to within two ships Length of her, she was hove to, and as i never was so near a ship in a gale and right abreast of her, to se her labouring as she did, it was a grand and an awfull sight. The Seas ware breaking all over her so that it seemed to me that every pitch she made would be her last. It was a gloomy sight but she rode through it well, and she wore round and followed us, at the same time we ware running before the wind at the rate of nine knots, ploughing through beat sea. It is now Sunday evening June 24th that i am riting this article. the wind has lilled a little now so that we are running about 7 knots, and alls well.

On the 25th we had another tremodous Snow Storm which lasted nearly all day. it snowed as hard as i ever saw it at hame but still the wind was facourable for us, and before night it cleared of and we had pleasant sailing the remainder of the night. We went on deck as usual in the evening to smoke our pipes and we had a pleasant time of it for it was the first pleasant evening we experienc'd for many weeks which made us all feel quite cheerfull.

The 28th was a beautiful day the sun growing a little stronger every day. We are now begining another spring and i never longed more for warm weather in my life, for a winter around Cape Horn is the most tedious of any winter i ever experienc'd in my life. We have had hard weather from opposite the River De Le Platte to the Diego Rock of the Horn, they are the most Southern part of the Horn, these rocks lay about 40 miles from the Mainland, when the wind is favorable vessels sail between the Rocks and the Main land but not often neither was it our luck to do so owing to the head winds but thank God we have lived through a Cape Horn winter, which i hope i never shall experience again. But Fare Well old Horn, we found and left thee in thy Stormy Solitude.

Spring is begining to dawn upon us again and our poor old shattered Ship, Our days are begining to lenghen and i hope in a few days to se another summer which has long been look'd for by us all. We are now opposite the Magellan Straits on the west side of the cape with as smooth and pleasant sailing i ever saw in my life.

I mentioned in a previous article of speaking the Bargue Nautulus when of Cape Frio this day at sun set we had the pleasure of speaking to her again and it was gratifying to hear (alls well) pronounced by both speakers after the usual questions and answers from each vessel, we gave each other nine hearty cheers, and as we parted company with our best wishes, the band struck up Life on the Ocean Wave and kept playing it until the sound died away in the distance, Night coming on we lost sight of her and i hope we shall meet again in the gold diggins in good health and for the rest of Californians and i hope they will conduct them selves like men, worthy the name of Americans.

It is now the 17th of July, that i am riting this, in a dead calm and the Sun is again begining to pour down upon us prety warmm so that thick clothes has to be thrown on one side again, and i am glad of it, We are repairing our ship and boats of which there was a great need, for she look'd very bad, We have a blacksmith at work besides any quantity of carpenters, shoemakers, gunsmiths tailors, Tin Braziers, coopers. Shipwrights etc, all buissy to work so i expect that in a few days we shall begin to look up again of which there was a great need. When she is repaired and painted she will look much better than when she left Boston.

On tuesday the 24th of July our Election came for the choice of officers. On the evening before we held a Caucus and such a time i never want to se again. The whole Company seemed Jealous of one another and esspeacialy the Officers. I actually dreaded the result, and there is still Jeasousy of the worst kind, thare are a great number in favour of dissolving the company, and i feel anything but comfortable. Our Election came of and we Elected all the old board exept one and that was ——— one of our Directors but not without a struggle, and the worst of feeling, But i dont mean to say that this was caused by ——— or his friends, for i dont think he had any, but the spirit of dissatisfaction uneasiness and Jealousy commenced very soon after we Left Boston. The principle cause of all the trouble is this, the Company Expected to have the previlege of examining the Books and papers of the Company and knowing how we stood etc., but instead of that we ware flatly refused that prevelage by the President, and we have not to this day known no more about the concern than the man in the Moon. If the bussiness and transactions of the Company was honorably done, why not the company have the previlege to se them, but i have come to the conclusion that there is something wrong, or the books and papers of the Company would have been thrown open for thire Inspection. I believe that there is a deep game played by the founders of this Association with a determination to make

money out of it. I must not say much more on this subject for it creates bad feeling but such is the case and i cannot help it, if i had have known as much before i left as i do now, i would not have come this way but here i am i must make the best of it.

July 25th has brought us to the Tropic of Capricon again, and we have fine weather again, the latitude is 23 - 06, we are oppisite Rio Janeiro the other side the continent of south america on the coast of Bolivia, but there is not much of this coast, but mearly a few harbors, in comparison to Chili and Peru, it does not extend but little along the Pacific, those dominions lay mostly inland.

I am riting this in the evening of the 28th of July with a noble breese, our good Old Ship running about ten Knots an hour, and all hands Anxious to go into port, for since we left Rio Jeneino to this Evening, we have been to Sea 88 days, and we all of us feel as though a little land breese would be very refreshing which i hope will occur in two or three days.

On the 29th about the midle of the forenoon, land was discovered to the Joy of all on Board, and a happy sight it was, for we had not seen land for 89 days, except the Islands i have mentioned before, which was the Falkland the diego rocks that lay at the Southern Extremety of Cape Horn and the Islands of Juan Fernandez. It was a long voiage and a very tedious one, we hailed the sight with joy and past a very pleasant Sabbath in sailing along the Coast of Peru. The land we made is called Careta, it is an Island close to the main land, of which there is a harbour called Pisco, which is in Lattitud 13-46 and Longitude 76-12. This day not being very Clear, or we should have had a fine view of the Coast. Our company is very anxious to go ashore, to get fresh provisions for it comes hard for us to be confined so long to Salt Junk, but it is very remarkable to think that we are as healthy as we are, for up to this day every man in the company enjoys as good health as ever he did.

On Monday the 30th we had Beautiful sailing all day and in sight of land, the coast as a general thing is very Mountanious. it is now about seven oclock in the evening, distance from Callao about ten miles. I staid on deck the whole of the Evening and at a little past 12 Oclock we came to Anchor in the Harbour of Calleo, it being to dark to se any perticulars about the Harbour though we had a good Moon, the fogg was so dense that it was very disagreeable to be on deck, but as i always had a wish to se everything that is going on, especially on this Voiage i mean, to se all that is to be seen. We had a regular built shave down this Evening, for we felt regoic'd about going into Harbour once more. This marks our passage from Rio Janiero to Calleo exactly ninty days, On Tuesday the 7th of August 1849, we hove anchor and set sail for Francisco, with a fine Breese, and prospects being good for a fine run, for here we have the Trades Winds all the way to the Equator. I was glad when we sailed from here, for i longed to se the end of journey.

On the 19th of August at noon we crossed the Equator, with a fine breese, which was quite cheering to us, for it is not often the case the Vessels cross the line without a calm, as a general thing vessels are becalmed from one week to four under a burning sun without scarcely a breath of air, which makes it very disagreeable, for when we crossed it before we ware becalmed about a week which was said at the time, that ware very luckey, in crossing so soon, but we have had an exelent run from Callao thus far. for we have actually run rite before the wind ever since, but notwithstanding all this, the days drags very slow by. This is August 29th and alls well. As a general thing the atmosphere of the Pacific Ocean is not so clear as that of the Atlantic, for i have taken particular note of that, there is a great deal

more rain and cloudy weather, and it is well it is so, for i veryly believe if atmosphere was as clear as in the Atlantic, even in the same lattitude it would be insuportable. But it appears that divine providence has order'd all things rite for all nations climates, and canditions of men.

We have a fine Breese and wafting us along finely towards our journeys end. Sep. 21 at noon, the distance we had to sail was a trifle over 300 miles. The weather is getting much cooler. and more comfortable our latitude is 38-06. Longitude 129 with a fine breese from the N.N.W., our prospects is good and favorable for us to reach our port of destination in a few days at farthest for a day seems longer now, than a week did four months ago, the reason is, that we want to se the result of our expedition. Our patience is nearly exhosted, but there is no help for it one thing that makes us feel a little unpleasant is that the most essential article of our existance on the ocean is getting very bad indeed, and that is fresh water. Sep. 22nd we had had quite a rarity in the shape of stewed veal for dinner. that relished very well and seem a good deal like home. this was a part of the fresh provisions we had on board. We had some strange and welcome visitors that came on board. Natives of California in the shape of land birds, the poor little fellows been blown of shore so far, and not been able to return. Ware glad no doubt to find a resting place, and we ware as glad to se them and gave them all the welcome we could. They ware very tame, so that we catch'd several of them, and let them go again, they staid on and around the ship day and night, they ware very like our yellow Birds in winter in Massachusetts. Sunday morning 23'd i turned out about day light, and the little fellows ware chirping from one end of the ship to the other, which seems like a spring morning in old Salisbury, Mass. In the evening about 7 o clock we hove the land, and found we ware in 60 fathoms of water and in the course of half an hour we heard the breakers and saw land. Although the weather being very foggy indeed, as it is usually the case on this coast, it is reconed a very dangerous coast on that account, we came very near runing ashore, and should have done, but for an old sailor accustom to such scenes, and it was fortunate for us, that we did not run ashore. our ship was put about as quick as possible to wait for daylight. the shock came upon us somewhat sudden and sooner than was calculated by a number of miles, but it is very difficult in landing on this coast, owing to the dence fog, which is always the case here. and makes it very difficult for those unacquainted here to find the Harbour, As dangerous as our position was we felt rejoyced to thing that we ware so near our journeys end, the land was hove again, and we found but 38 fathoms but when the ship was put about we ware all safe again, and our prospects now is, that we have but a short time longer to be tossed about by old ocean surge. Especially for the presant, for now while i am riting this we have been seven months at sea, all but one week, and i think that is long enough at one time, and i do think a little labour will do me good, i have loafed long enough, Sept. 26th we are now prety much in the same predicament as we ware on the 23'd within a few miles to this land of promise, i must say that we have had the pleasure of seing it, but dare not approach it, owing to the dence fogg, which prevails here — especially at this season of the year. When we first made land, and found out our exact position as we supposed we ware nearly sixty miles to the Northward of the Harbour of San Francisco, and neither light House nor land mark to guide the weary mariner into port. This day we are in a dead calm, and standing outward, and the fog as thick as ever it was, on the coast of Novascotia, and watching every chance, and the change of wind, but the prospects are as gloomy as the atmosphere, no sun or moon to take an observation of our exact position which makes us feel very uncomfortable.

After so long a voiage and in sight to, of California, it seems very hard indeed. But one thing that comforts us is, we are not alone, there are others in the same predicament and some in right no doubt as anxious as we are to go into thire Haven of rest, or at any rate, to the Haven of the gold diggins. This day about 9 o clock in the forenoon we saw one vessel very near to us. we lower'd our Quarter Boat, with four men. they rowed to her and boarded her, and found her to be the Brig Cameo from New York, with 25 passengers for the diggins, among the number was several ladies and children. They sailed from New York on the 8th of February, nearly a month before we did, which makes it an exeeding long voyage, for thought ourselves behind every body. bur finding to the contrary, we began to revive up and not so bad of as we imagined, but i must say, it is very trying to the patience to be as long at sea, as we have been, for this day will number 210 days from Boston.

On the 28th we put about again for land, and on the 29th of September about nine o clock in the forenoon we made land again, and it was the long wished for land, that made toward the entrance of the Bay of San Francisco, it is very mountainous and rough looking and thare seems to be a great plenty of timber on the mountains, but not very large, but the greater portion of the mountains is very barren, with no vegetation whatever. All along this entrance on both sides the rocks are nearly perpendicular, with here and thare a sand beach, all hands on tip toe and bustle and straining thire eyes to view the long sought for land of promise. There is nothing very peculier about the entrance, more than any other, But it seems to me, by casting my eyes over the deck and seeing what an exitement there is, that our men could not contain themselves long enough to come to anchor but we had a noble breese and a fine day, which presented to our view all the scenery that was to be seen which was no more nor less, than high rockey mountains. There is a Fort within 5 miles of Francisco, it stood on a high projecting Bluff, there was a small flag flying on the top. The fort had seen its best days. At half past three o clock in the afternoon, we came to anchor in the Harbour of San Francisco, and it looked very much like Boston Harbour as far as shipping is concerned. There was between two and three Hundred ships at anchor abreast of the city. We went ashore the next day after we came to anchor, which was Sunday Sep 30, 1849, but of all places i ever saw this is the most novel. The streets if such they might be called are all humps and hollows, some of them have to be climed up as steep and as high as Po Hill. In rainy weather they are knee deep in mud, and in dry weather so dusty that is made it quite suffocating to travail them, nine tenths of the dwellings are tents, buildings are going up as if by Magic, and it is destin'd to be a great city. Of all the gambling i ever saw or heard of this beats all, for nearly a third of the houses are gambling Houses on the largest scale possible, and i have no doubt but thare are Hundreds of thousands of dollers won and lost every day, no one can realize anything about it by reading. It beats all, they are kept up by the fellows that come down from the mines, every day they are coming and going down the Sacramento. It is a sight i never expected to se but there is very good order here, and it is maintained by lynch law, the best law, and the most effective of all laws i ever saw. I shall have more to say if i shall be permitted to return home which i will leave all my concerns in the hands of divine Providence. This i hope will arive safe home. I present this little Journal to my wife.

Mary F. Williams
Amesbury Mills
Mass.

TREASURER'S REPORT

September 19, 1958 to September 19, 1959

Balance on hand September 19, 1958		$123.43
Receipts		
Dues, Including New Members	$402.00	
Donations	18.00	
Sale Yearbooks	3.00	
Sale Coat of Arms	6.00	
Total Receipts		429.00
		$588.29
Expenditures		
Postage	$ 16.00	
Insurance	6.00	
Membership Cards	9.40	
Yearbook publication	294.80	
Envelopes - Yearbook	11.00	
Copyright	4.00	
Reunion Expense	39.35	
Typing	15.00	
Bank Charges	3.47	
Total Expenditures		$399.02
Balance, September 19, 1959, Deposited in First National Bank, Ipswich, Mass.		$153.41
Edgar B. Jewett Fund		
Balance September 19, 1958	$413.11	
Interest	14.04	
Balance September 19, 1959, deposited in Suffolk Savings Bank, Boston	$427.15	
September 19, 1959, the following in the custody of the Secretary and Treasurer:		
13 sets of Jewett Genealogies, value	$325.00	

Submitted,

Everett D. Jewett, Treasurer

The above accounts have been audited by me. I find that the receipts, bank balances and records agree with the above report.

Submitted,

Alfred D. Jewett, Auditor